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LHIC Coalition and Work Group Members - Please see below for upcoming webinars and resources. We encourage you to consider participating and to share these opportunities with your stakeholders and others in the community. If you have programs or opportunities that you would like to submit please send them via email to [lhic@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:lhic@howardcountymd.gov).

**LOCAL RESOURCES AND MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

* Howard County Government Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Information [StayCOVIDSafe.howardcountymd.gov](https://www.howardcountymd.gov/Departments/COVID-19-Coronavirus-Countywide-Updates)
* Howard County Health Department Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Information <https://www.howardcountymd.gov/Departments/Health/MM-Alerts-and-Recalls>
* COVID-19 Vaccine Clinicfor people with disabilities/chronic health conditions: There are spots available for the COVID-19 Moderna Vaccine (18+) for people with disabilities/chronic health conditions, their caregivers and household members in Howard County. To pre-register, please visit <https://bit.ly/3aT6wnr>.

ARI staff will contact you to schedule an appointment. For more information, contact the

COVID-19 Response Coordinator at 443-713-3915 or [covidsupplies@arinow.org](mailto:covidsupplies@arinow.org).

Clinics will run through May and are sponsored by ARI, the Howard County Health

Department, the Maryland Department of Disabilities and the Maryland Department of

Health.

* Howard County Government Virtual Assistance Portal  
  <https://services.howardcountymd.gov/hcportal?%20%20category_id=273d4345db209450bcfffce9af961947>
* CDC Interim Public Health Recommendations for Fully Vaccinated People

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/fully-vaccinated-guidance.html>

* Customizable COVID-19 Vaccination Content for Health Departments and Other Public Health Partners <https://bit.ly/3mLE77C>
* The Maryland Dental Action Coalition (MDAC) celebrates triple successes in its legislative advocacy in oral health access and equity <https://www.mdac.us/news-events/>
* Maryland Department of Affairs Resource Guide for Veterans and their Families <https://www.aacounty.org/boards-and-commissions/veterans-affairs-commission/forms-and-publications/resource-guide-082019.pdf>
* Columbia Association announces Huntington Pool as the Sensory-Friendly Pool for Summer 2021. For more information, please email [FSRC@hcpss.org](mailto:FSRC@hcpss.org) or call 410 313-7161
* Howard County Public School System (HCPSS) webinars for families with IEPs <http://www.hcpss.org/special-education/calendar/>
* HopeWorks offers Youth Leadership Project program that’s dedicated to empowering teens (13-18 years old) to challenge systems of oppression and prevent relationship violence in their community. For more information, contact Community Educator: Youth Specialist, Victoria Rain [vrain@wearehopeworks.org](mailto:vrain@wearehopeworks.org)
* Congruent Counseling offering a variety of mental health services and programs for all ages

<https://congruentcounseling.com/>

* Howard County Recreation and Parks Camps and Programs

<https://www.howardcountymd.gov/recreation-parks/programs>

* The University of Maryland wants to know Marylanders' perceptions, awareness, and use of prescription and illicit drugs. This Public Opinion Survey at

<https://umaryland.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_6M8XaCzYrmIgrT8> was designed for

Maryland residents older than 18. If you have any questions, concerns, or complaints about

the study, please contact the Behavioral Health Resources and Technical Assistance

Program at [BHRT@rx.umaryland.edu](mailto:BHRT@rx.umaryland.edu)

* Parents’ guide to navigate Compensatory Education/Recovery Services during the Covid-19 Pandemic - [http://marylandpublicschools.org/programs/Documents/Special-Ed/TAB/ParentsGuide\_CompEd\_RecoveryServices\_Maryland[revMay2021].pdf](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2FNNOQok-L6xzHFhN6azomHw~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRi0Ld5P0SAaHR0cDovL21hcnlsYW5kcHVibGljc2Nob29scy5vcmcvcHJvZ3JhbXMvRG9jdW1lbnRzL1NwZWNpYWwtRWQvVEFCL1BhcmVudHNHdWlkZV9Db21wRWRfUmVjb3ZlcnlTZXJ2aWNlc19NYXJ5bGFuZFtyZXZNYXkyMDIxXS5wZGZXB3NjaG9vbG1CCmDu-YPvYNsSvWFSGmtrZXNsZXJAaG93YXJkY291bnR5bWQuZ292WAQAAAAB&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C6fa73c6da4c742b9aaad08d947b78497%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637619675796803855%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=qq1K2cUL4TOvpsOIVKu7UB%2FSesuFq9JkS0Psa%2BvnXDw%3D&reserved=0)
* The Howard County Health Department is recruiting for eligible Howard County high school students and young adults to work as Underage Tobacco Enforcement Investigators. For more information, please click on <https://www.howardcountymd.gov/sites/default/files/2021-07/Youth%20Tobacco%20Investigator%20Postcard%20T21%207.30.21.pdf>
* Out of Darkness Howard County Walk <https://supporting.afsp.org/index.cfm?fuseaction=donorDrive.event&eventID=7653>
* Save the Date -- Howard County Drug Free Medication and Sharp Disposal is October 23, 2021 from 10 am - 3 pm
* The University of Maryland Horowitz Center for Health Literacy is looking for volunteers to complete a 40-question survey about COVID-19 Vaccine Attitudes, Beliefs, and Decision-Making Behaviors. For more information about this study opportunity please contact Katherine Raymond at [raymondk@umd.edu](mailto:raymondk@umd.edu) or (202) 845-6195.

**FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES**

***1. Title:*** **Low Intensity Support Services (LISS)**

LISS is a program of the Developmental Disabilities Administration that provides up to

$2000 to assist eligible children and adults with developmental disabilities with purchasing

eligible services and/or items to address their needs. LISS enhances or improves the

of life for eligible individuals and promotes independence and community integration. It is

flexible to meet the needs of children as they grow and adults as they mature across their

lifespan.

The “Open Season” schedule is:

FY 2022 - Round 2

The online access link will open on July 16, 2021.

The online access link will close on November 30, 2021.

Random Selection will take place on December 15, 2021.

The LISS Program's Random Selection Application is now electronic and can be accessed

online for FY 2022 Round 1 and Round 2, visit:

[https://pcis.health.maryland.gov/liss-service/apply](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2F7v8B3HBJTk_mWo8MmSSuPw~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRi0Ld5P0QzaHR0cHM6Ly9wY2lzLmhlYWx0aC5tYXJ5bGFuZC5nb3YvbGlzcy1zZXJ2aWNlL2FwcGx5VwdzY2hvb2xtQgpg7vmD72DbEr1hUhpra2VzbGVyQGhvd2FyZGNvdW50eW1kLmdvdlgEAAAAAQ~~&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C6fa73c6da4c742b9aaad08d947b78497%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637619675796823767%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=xdZ3%2FEVKOxvNmwK%2FH10uWWMqW4kTvRSvE7LjY8zoaZk%3D&reserved=0) Please refer to the schedule above as to when to submit your Random Selection

Application, the web site is currently being updated.

***2. Title***: **The Maryland Agriculture Education and Rural Development Assistance Fund**

**(MAERDAF) and the Rural Maryland Prosperity Investment Fund (RMPIF)**

***Description:*** The Maryland Agriculture Education and Rural Development Assistance Fund

(MAERDAF) grant funding provides capacity-building funds to rural nonprofit service

providers. The cap for this grant program is $40,000 and a match is not required. The Rural

Maryland Prosperity Investment Fund (RMPIF) supports the Rural Maryland Council’s

operations and activities, and it also supports the states’ five Regional Councils, rural

entrepreneurship development rural health care organizations, and regional infrastructure

projects. A match is required for RMPIF Funding and is set at 25% match for

entrepreneurship, 50% match for health care, and 75% match for infrastructure. Both

MAERDAF and RMPIF have a two-phase online application process.

