

Call for Poster Abstracts/Exhibit Tables

Eleventh Annual Community Health Worker Conference

Community Health Workers Leading Change at the Forefront of the Community: Being the Change You Want to See

Thursday August 23 2018

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 Abstracts/Exhibit Table Fee:

- Spectrum Health exhibitors are free (one person per table)*
- Non-spectrum health exhibitor fee is \$40.00 dollars (one person per table)*
*(includes one free registration, table, chair, conference materials and meals)

If your agency is interested in being a Sponsor of the conference, please contact
Susie.williamson@spectrumhealth.org

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Job Title: _____

Email Address: _____

Abstract Title: _____

Agency: _____

Agency Address: _____

Contact Number: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____

Supervisor's Email Address: _____

Supervisor's Contact Number: _____

All attendees must register. If submitting abstracts with more than one participant, additional participants will be charged general admission fee.

Please email or fax your abstract and exhibitor form by – **Friday, July 20, 2018 (deadline extended)**

To:

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Abstract Committee
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