Center for Community Health

NEWSLETTER

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Home to Alliance for Research in Chicagoland Communities (ARCC) and the Northwestern Primary Care Practice-Based Research Program (NP3)

CCH Can Help You:

Current resources and services focus primarily on research:

- Partnership brokering & development
- <u>Workshops, seminars &</u>
 <u>team training</u>
- <u>Funding opportunities</u>
 <u>Consultations, proposal</u>
- review & support Patient, Clinician &
- Stakeholder Engagement

To learn more about the Center for Community Health, please visit our <u>website</u> or contact us at:

cch-consult@northwestern.edu.

CCH Important News & Dates:

- LISC Community
 Neighborhood
 Development Awards due 10/15
- CCH open position: <u>Consultation and</u> <u>Evaluation Program</u> <u>Administrator</u>
- <u>Request for Proposals:</u>
 <u>2020 Northwestern</u>
 <u>ALACRITY CBITs Seed</u>
 <u>Grant</u> deadline 10/15

CCH Resources

- ARCC Resource
 Directory
- September <u>Resources</u> and <u>Opportunities</u>
- <u>Request CCH</u>
 <u>Consultation Support</u>

Receive our Newsletter!



ARCC hiring for Community Co-Director Position- Apply by Oct 8

Join us to ensure that research benefits the people being researched and improves health & equity! The <u>Alliance for Research in Chicagoland Communities (ARCC)</u> at Northwestern University's <u>Feinberg</u> <u>School of Medicine</u> is seeking to hire a Community Co-Director to center and amplify community leadership in ARCC's vision, culture and programs. This senior position will also support community leadership roles in research partnerships, structures, and institutions. This new position has been designed by and will work in close collaboration with our <u>Community-Academic Steering Committee</u>. ARCC advocates for a collaborative approach to research that honors, is driven by, and shares power with communities, as local, cultural, and lived experience experts.

Details at <u>bit.ly/ARCCjob</u>. Apply by October 8, 2020.



ARCC Welcomes New Steering Committee Members

<u>ARCC</u>'s work and mission is driven by an incredible<u>Steering Committee</u> of dedicated community- and faith-based organizations, public agencies and Northwestern faculty, staff, and trainees who provide invaluable direction and support for our shared work to advance meaningful community-academic research engagement. ARCC is pleased to announce the addition of two new academic leaders to our collaboration. Congratulations and welcome to Jen Martinez, PhD and Faith Summersett-Ringgold, PhD. Click <u>here</u> for their bios.

We also welcome several new representatives from existing members who have recently joined us, Rachel Cha (<u>HANA Center</u>), William Cobb (<u>Puerto Rican Cultural Center</u>), and Renz Addiction Counseling Center has merged with The Ecker Center for Mental Health to become one organization, <u>Ecker Center for</u> <u>Behavioral Health</u>. You can see the full list of Steering Committee members,<u>here</u>.

Contact <u>ARCC</u> if you're interested in learning more about opportunities to get involved.





Updates from Stakeholder-Academic Resource Panels (ShARPs)

One way that the <u>Center for Community Health (CCH</u>) is helping translate research findings into practice more quickly is through <u>Stakeholder-Academic Resource Panels (ShARPs</u>).

Upcoming Session Opportunity:

A team from Northwestern University and Alliance Chicago are working to explore youth hypertension (HTN) diagnosis. They are interested in learning how parents/caregivers to young people at risk of youth HTN perceive it, and their experiences navigating this diagnosis.

We are inviting stakeholders with a range of expertise to join this discussion:

- Parents/caregivers to young people ages 10-17 who are at risk, or who have been recently diagnosed with high blood pressure
- Individuals working closely with young people ages 10-17 who are at risk, or who have been recently diagnosed with high blood pressure. For example:
 - medical assistants

- social workers/ case managers
- child-life specialists
- Health communication experts

Sessions will take place: September 19, 2020

For more Information on upcoming ShARPs: Contact Josefina Serrato, josefina.serrato@northwestern.edu

To request a ShARP or learn more about other CCH consultation services, Email <u>click here</u> or visit <u>here</u>

ARCC Moderating Public Health Panel

What does access to public health look like, for all, in the Windy City? This past year<u>ARCC</u> & <u>Public</u> <u>Narrative</u> joined several other Chicago-based community organizations and media professionals to understand how public health policies in the city affect marginalized groups as part of the <u>PCORI</u>-funded <u>Chicago Community Media & Research Partnership</u>. Join us, Thursday, September 24, for this conversation as part of the Celebration of Change on moving towards health equity through community engagement. Jen Brown, <u>ARCC</u> Director will moderate and panelists includeCCH Co-Director <u>Darius</u> <u>Tandon</u>, ARCC <u>Steering Committee</u> Member Taneka Jennings (<u>HANA Center</u>), and ARCC partner Phyllis Rodgers (<u>Peer Plus Wellness</u>).

Register to join the conversation and share this opportunity with your networks:#ChangeWithUS



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