Full Application Deadline: Friday, July 16, 2021

Awards announced the week of August 23, 2021

For more information, visit: [rural.maryland.gov/Grant%20Opportunities/](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D0019l6GzqUmbHyd6brk450LjRaA57elfNmhk7JKp_TFS26ZxeN6IAH31iLW4CruKYZheejirgsywBzTS5Es0Li9bV0-IRS-inxYHLGGL8gVZ1Bb-2_T-bEFkvDQeM-xsYaM_P_l8RVPnUr8Pckh0QzBtbYLWs0lyW7lrHjaFbQ7_c0gZp81cVuAUw%3D%3D%26c%3DF6KBw_aFC6uhCLSGFDPW42k8cluWRxzwimNVAfRD5DfInCeY-YxoyA%3D%3D%26ch%3DNNReBTKYh19lbCV15mArFPuEpkN4eEdIShJx9OggDEguFj2P8mYicg%3D%3D&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C42689b643bbb406495e708d92931bd86%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637586115883063471%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=%2FXceWaV8yWwaNgbYHgYBqaSC9qvl96R1a%2BdUPSJKC9c%3D&reserved=0)

***3. Title*: National Institute of Health Grant Funding Opportunities**

**Effectiveness of School-Based Health Centers to Advance Health Equity**

***Description:*** The National Institute of Health has a research grant Funding Opportunity

available. This announcement is to support research that investigates the effectiveness of

school-based health centers (SBHCs) as a health services care delivery model to address the

needs of school-aged children from populations with health disparities (hence, underserved

youth). For more information, visit <https://bit.ly/3fUdxqR>

**Implementing and Sustaining Evidence-Based Mental Health Practices in Low-Resource**

**Settings to Achieve Equity in Outcomes**

***Description:*** The National Institute of Health has a research grant Funding Opportunity

available. This announcement is to support pilot work for subsequent studies testing the

effectiveness of strategies to deliver evidence-based mental health services, treatment

interventions, and/or preventive interventions (EBPs) in low-resourced mental health

specialty and non-specialty settings within the United States. The announcement targets

settings where EBPs are not currently delivered or delivered with fidelity, such that there

are disparities in mental health and related functional outcomes (e.g., employment,

educational attainment, stable housing, integration in the community, treatment of

comorbid substance use disorders) for the population(s) served. For more information, visit

<https://bit.ly/3s6lspI>

***4. Title*: DHHS Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health Grant Funding Opportunity**

***Description:*** The Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health (OASH) and the Office of

Minority Health (OMH) has a grant Funding Opportunity available. This opportunity is

looking at ways to Address Health Disparities through Collaborative Policy Efforts:

[Demonstration Projects](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fclick.email.aamc.org%2F%3Fqs%3D38f0d89a3dd4e017463ff4952fc8f1346d440bfa799c8d6a482f4cb0d1033b292b65a83537ef187433bda32b3738c68d1d65808a0103c19e&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C2b16ada664f24cae4d7408d95b5b6f2b%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637641270526647191%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=rlC0V%2B7%2FZoHr%2B%2Flc%2BkwDCiwWWQp1N5Dtn%2FcstluxXGc%3D&reserved=0) & [Coordinating Center.](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fclick.email.aamc.org%2F%3Fqs%3D38f0d89a3dd4e017ef8b2350266baa28aa702a53b39ba32cf9e13ba8900e9c220a88002dbebefcfd565c74ac51956dc14c234d9f99022864&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C2b16ada664f24cae4d7408d95b5b6f2b%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637641270526647191%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=oPfImTF2Wsd%2B8%2FAJo%2BznjAaFTi9Xs3cx47%2BeFEFvRSA%3D&reserved=0)

***5. Title*: Improving Postpartum Maternal Outcomes for Populations Experiencing Disparities**

***Description:*** Patient-Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) seeks to fund large

randomized controlled trials (RCTs) and/or well-designed observational studies comparing

multicomponent strategies to improve early detection of, and timely care for,

complications up to six weeks postpartum for groups more often underserved or

experiencing the greatest disparities in health outcomes, including Black, American

Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN), Hispanic, rural, and low socioeconomic status (SES)

populations. For more information, visit <https://bit.ly/3xHfk8u>

***6. Title*: The Maryland Department of Disabilities**

***Description:*** The Maryland Department of Disabilities will soon be releasing a request for

applications for community-based disability organizations to establish (or expand current

capacity of) health promotion programming to improve the health outcomes of the people

they serve. More information will be shared soon, and you may contact Jennifer Eastman at

[Jennifer.eastman@maryland.gov](mailto:Jennifer.Eastman@maryland.gov) if interested.

***7. Title*: Health Equity Technical Assistance Program**

***Description:*** The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Office of Minority Health (CMS

OMH) offers a health equity technical assistance program with resources aimed to help

health care organizations take action against health disparities.

The CMS OMH Health Equity Technical Assistance program offers personalized coaching,

resources to help improve care for underserved populations, data collection and analysis,

assistance in developing a language access plan to ensure effective communication with

those you serve, and resources to help you embed health equity into your strategic plan.

For more information and to register, visit: [https://www.cms.gov/About-CMS/Agency- Information/OMH/equity-initiatives/Health-Equity-Technical-Assistance](https://www.cms.gov/About-CMS/Agency-%20%20Information/OMH/equity-initiatives/Health-Equity-Technical-Assistance)

**UPCOMING VIRTUAL EVENTS, WEBINARS, AND TRAINING**

***Events below may not be hosted or provided by HCLHIC. If you have any questions about***

***these events, please contact the event organizers directly.***

**8. *Title:* The Village In Howard (TVIH) presents The Legacy Interviews**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This 12-week webcast series will feature interviews with diverse legendary

pathfinders who have spent decades in the field of aging, health and social services.

Dr. Ken Dychtwald will conduct each interview.

***Date:*** Every Wednesday, June 23, 2021 – September 8, 2021; 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

***Link:*** <https://www.thevillageinhoward.org/content.aspx?page_id=0&club_id=855297>

***9. Title:* The Self-Care & the Healing Journey: A Wellness Workshop Series for Youth**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** HopeWorks of Howard County is offering a 8-week self-care focused virtual

workshop series to address unique stressors experienced by teens (13-18 years old). Each

small group session will feature the use of discussion circles, guest speakers and the use of

the humanities and expressive arts to explore identity, life balance, building coping skills,

relationships and the emotions that influence our sense of wellbeing.

***Date:*** Every Thursday, July 1 through August 19, 2021; 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

***Link:*** [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-self-care-the-healing-journey-a-wellness-](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-self-care-the-healing-journey-a-wellness-workshop-series-for-youth-tickets-151219789461) workshop-series-for-youth-tickets-151219789461

***10. Title*: Living Well with Diabetes Class (Virtual)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** A 6-week workshop for people who live with or are at risk for diabetes. If you

have Type 2 Diabetes or are have been told you are at risk for prediabetes, learn

techniques for better managing your health to avoid serious health problems that can

result from having diabetes.

***Class Two:*** Every Thursday, July 15 – August 19, 2021; 10:00 am – 11:30 am and 6:00 pm -

7:30 pm

***Class Three:*** Every Thursday, August 19 – September 23, 2021; 10:00 am – 11:30 am

and 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

***Class Four:*** Every Thursday, September 16 – October 21, 2021; 10:00 am – 11:30 am

and 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

***Class Five:*** Every Thursday, October 21 – November 25, 2021; 10:00 am – 11:30 am

and 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

***Class Six:*** Every Thursday, November 18 – December 23, 2021; 10:00 am – 11:30 am

and 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

***Class Seven:*** Every Thursday, December 16, 2021 – January 20, 2022; 10:00 am – 11:30 am

and 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

***Link:*** <https://events.hcgh.hopkinsmedicine.org/>

***11. Title*: Cancer Self-Management (Virtual)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This free 6-week workshop for people who live with or are at risk of having a

chronic condition such as heart disease, diabetes, cancer, obesity, depression, chronic pain,

arthritis, lung disease and any other health concerns. During this workshop, you will learn

techniques to cope with feelings of frustration, fatigue, pain and isolation; skills to

communicate more effectively with family, friends and health professionals; exercises to

maintain and improve strength, flexibility and endurance; and improve nutrition and

develop healthy eating habits. Each session within builds upon the last, fostering skills that

build confidence in managing one’s own health.

