

# Call for Poster Abstracts

Tenth Annual Community Health Worker Conference

**Community Health Workers: Civic and Community Engagement – Telling Our Stories**

**Thursday August 24 2017**

Eberhard Center

Grand Valley State University

301 West Fulton

Grand Rapids, MI 49504-6495

Spectrum Health Healthier Communities welcomes abstracts that highlight extraordinary jobs that Community Health Workers perform in their communities. Abstracts will be considered that show Community Health Workers (CHW) in innovative and effective roles in the community they serve. The committee will review and choose abstracts for the conference.

Abstracts should be brief, emphasizing clearly their relevance to CHW practice and how the information presented can be applied in a universal setting.

**Submission requirements:**

Limit abstract to 300 words

- One page
- Typed and double spaced
- Complete attached Presenter Contact Form

Abstracts should include the following:

- Need for the program
- Goals and objectives of the program
- Number of years program in operation
- Community Health Worker's roles in the program
  - How did the CHW's roles in service delivery improve outcome care and education in the program?
  - What external and internal support mechanisms were available for the CHW in providing services for the program?
  - What innovative documentation/evaluation strategies were developed to capture the CHW's impact on individuals, communities and systems?
  - What role did CHW's play in politics, policy and advocacy efforts related to the establishment of this program?

**Poster Presenters:** Registration fee will be waived for only one person per poster

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If submitting abstracts with more than one participant, please include additional presenter forms.  
Registration fee will be waived for only one person per poster.

Please email or fax your abstract and presenter form by **Friday, July 7, 2017**

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