***Date/Time:*** Every Tuesday, July 27 – August 31, 2021; 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

***Link:*** [https://bit.ly/CancerManagementClass](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fbit.ly%2FCancerManagementClass&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Ced8c5814fd1d45ab19b808d94889205e%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637620576102983837%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=SHTQGvm3btFt5SmWjpZt0Y1cW7eKlPDdnd8b%2BPrEw9Y%3D&reserved=0)

**12. *Title*: Overcoming Loneliness and Depression**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This training is designed to help you to understand what you can do when

experiencing loneliness and depression, and also help you to help others.

***Date/Time:***  August 1-31, 2021; 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm

***Link:*** [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/overcoming-loneliness-and-depression-tickets-](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/overcoming-loneliness-and-depression-tickets-114735049622?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch&keep_tld=1) 114735049622?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch&keep\_tld=1

**13. *Title*: Tools for Success in Mental Health**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This training will discuss the red flags of mental health issues and coping skills.

This is not an attempt to replace mental health services and we will provide resources to

access mental health services in your area.

***Date/Time:***  Every Wednesday, August 4 - December 8, 2021; 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

***Link:*** [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/tools-for-success-in-mental-health-tickets-](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/tools-for-success-in-mental-health-tickets-152876833725?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch) 152876833725?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch

**14. *Title*: The Importance of Mental Health During the Pandemic**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this training, Ms. Artis will bring awareness to the importance of mental

health, provide tools to improve your mental health, and educate you for understanding.

***Date/Time:***  Every Wednesday, August 4- October 8, 2021; 8:00 pm – 8:30 pm

***Link:*** [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-importance-of-mental-health-during-the-](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-importance-of-mental-health-during-the-pandemic-tickets-154248654879?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch) pandemic-tickets-154248654879?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch

***15. Title:* Living Well Chronic Disease Class (Virtual)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This free 6-week workshop for people who live with or are at risk of having a

chronic condition such as heart disease, diabetes, cancer, obesity, depression, chronic pain,

arthritis, lung disease and any other health concerns. During this workshop, you will learn

techniques to cope with feelings of frustration, fatigue, pain and isolation; skills to

communicate more effectively with family, friends and health professionals; exercises to

maintain and improve strength, flexibility and endurance; and improve nutrition and

develop healthy eating habits. Each session within builds upon the last, fostering skills that

build confidence in managing one’s own health.

***Class:*** Every Sunday, August 15 – September 19, 2021; 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

***Link:*** [http://bit.ly/startlivingwell](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fbit.ly%2Fstartlivingwell&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Ced8c5814fd1d45ab19b808d94889205e%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637620576102973882%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=r2uuHk441nV3qzH9XlXEbX0tMLqe21PWrpGhSZ2MC14%3D&reserved=0)

***16. Title*: MDAAP/ADANE Nutrition Webinar Series**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** The Maryland Chapter, American Academy of Pediatrics (MDAAP) is

partnering with the American Dairy Association North East for a four-part webinar series.

Webinar three is entitled “A Thoroughly Modern Approach to Childhood Nutrition in the

21st Century”.

***Date/Time:*** Tuesday, August 17, 2021; 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

For more information, please contact [loretta@mdaap.org](mailto:loretta@mdaap.org)

***17. Title*: Talk Safe, Plan Safe – A Suicide Prevention Training**

(Registration is required)

### ***Description:*** This training reviews key messages for suicide prevention. It will help ensure

### you are up to date with current thinking and practice including how CBT and TOC may be

### used to in crisis and provide participants with the opportunity to review strategies such as

### creating a safe plan, crisis plan and comfort box - A must for anyone supporting others.

* + Tuesday, August 17, 2021; 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
  + Thursday, September 2, 2021; 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm
  + Tuesday, September 28, 2021; 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm

***Link:*** [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/talk-safe-plan-safe-a-suicide-prevention-training-](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/talk-safe-plan-safe-a-suicide-prevention-training-tickets-144514862845?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch&keep_tld=1) tickets-144514862845?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch&keep\_tld=1

***18. Title*: Sleep in Childhood**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This informative two-part webinar is about the brain processes that control

healthy sleep and the best approaches for managing common sleep disorders in children.

This event is geared to parents of children up to the age of five. Please plan to attend both

Workshops.

***Part One:*** Wednesday, August 18, 2021; 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm

***Part Two:*** Wednesday, August 25, 2021; 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm

***Link:*** <https://mdcoalition.force.com/s/detail/7012M000002Ayqw>

***19. Title:* Networks for Life-Youth Suicide Prevention**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** Learn how to communicate with youth and their families about suicide, and

discuss available resources.

***Date/Time:***  Wednesday, August 18, 2021; 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm

***Link:*** [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/networks-for-life-youth-suicide-prevention-tickets-](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/networks-for-life-youth-suicide-prevention-tickets-161963684741?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch) 161963684741?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch

***20. Title*: Hands Only CPR Classes (Virtual)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this training, participants will learn how to take simple steps to keep the

injured person alive until appropriate medical care is available. It starts with knowing

what to do.

* + Wednesday, August 18, 2021; 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

[Registration Link](https://howardcountymd.webex.com/mw3300/mywebex/default.do?nomenu=true&siteurl=howardcountymd&service=6&rnd=0.605354529615593&main_url=https%3A%2F%2Fhowardcountymd.webex.com%2Fec3300%2Feventcenter%2Fevent%2FeventAction.do%3FtheAction%3Ddetail%26%26%26EMK%3D4832534b0000000426f4b8bb5fe4b06eb6cb71eb2c82366c8a1890be63afcfb1d35986157162f4c1%26siteurl%3Dhowardcountymd%26confViewID%3D195288708786693064%26encryptTicket%3DSDJTSwAAAATC8qmKrJYPvV7gw8mb2FHIR1NwXMtNWpEFokUmK6q7fw2%26)

For more information, please contact [outreach@hcdfrs.org](mailto:outreach@hcdfrs.org)

***21. Title:* Community Health Workers' Role in Advancing Equity**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this webinar, we will clarify the CHWs work and explore their role in

advancing equity. We will hear from Ashley Rodriguez, chair of the American Public Health

Association’s Community Health Worker Section. Ms. Jenna Grant, a resource

development manager with the Tulsa Health Department, will share examples of CHW

equity-building work in Oklahoma, including the recent CHW-led movement to gain

certification for a sustainable workforce. This webinar will be especially helpful for those

seeking strategies to strengthen CHWs’ capacity to build equity in communities.

***Date:*** Tuesday, August 24, 2021; 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

***Link:*** [https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/learn-from-others/webinars/community-](https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/learn-from-others/webinars/community-health-workers-role-in-advancing-equity) health-workers-role-in-advancing-equity

***22. Title:* Compensatory Education Services Workshop with Disability Rights Maryland (DRM)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This webinar will have a brief overview of what compensatory services are and how to request them from their local school systems. After the presentation, attendees who pre-registered for a time slot will have a one-on-one session with Disability Rights Maryland staff attorneys to ask specific questions regarding their concerns. The link to sign up for a one-on-one session will be emailed when a registration for the webinar is completed.

***Date/Time:*** Wednesday, August 25, 2021; 10:00 pm – 12:00 pm

***Link:*** [https://pathfindersforautism.org/compensatory-educational-services-webinar/](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2F4PZpK8bhjs5fGIuguOGJpQ~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRi0Ld5P0RLaHR0cHM6Ly9wYXRoZmluZGVyc2ZvcmF1dGlzbS5vcmcvY29tcGVuc2F0b3J5LWVkdWNhdGlvbmFsLXNlcnZpY2VzLXdlYmluYXIvVwdzY2hvb2xtQgpg7vmD72DbEr1hUhpra2VzbGVyQGhvd2FyZGNvdW50eW1kLmdvdlgEAAAAAQ~~&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C6fa73c6da4c742b9aaad08d947b78497%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637619675796783943%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=pWy%2BenSOyYFCFZXXZY98IHXZWhRtiBmJ2nUNVAJT3po%3D&reserved=0)

***23. Title:* Deficient Emotional Self-Regulation: The Overlooked ADHD Symptom that Impacts**

**Everything**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** ADHD is typically considered a disorder of inattention, impulsivity, and/or hyperactivity. Dr. Russell Barkley, Ph.D. will discuss how to determine which aspects of emotional dysregulation stem from ADHD or a comorbid condition. He will also outline the best approach to diagnosing and treating DESR.

***Date/Time:*** Thursday, August 26, 2021; 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

To register or get a link to watch the recorded version of this webinar, please visit [https://goto.webcasts.com/starthere.jsp?ei=1473045&tp\_key=d3a1d67ce6](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2F0kRQs3n7Lx5aTVzwok_T7A~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRi7ZsKP0RgaHR0cHM6Ly9nb3RvLndlYmNhc3RzLmNvbS9zdGFydGhlcmUuanNwP2VpPTE0NzMwNDUmdHBfa2V5PWQzYTFkNjdjZTYlMjBTcG9uc29yZWQlMjBieSUyMEFERGl0dWRlVwdzY2hvb2xtQgphC4pnDGHlTP-jUhpra2VzbGVyQGhvd2FyZGNvdW50eW1kLmdvdlgEAAAAAQ~~&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Cb56b529221a74c31675408d958620866%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637638000351615621%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=Uysxrv46tRK%2BqaGvm3t9uBG3wp%2B3%2BBf%2BGoP5fhqSdeM%3D&reserved=0)

***24. Title*: Stop the Bleed Classes (Virtual)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this training, participants will learn how to take simple steps to keep the

injured person alive until appropriate medical care is available. It starts with knowing

what to do.

* + Thursday, August 26, 2021; 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

[Registration Link](https://howardcountymd.webex.com/mw3300/mywebex/default.do?nomenu=true&siteurl=howardcountymd&service=6&rnd=0.6384123908214362&main_url=https%3A%2F%2Fhowardcountymd.webex.com%2Fec3300%2Feventcenter%2Fevent%2FeventAction.do%3FtheAction%3Ddetail%26%26%26EMK%3D4832534b00000004728529686496c3fe4af62313daf37d66d9f9b2c4d1dffed716a5ee5918186642%26siteurl%3Dhowardcountymd%26confViewID%3D195289070625104464%26encryptTicket%3DSDJTSwAAAATeIxs2DDHOhAUDciSClk8NpzC5XZo9uYgV2jIIrZstfg2%26)

**Stop the Bleed Classes (In-person)**

(Registration is required)

* + Monday, September 13, 2021; 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
  + Thursday, October 21, 2021; 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
  + Thursday, November 18, 2021; 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
  + Friday, December 17, 2021; 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

These classes will be held at the James N. Robey Public Safety Training Center

(2200 Scott Wheeler Dr, Marriottsville, MD 21104)

For more information, please contact [handsonlycpr@hcdfrs.org](mailto:handsonlycpr@hcdfrs.org)

**25. *Title*: Identifying Equitable Solutions with What Works for Health**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this training, participants will learn how to identify strategies that align with your community priorities and address health disparities. Participants will also hear from a guest from the Utah Department of Health who will share how they are using WWFH to support their strategic planning.

***Date/Time:*** Thursday, August 26, 2021; 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm

***Link:*** <https://chrr.zoom.us/webinar/register/4616267113730/WN_9uAxcV3ySmKs3dVWfC4MHA>

**26. *Title***: **BHA/MedChi Behavioral Health Webinar Series: Helping the Helpers and Those**

**They Serve**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This is a webinar series between the Maryland Department of Health (MDH)

Behavioral Health Administration (BHA) and MedChi. These webinars are designed to

enhance both health care worker self-care and resultantly the care they provide, as

health care workers combat numerous stressors including the COVID-19 pandemic,

social justice issues, and other stressors that can potentially impact delivered care.

***Link:*** <https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_XbvOyxYTSvSDn3VSoVFdgQ>

***Date/Time:*** Thursday, August 26, 2021; 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm - ***Effective Self-Help Strategies***

***and When Therapy is Still Needed***

***Link:*** <https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_NgosWgrWRj2xHIGwNrb_nw>

***Date/Time:*** Thursday, September 9, 2021; 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm - ***Ten Strategies on Building***

***Resilience and Preventing Burnout***

***Link:*** <https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_WafrF9bWQ9yCmDaPW8wH-w>

***Date/Time:*** Thursday, September 23, 2021; 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm - ***Dealing with Compassion***

***Fatigue and Burnout***

***Link:*** <https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_CPh3Y6EKSqONk7k2LSY7Dg>

***Date/Time:*** Thursday, October 14, 2021; 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm - ***So Often and So Casually:***

***Recognizing and Responding to LGBTQ Workplace Microaggressions***

***Link:*** <https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Yw_0WHA1Qt6Ys-0XB14geQ>

***27. Title:* All In: Data for Community Health Presents Pandemic Recovery: An Opportunity to**

**Align Data Systems?**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** With hundreds of billions of dollars flowing to state and local governments as

part of the pandemic recovery effort, there is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to address

upstream determinants of health and rebuild our public health and human services

infrastructures. This webinar will aim to address what are some of the immediate

opportunities at the state and local level for rebuilding and how can this moment be

leveraged to advance better data systems across all sectors?

***Date/Time:*** Tuesday, August 31, 2021; 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

***Link:*** <https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_e84xwT-hRZqvk6B6uIlqlQ>

***28. Title:* Best Practices for Suicide Prevention to Postvention**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this session, participants will be able to review suicide prevention best

practices; Explore a framework to provide support around building internal and external

capacity for suicide prevention with practical interventions; Discuss postvention strategies

when providing services to those directly affected by or bereaved by someone else’s

suicide; Discuss training and skills application best practices for putting suicide prevention

into action.

***Date/Time:*** Tuesday, August 31, 2021; 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/3AoHdUR>

***29. Title:* 5th Annual International Overdose Awareness Day: Recovery & Remembrance –**

**Journeys of Healing**

***Description:*** This public event will celebrate recovery from Substance Use Disorders while

learning what services are available in Howard County and Maryland. Importantly we bring

forward those we have lost to substance use related causes. We honor by saying their

names, lighting candles and holding them in our hearts. Together we are better!

***Date/Time:*** Tuesday, August 31, 2021; 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/3xH4Ohw>

***30. Title:* Evaluating Inclusiveness of Multisector Community Health Networks**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this webinar, the S4A intramural team will discuss their study aiming to

understand the variation of inclusion of tribal organizations to deliver public health services

and the predictors of inclusion. The research team finds that the vast majority of public

health networks do not report inclusion of tribal organizations.

***Date/Time:*** Wednesday, September 1, 2021; 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

***Link:*** <https://ucdenver.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_PynlbtsWTPyx3uHVtwBiGA>

***31. Title*: Adult, Child, Infant CPR Classes (In-person)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this training, participants will learn how to take simple steps to keep the

injured person alive until appropriate medical care is available. It starts with knowing

what to do.

* + Thursday, September 2, 2021; 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
  + Tuesday, October 5, 2021; 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
  + Friday, November 12, 2021; 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm
  + Wednesday, December 1, 2021; 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

**Hands Only CPR Classes (In-person)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this training, participants will learn how to take simple steps to keep the

injured person alive until appropriate medical care is available. It starts with knowing

what to do.

* + Friday, September 10, 2021; 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
  + Wednesday, October 13, 2021; 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
  + Monday, November 15, 2021; 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
  + Tuesday, December 14, 2021; 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

All of these classes will be held at the James N. Robey Public Safety Training Center

(2200 Scott Wheeler Dr, Marriottsville, MD 21104)

For more information, please contact [handsonlycpr@hcdfrs.org](mailto:handsonlycpr@hcdfrs.org)

***32. Title:* 2021 Healthy Aging Symposium**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This 2-day FREE symposium will highlight the latest science, best practices,

and innovative solutions to improve the lives and health of older Americans. The event will

build upon the lessons learned during the COVID-19 pandemic and focus on addressing the

social determinants of health to reduce health disparities and improve long-term recovery

and resilience.

***Date/Time:*** September 8-9, 2021

***Link:*** <https://www.workcast.com/register?cpak=2899597657383750>

***33. Title:* Lay Health Educator Program at Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This 10-week program is offered on Thursdays by Johns Hopkins Bayview

Medical Center, with instruction provided by physicians, psychologists, nurses, social

workers and Chaplains. It is for volunteers from religious communities who are interested

in addressing many of today’s greatest health challenges. Participants receive instruction,

resources and ongoing support to develop proactive and compassionate programs for

their congregations and communities. Topics covered include advance directives,

dementia, depression, communicating with health care providers, and other important

health matters.

***Date/Time:*** September 9 – November 11, 2021; 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm

***Link:*** [www.hopkinsmedicine.org/jhbmc/lhe](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.hopkinsmedicine.org%2Fjhbmc%2Flhe&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C07024a5c6bf84afa1ba908d95b5f1bf8%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637641286312667415%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=pNyuNxIJCRIkQOD5kR2aU6ZeYzv3%2FnkRrAtDXKGDiA4%3D&reserved=0)

***34. Title:* Addressing One of the Most Enduring Challenges in Health Care: End-of-Life**

**Decision Making**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this NINR Director’s Lecture, Dr. Song will present her intervention research

to develop and test an end-of-life communication intervention targeting patients with

chronic illness and their family caregivers, spanning all stages of the NIH Stage Model of

behavioral intervention development research.

***Date/Time:*** Tuesday, September 14, 2021; 10:00 am – 11:00 am

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/37tnMO9>

***35. Title:* Nudging Networks: Gains in Cross-Sector Connectivity Achieved Through a**

**Health Plan-Sponsored Population Health Initiative**

(Registration is required)

***Date/Time:*** Wednesday, September 15, 2021; 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

***Link:*** <https://ucdenver.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_mVr8QdloSzKQL9-tbhyeaw>

***36. Title*: Racism and Mental Health – The NJ Mental Health Players**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This mission of the NJMHP players is to increase education and awareness,

decrease stigma and break the silence often associated with mental health. The NJMHP

program combines performance art and advocacy.

***Date/Time:***  Thursday, September 16, 2021; 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

For virtual bookings and information contact the Director -Lynette Sheard @

[mentalhealthplayers@mhanj.org](mailto:mentalhealthplayers@mhanj.org) or call 973-571-4100 ext.104.

***Link:*** [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/racism-and-mental-health-the-nj-mental-health-](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/racism-and-mental-health-the-nj-mental-health-players-tickets-156608575465?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch) players-tickets-156608575465?aff=ebdssbonlinesearch

***37. Title: 2021* National Latino Behavioral Health Conference**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This Conference will provide a forum for Behavioral Health professionals from

different areas to connect, exchange ideas and together explore best practices to attend

the Hispanic and Latino Communities. The overarching goal is to highlight the contributions

Hispanic and Latino professionals are making to the future of behavioral health for all of

our communities.

***Date:*** Tuesday, September 16-17, 2021

***Link:*** <https://nlbhconference2021.com/>

***38. Title:* Opioid and Pain Management Best Practices**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This webinar will provide an overview of the Opioid and Pain Management

Best Practices Assessment and how the results are used to identify quality improvement

opportunities. This event will also feature the authors of an initiative, recently published in

the American Journal of Addiction. The initiative increased naloxone availability for

patients with opioid prescriptions within their health system. Additionally, the webinar will

also host a nursing home prescriber, who will share their process for prescribing opioid use

disorder medications for nursing home residents.

***Date/Time:*** September 22, 2021; 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

***Link:*** [https://qi.ipro.org/2021/06/23/ipro-qin-qio-webinar-on-sept-22-opioid-and-pain-](https://qi.ipro.org/2021/06/23/ipro-qin-qio-webinar-on-sept-22-opioid-and-pain-management-best-practices/) management-best-practices/

[**Opioid & Pain Management Best Practices:**](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001jpetsaSymKLUfiQ8vbIpmkt0x6SMqepmdnrj02fgIDvF4qhk5cAifrkPzWPe_E85HD2up8TK2w80MkA08iBqQmSRs6vVpGe2jMAvaJ5i0o_07iUTBqAl6KTuaqkb8AhO1X9P1hoiUVFzgPn9auEGzh6o3tdiPxwcS1KvpGg-bYuynC_4Yi_26A%3D%3D%26c%3DojI9yx16jEdC009czbPfHULx9O_Mcwb1TtWLZP87pPeJqN0HhVC2aA%3D%3D%26ch%3DBykuxDqobfAWpm2k3wYrlrZNWLC5-s4lPFbdaWmjPA4Q1Iqtfr-6cw%3D%3D&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Cf51bf66a867a408e102208d958624fcb%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637638001541186989%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=cDI1tbyjD%2BSweiAtuqiqEXIioCbFW6dPuj%2BdcjZ1x%2F0%3D&reserved=0)

[**Self Assessment**](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001jpetsaSymKLUfiQ8vbIpmkt0x6SMqepmdnrj02fgIDvF4qhk5cAifrkPzWPe_E85HD2up8TK2w80MkA08iBqQmSRs6vVpGe2jMAvaJ5i0o_07iUTBqAl6KTuaqkb8AhO1X9P1hoiUVFzgPn9auEGzh6o3tdiPxwcS1KvpGg-bYuynC_4Yi_26A%3D%3D%26c%3DojI9yx16jEdC009czbPfHULx9O_Mcwb1TtWLZP87pPeJqN0HhVC2aA%3D%3D%26ch%3DBykuxDqobfAWpm2k3wYrlrZNWLC5-s4lPFbdaWmjPA4Q1Iqtfr-6cw%3D%3D&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Cf51bf66a867a408e102208d958624fcb%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637638001541196947%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=X5DIZvP1t5oVvU%2B9kU5QM%2FjxRbHfz1OKYkvWRPliqmM%3D&reserved=0)

If you have not done so already, Please complete the self-assessment and an

aggregate report will be sent to you in return.

***39. Title*: Delicious Discoveries**

(Registration is required)

### ***Description:*** Giant grocery chain nutritionist will hold an interactive series for kids that

### explores all things food science — with a nutrition twist!

***Date/Time:*** Saturday, September 25, 2021; 10:00 am – 11:00 am

***Date/Time:*** Saturday, September 25, 2021; 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

***Date/Time:*** Saturday, November 20, 2021; 10:00 am – 11:00 am

***Date/Time:*** Saturday, November 20, 2021; 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

***Link:*** [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/delicious-discoveries-tickets-148639848789](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.eventbrite.com%2Fe%2Fdelicious-discoveries-tickets-148639848789&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C419d566b2d66415b149908d937409546%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637601572778860898%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=wpgFKdLof9T5TqAslNIbwiuf34%2BKlZmwRSPIJTTUlKs%3D&reserved=0)

***40. Title*: American Society on Aging Generations Forum - Ageism to Age Inclusion**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This virtual, interactive webinar will cover ways to recognize and push back

against ageism, and integrate more representative, realistic aspects of aging into their

work.

***Date/Time:***  September 27 – October 1, 2021

***Link:*** <https://asaging.org/generations-forums>

***41. Title:* Connecting Vulnerable Seniors to Nutrition Assistance Through a Managed Care**

**Plan**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** In this webinar, the research team led by Benefits Data Trust and the UPMC

Center for High-Value Healthcare will discuss their study highlighting the health and

economic effects of a novel health plan strategy to increase benefit program enrollment.

***Date/Time:*** Wednesday, September 29, 2021; 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

***Link:*** <https://ucdenver.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Vnhx07PjTqCPaVSSCQwQ-Q>

***42. Title*: 33rd Annual Suicide Prevention Conference**

***Date/Time:*** Wednesday, October 6, 2021

***Description:*** National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) leaders, Dr. Crystal Barksdale,

Dr. Stephen O’Connor, and Dr. Jane Pearson, will discuss their work in suicide prevention

and mental health research.

Click <https://bit.ly/2QEsKSQ> for more information.

***43. Title*: 4th Annual Health Literacy in Action**

***Date/Time:*** October 14-15, 2021

More information will be posted on this website as it becomes available

<https://hlactionconf.com/>

***44. Title*: 39th NAMI Maryland Annual Conference**

(Registration is required)

***Date/Time:*** October 15-16, 2021

***Description:*** The NAMI Maryland Virtual Annual Conference is about hope, ideas, and

gaining new skills. The goal is to learn about the latest research, discover resources that

you may not have known were there, develop a talent for advocacy, and foster a better

understanding of issues relating to mental illness.

For more information about the conference, please contact [connection@namimd.org](mailto:connection@namimd.org)

***Link:*** <https://conftrac.com/#/registration/attendee/?domain=NAMI21>

***45. Title*: 2nd Annual Racism and Mental Health Symposium**

***Date/Time:*** Wednesday, December 8, 2021

For more information about the symposium, please contact

[mdh.mdmindhealth@maryland.gov](mailto:mdh.mdmindhealth@maryland.gov)

**SELF-PACED COURSES AND ON-GOING SUPPORT PROGRAMS**

***46. Title:* Applying CDC’s Guidelines for Prescribing Opioids: Module 5: Assessing and**

**Addressing Opioid Use Disorder (OUD)**

***Description***: This module will cover the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental

Disorders, Fifth Addition (DSM-5) assessment criteria, and explore how to discuss this

diagnosis with patients. Additionally, this training seeks to increase practitioners`

understanding of the different types of medications used for medication assisted

therapy (MAT) for OUD.

For more information, visit <https://bit.ly/37psNqV>

***47. Title:* Maryland Department of Health Training: Project Firstline**

***Description***: This CDC-developed training and engagement opportunities include short,

accessible training videos, virtual interactive events, and telementoring to ensure every

worker in every healthcare setting is empowered with the science and reasoning behind

essential infection control practices.

***Link:*** <https://www.cdc.gov/infectioncontrol/projectfirstline/index.html>

The Maryland Department of Health asks that participants take this Learning Needs Survey

at <https://redcap.link/lqu3olbl>. The target audience includes staff members at all levels

from physicians, nurses, and assistants to environmental services team members.

***48. Title:* Waitlist for Spanish Language Living Well with Chronic Disease Class**

For more information, visit[https://bit.ly/TomandoListadeEspera](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fbit.ly%2FTomandoListadeEspera&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Ced8c5814fd1d45ab19b808d94889205e%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637620576102963923%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=8YcCwR%2BKSUlLpvlmFrlEsoSyN7buxPMUAxqvkh0AWjc%3D&reserved=0)

***49. Title:* Maryland Commitment to Veterans**

***Description***: Regional Resource Coordinators are devoted to assisting any Maryland

resident who has served or is currently serving in the US Armed Services (Active duty,

Guard or Reserve) and their families, with access to mental health and substance use

services.

MCV also provides: Case management, Referral services, Peer support, Suicide prevention,

Weekly or bi-weekly check-ins through their special program, MCV Operation Roll Call, and

Training and Education. Calls accepted 24/7 at 1-877-770-4801.

For more information, visit <https://bha.health.maryland.gov/veterans/Pages/Home.aspx>

***50. Title*: Diabetes Support Group (Virtual via Zoom)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This support group will provide you with social and emotional support, as well

as educational resources to help you with managing your diabetes.

***Date/Time:*** Third Thursday of Every Month; 10:00 am - 11:30 am and 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

***Link:*** <https://events.hcgh.hopkinsmedicine.org/event/journey-to-better-health/diabetes-support-group>

Please email Kristine Batty, NP at [kbatty2@jhmi.edu](mailto:kbatty2@jhmi.edu) for more information.

***51. Title:* Disability Rights Maryland (DRM) Virtual Q&A Sessions**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** Disability Rights Maryland’s Education Team is hosting a weekly Facebook Live Q&A session to answer parents' most pressing questions about distance learning for students with disabilities as a response to the coronavirus pandemic. There’s one Q&A live session held each month for Spanish-speaking parents. Captioning is provided in real time and past videos are available on the DRM Facebook page with full captioning at

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/DisabilityRightsMD/videos/>

***Date/Time:*** Every Wednesday from 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

***Link:***<https://bit.ly/3mQPTfX>

More information about Disability Rights Maryland can be found at

[https://disabilityrightsmd.org/](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http:%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2Fg2hq1rE4GwbJGHlE5Vi1DQ~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRiBqjIP0QfaHR0cHM6Ly9kaXNhYmlsaXR5cmlnaHRzbWQub3JnL1cHc2Nob29sbUIKYCFIdSVgfFYHXFIaa2tlc2xlckBob3dhcmRjb3VudHltZC5nb3ZYBAAAAAE~&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Cdc34a008f9b64003b5a508d8d29586e1%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637490886934358412%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=cycNUIp%2FhDj8OViSrYFfW6ldijlJCw7f0qRckfatTvE%3D&reserved=0)

***52. Title***: [**National Center on Disability in Public Health**](https://nationalcenterdph.org/)

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This Prepared4ALL Affiliate group aims to mobilize disability organizations

and their networks to foster connections with emergency and public health

professionals to build trust, create sustainable relationships, and get a seat at the

emergency planning table. Monthly Townhalls are held on the third Wednesday of every

month.

* + Wednesday, August 18, 2021 at 1:00 pm
  + Wednesday, September 15, 2021 at 1:00 pm
  + Wednesday, October 20, 2021 at 1:00 pm
  + Wednesday, November 17, 2021 at 1:00 pm
  + Wednesday, December 15, 2021 at 1:00 pm

***Link:*** <https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJ0scOCqqz0vH9ZFpWR92X2cFhyZJV2SJ4bD>

***53. Title***: **National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)**

NAMI support groups for parents/caregivers of children and adolescents with behavioral

health challenges. No diagnosis is necessary.

***Parent/Caregiver Support Group for School-Aged Students -*** Second Monday of each

Month.

***Parent/Caregiver Support Group for TAY (Transition Age Youth) -*** Third Thursday of each

Month.

Register for either group at <https://bit.ly/3rKwUp4>

***Title: NAMI Basics on Demand***

This six-session online education program is for parents/caregivers of youth aged 22 or

younger who are experiencing behavioral health challenges. No specific diagnosis is

necessary.

Sign up at: <https://publiccourseapi.nami.org/Learner/Login?ReturnUrl=%2F>

Sponsored by National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Howard County,

<https://namihowardcounty.org/>.

For more information about any of this online program or NAMI, please visit

[info.namihc@gmail.com](mailto:info.namihc@gmail.com) or 410-772-9300

***54. Title:* Howard County Commission for Veterans and Military Families**

***Description:*** The commission meets monthly on the 1st Thursday of the month. Its purpose is to assure that Veterans and military family’s issues are addressed effectively and efficiently. For more information, email [veterans@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:veterans@howardcountymd.gov) with questions.

***55. Title:* University of Maryland Study Seeking Veterans**

***Description:*** Have you experienced a traumatic event in your life? Do thoughts about this experience affect you now? Do you use alcohol to get relief? We are conducting a research study of a medication that may help people who have experienced a traumatic event feel better and drink less. Traumatic events are things like physical or sexual assault, war zone exposure, serious accidents, and natural disasters. To learn more, go to: [http://www.rethinkyourdrinking.org/](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Flnks.gd%2Fl%2FeyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMTcsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMTA0MDkuMzg1MDE1NzEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwOi8vd3d3LnJldGhpbmt5b3VyZHJpbmtpbmcub3JnLyJ9.GbxbyTWR_h8ufdQP-Ezalpi6Oohkz8cvkNhzHNq1eRE%2Fs%2F865979351%2Fbr%2F101736786288-l&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C5805858505a747fdd21908d8fb586a11%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637535704445825699%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=%2B8uEujXP1MVXoek%2FWhGPsLONTTDqk5kjpp129wYsd5M%3D&reserved=0), email us at [rethinkyourdrinking@som.umaryland.edu](mailto:rethinkyourdrinking@som.umaryland.edu), or contact us by phone (410) 402-6412.

***56. Title*: Howard County Seniors Together Virtual Group Offering**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** Seniors Together groups offer older adults the opportunity to join in weekly virtual discussions on a variety of topics. Stay connected while staying home!

***Group 1: Think Positive Group*** Every Monday from 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

***Group 2: Caregiver Support Group*** Every Monday from 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

***Group 3: Men’s Roundtable*** Every Tuesday from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

***Group 4: Low Vision Support Group*** Every Tuesday from 1:00 pm – 2:15 pm

***Group 5: Newstalk*** Every Thursday from 10:00 am – 11:30 am

***Group 6: Brainteasers*** Every Thursday from 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm

***Group 7: Open Mind Group*** Every Friday from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

***Group 8: Trenders*** Every Friday from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/2HQ7qGe>

***57. Title:* The Suicide Prevention Resource Center**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** The Suicide Prevention Resource Center is offering a free online course

[Locating and Understanding Data for Suicide Prevention](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fr20.rs6.net%2Ftn.jsp%3Ff%3D001eHWYXQwmQQFCnR1Dep9Ih79EcGGDQt8XLhayxTxm23zXSKT8J-bF8vA59c8bYRMOckH_AvtztauSOac_5Srl3zmB9sGR2W9Cn-7LObj9GNAH4pAVQ2lm0bi4Wdu3-7BUtIP3eNX8Uoulnyd8MKYKzoL9UhcZ8CWkwMqbp5xD9usy2iAkZb-QBA%3D%3D%26c%3D4UmRdv5sFc5LFDADbzcFNR4MgnV4r8aYwUtmKvAGTJ_TbVdcbQRq5Q%3D%3D%26ch%3DmjtsqEyDWZlpKysy0CmI92UfaFbC_Pjo5-3NhbQnoU5CohohoIGDxw%3D%3D&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Caccc32d7b0ba4f3798f708d8f83e4ec1%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637532293802820875%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=C3%2FDnBRI%2FB425Ih4wVUv%2FG7SboI4vAb0BPRFXQIOXQg%3D&reserved=0). The course explores a variety of

commonly used data sources for information on suicide deaths and attempts, suicidal

ideation, and related factors—as well as new frontiers in suicide surveillance, such as

interactive dashboards and real-time data collection.

**58. Title: Maryland Cancer Collaborative (MCC)**

***Description:*** MCC is recruiting members to new workgroups (Tobacco Cessation Support,

HPV, Vaccination Awareness, Cancer Risk Factors, High Risk Population Community,

Outreach, and Cancer Survivorship Education) to create action plans to implement their

Priorities.

***Link:*** <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MCCworkgroups>

If you have questions, please contactBrian Mattinglyat[brian.mattingly@maryland.gov](mailto:brian.mattingly@maryland.gov)

***59. Title:*** **An Ace Up Our Sleeves: The COVID-19 Vaccine Rollout Revealed Our Strengths and**

**Our Neglected Public Health Infrastructure**

***Description:*** This editorial in the *Journal of Public Health Management & Practice* explores

how a segmented and uncoordinated approach to COVID-19 vaccine rollout led to

inequitable and inaccessible distribution. Heather H. Pierce, JD, MPH, AAMC senior director

for science policy, is the author.

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/3e6nWOa>

***60. Title:* The University at Albany School of Public Health**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** The University at Albany School of Public Health has selected some of their

most popular activities to engage you in learning more about "Building Bridges to Better

Health". One course is called Addressing Health Equity: A Public Health Essential

<https://phtc-online.org/learning/?courseId=41&status=all&sort=group> and the other

course is called Raising Community Voices to Reduce Maternal Mortality

<https://www.albany.edu/cphce/phl_032819.shtml>

***61. Title:* The University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** The University at Albany School of Dental Medicine has created a new

continuing education series to help improve access to dental care for people with

Disabilities <https://bit.ly/2Q2X5uC>

***62. Title:* RCA Academy Courses**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** RCA Academy has launched online courses to better serve everyone in the

Behavioral Health industry during the COVID-19 pandemic. These free courses are eligible

for 1 or 2 NBCC or NAADAC credits each. For more information, please click this link:

<https://bit.ly/3fzvRUW>

***63. Title:* Vaping and Oral Health: Seeing Through Clouds (Recorded Webinar)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This recorded webinar will include three speakers that share latest evidence

on e-cigarette and resources for providers. They will also describe the vaping epidemic and

ingredients in vape pens that interact with the oral biome; share the latest evidence of the

impacts of vaping on the oral mucosa and locate the latest resources on vaping use

implications for patients, especially targeted youth.

***Link:*** <https://ebusiness.ada.org/education/viewcourse.aspx?id=536>

***64. Title:* Boosting Vaccine Confidence in Minority Populations Specific Strategies to**

**Encourage and Educate Your Patients (On-Demand Webinar)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This 90-minute on-demand webinar explores the current data on COVID-19

vaccination rates among communities of color and illuminates the sources of vaccination

reluctance in minority populations.

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/2VFzaUW>

***65. Title*: Underlying Medical Conditions and Severe COVID-19: Evidence-based Information**

**for Healthcare Providers**

***Description:*** During this COCA Call, presenters will update clinicians on the underlying

medical conditions associated with severe COVID-19, describe the methods used to rate

the evidence linking conditions to severe COVID-19, review the evidence on risk for

conditions included, and provide resources for healthcare providers caring for patients with

underlying medical conditions.

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/3cy4udl>

***66. Title:* Caring for Woman Veterans in the Community**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** During this COCA Call, presenters will update clinicians on the underlying

medical conditions associated with severe COVID-19, describe the methods used to rate

the evidence linking conditions to severe COVID-19, review the evidence on risk for

conditions included, and provide resources for healthcare providers caring for patients with

underlying medical conditions.

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/3grQlzl>

***67. Title:* Effective Communication for Healthcare Teams**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This interactive training course aims to raise the quality of interactions

between health care professionals and patients by providing an interactive guide to

understanding health literacy, cultural competency and limited English proficiency.

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/2Tn0hTe>

***68. Title:* A Public Health Approach to Alzheimer’s and Other Dementias**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** This introductory curriculum that is intended to increase awareness of the

impact of Alzheimer’s disease and other dementias as well as the role of public health. This

curriculum addresses cognitive health, cognitive impairment, and Alzheimer’s disease and

is intended for use by undergraduate faculty in schools and programs of public health and

6other related disciplines.

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/3g9EVBC>

**69. *Title:* Parents’ Place of Maryland (PPMD)**  
 PPMD continually releases new resources to support Maryland families of children with

disabilities and special health care needs. Click the links below to view some of our newest

Information.

**Building Independence** -

[https://www.ppmd.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/Independence-TIES-SPED-](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2F7FX-7tyQKYZ79oIJTteTBw~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRirifbP0RKaHR0cDovL2ZpbGU6Ly8vVXNlcnMvYXNjaG9sei9Eb3dubG9hZHMvSW5kZXBlbmRlbmNlLVRJRVMtU1BFRC0zLjIwMjEtMi5wZGZXB3NjaG9vbG1CCmDIW_TMYOERjqtSGmtrZXNsZXJAaG93YXJkY291bnR5bWQuZ292WAQAAAAB&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Cbe442cd121bb4048198208d934b8adcd%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637598790072078496%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=3ujXMMtwxJGyFE3rdlkI6t1g%2FdVee1e9kIS3wRcFLDY%3D&reserved=0) 3.2021.pdf  
 **IEP checklist for Parents of Students with the Most Significant Cognitive Disabilities -**

[https://www.ppmd.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/IEP-Checklist-TIES-SPED-3.2021.pdf](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2FpOwBIDM_m_wG4q1sIOvpAg~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRirifbP0RLaHR0cDovL2ZpbGU6Ly8vVXNlcnMvYXNjaG9sei9Eb3dubG9hZHMvSUVQLUNoZWNrbGlzdC1USUVTLVNQRUQtMy4yMDIxLTIucGRmVwdzY2hvb2xtQgpgyFv0zGDhEY6rUhpra2VzbGVyQGhvd2FyZGNvdW50eW1kLmdvdlgEAAAAAQ~~&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Cbe442cd121bb4048198208d934b8adcd%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637598790072098405%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=bGCJ9AgxdrPPHO8MK678TE6WkvGm30yKEC9ktujVWXE%3D&reserved=0) **Present Levels of Academic Achievement and Functional Performance (PLAAFP) -**

[https://www.ppmd.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/PLAAFP-TIES-SPED-3.2021.pdf](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2FQ4WxBcoRvSSKv3t35iXLLg~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRirifbP0RFaHR0cHM6Ly9maWxlOi8vL1VzZXJzL2FzY2hvbHovRG93bmxvYWRzL1BMQUFGUC1USUVTLVNQRUQtMy4yMDIxLTIucGRmVwdzY2hvb2xtQgpgyFv0zGDhEY6rUhpra2VzbGVyQGhvd2FyZGNvdW50eW1kLmdvdlgEAAAAAQ~~&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7Cbe442cd121bb4048198208d934b8adcd%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637598790072108360%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=wVaSzK3EYkZQOu2cTXWzCiAyNgatwON29RT2mAyrV84%3D&reserved=0)

***70. Title:* Behavior Talks – Resources to Support Student Success**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** Behavior Talks is a series of brief trainings for parents/caregivers created by

HCPSS staff. Each video shares useful tips to promote student success related to behavior,

social/emotional needs, organization/self-management at home, and more. Current videos

include:

* Being a Flexible Thinker
* Breaking Down a Task
* Giving Feedback and Praise
* Making a Schedule & Setting Expectations

***Link:*** [https://www.hcpss.org/special-education/behavior-talks/](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2FK0lgjUpAFXwoz9urTVp0QA~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRi0Ld5P0Q3aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuaGNwc3Mub3JnL3NwZWNpYWwtZWR1Y2F0aW9uL2JlaGF2aW9yLXRhbGtzL1cHc2Nob29sbUIKYO75g-9g2xK9YVIaa2tlc2xlckBob3dhcmRjb3VudHltZC5nb3ZYBAAAAAE~&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C6fa73c6da4c742b9aaad08d947b78497%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637619675796803855%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=WWTAbzewIjBG3KNYVhpgtGkhMuuz18RQblX0jCKtR1U%3D&reserved=0)

***71. Title:* Empowering Parents as Partners Presentations Online**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** The presentations from the HCPSS Empowering Parents as Partners

Conference and the opening session by Dr. Terri Savage are posted on the HCPSS website

on the Special Education page.

***Link:*** [https://www.hcpss.org/special-education/](https://gcc02.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Ftrack.spe.schoolmessenger.com%2Ff%2Fa%2F_5rA3aXayBm0KVNm0Et44w~~%2FAAAAAQA~%2FRgRi0Ld5P0QoaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cuaGNwc3Mub3JnL3NwZWNpYWwtZWR1Y2F0aW9uL1cHc2Nob29sbUIKYO75g-9g2xK9YVIaa2tlc2xlckBob3dhcmRjb3VudHltZC5nb3ZYBAAAAAE~&data=04%7C01%7Croldham%40howardcountymd.gov%7C6fa73c6da4c742b9aaad08d947b78497%7C0538130803664bb7a95b95304bd11a58%7C1%7C0%7C637619675796813808%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=vaiWlH0gVQKT0K%2FgEb49AOBPGCtPO6pingCLRawSH8k%3D&reserved=0)

**72. Health Equity and Racism Summer Series (Recorded Webinar)**

(Registration is required)

***Description:*** These recorded webinars from New England Public Health Training Center will

offer valuable lessons on Health Equity and the medically underserved communities.

**Health Haves, Health Nots in a time of Covid-19**

<https://www.nephtc.org/enrol/index.php?id=187>

[**Systemic Inequities that Impact Black Lives and Communities of Color in Connecticut**](https://www.nephtc.org/course/view.php?id=208)

<https://www.nephtc.org/enrol/index.php?id=208>

[**Engaging Indigenous Communities in Health Equity Activities**](https://www.nephtc.org/course/view.php?id=193)

<https://www.nephtc.org/enrol/index.php?id=193>

**73. Exploring Asian American and Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander identity and health equity**

**(Registration is required)**

***Description:*** This recorded webinar from the University of Wisconsin Population Health

Institute examines the complexity of Asian American and Native Hawaiian/Pacific

Islanders as a group and better understand the need to break down data and understand

the multiple ethnicities within the group to achieve health and racial equity.

***Link:*** [***https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/learn-from-others/webinars/exploring-***](https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/learn-from-others/webinars/exploring-asian-american-and-native-hawaiianpacific-islander-identity-and-health-equity) ***asian-american-and-native-hawaiianpacific-islander-identity-and-health-equity***

**74. Achieving Health Equity for People with Disabilities During the Pandemic and Beyond**

**(Registration is required)**

***Description:*** This recorded webinar explored these challenges and showcase strategies to

address the diverse needs of people living with disabilities and work toward health equity.

***Link:*** <https://bit.ly/3s6yZgW>

**OTHER RESOURCES/RESEARCH/ARTICLES/UPDATES**

**Health Access, Equity and Disparity**

* CDC: COVID-19 Vaccine Safety in Adolescents Aged 12–17 Years — United States, December 14, 2020–July 16, 2021 <https://bit.ly/3s0hTkP>
* CDC: Outbreak of SARS-CoV-2 Infections, Including COVID-19 Vaccine Breakthrough Infections, Associated with Large Public Gatherings — Barnstable County, Massachusetts, July 2021 <https://bit.ly/3AkfowV>
* Children Living in Poverty Even in Healthy Counties <https://bit.ly/3jycEoC>
* The Inaugural America’s Health Rankings Health Disparities Report released by United Health Foundation <https://www.americashealthrankings.org/learn/reports/2021-disparities-report>
* CMS Proposes Physician Payment Rule to Improve Health Equity, Patient Access

<https://go.cms.gov/37urxCI>

* Affordable Housing as a Key Piece of Older Adults’ Long-Term Services and Supports: Solutions that Consider the Whole Equation <https://bit.ly/3yyumyH>
* Racial Inequality in Prescription Opioid Receipt — Role of Individual Health Systems

<https://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/NEJMsa2034159>

* Journal of Medical Internet Research - Role of Health Literacy in Health-Related Information-Seeking Behavior Online: Cross-sectional Study

<https://www.jmir.org/2021/1/e14088/PDF>

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* A Guide for Community Partners Increasing COVID-19 Vaccine Uptake Among Members of Racial and Ethnic Minority Communities; Guidance for Vaccinating Older Adults and People with Disabilities: Ensuring Equitable COVID-19 Vaccine Access; Minority Health Social Vulnerability Index

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