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Health Impact Ohio Graduates Third Class of Certified Community Health Workers

By: Heidi Christman, Chief Operating Officer, Health Impact Ohio

Health Impact Ohio proudly graduated our third cohort of the Central Ohio Pathways HUB CHW Certification Program in May. The CHW Certification program is led by

Health Impact Ohio's HUB Education Director, Dr. Tanikka Price in collaboration with the HUB Project Manager, Mary Mutegi. Dr. Price and Ms. Mutegi worked to bring in a variety of instructors, including fellow Health Impact Ohio staff, as well as experts in a diverse set of subject matter from around the state of Ohio.

Class Demographics

This outstanding class of twenty-four participants is our first group that came from across the state of Ohio, unlike previous cohorts that have been exclusively from Central Ohio. There were 22 participants that identified as female, and two that identified as male. Ten participants identified their race/ethnicity as white, ten as Black or African American, and one as Asian or Indian. We were thrilled to welcome people with the following employment backgrounds:

- Anthem
- Carmella Rose Health Foundation
- Bridges to Wellness Tuscarawrus County HUB
- Columbus Developmental Center
- Insurance Navigator
- MetroHealth Medical Center
- Neidig Health Care
- Physicians CareConnection
- Pregnant with Possibilities Resource center
- PrimaryOne Health
- Ross County Health District
- Senior Resource Connection
- St. Mary's Development
- United Church Homes
- United Way of Greater Cleveland
- Unemployed
- Self-Employed

Class valedictorian, Kouzan Abdullah said of the course, "They say that web classes are not engaging. I defer that. We were at every corner of the state, yet we became closer than many of us are with some of our own family members."

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Insights from the Blog





Health Impact Ohio Announces the Launch of New Website and Highlights Important Updates

By: Brittany Daniels, Director of Operations & Communications, Health Impact Ohio

Health Impact Ohio is excited to announce the launch of our new website as part of our continued rebrand. You can now find us at https://www.healthimpactohio.org.

As part of our rebrand, Health Impact Ohio's board and executive leadership focused on who we are as an organization, what we do as an organization, and how we want to share our work with the community and our partners. We have chosen to create a clean, modern website design with improved site navigation that allows our website users more efficient ways to find essential information and better represents Health Impact Ohio as an organization. Users will notice a focus on interactive, graphic dashboards to provide a visual representation of our mission, vision, and project work. New data dashboards will showcase the work of various Health Impact Ohio projects, including the management of the Central Ohio Pathways HUB.

Highlights for our New Website Include:

- New niche content that reflects our specific project work and sector areas that we work in.
- A restructured Event Calendar will showcase all the work and events that Health Impact Ohio will host and participate in.
- A revamped Meet the Team page focuses on Health Impact Ohio staff, consultants, and board members.
- The New Central Ohio Pathways HUB page includes new graphics and an interactive data dashboard that will be updated regularly.
- The new CHW Certification page will provide information about our CHW Certification Program, answer common questions, and provide information about upcoming sessions and application deadlines.

We will frequently be adding new content to our website, including project updates, updated data dashboard information, blog posts, events, news, and more. Also, check out our social media channels for more Health Impact Ohio updates.

Updates from the HUB





Community Health Worker Profile Project

Health Impact Ohio continued its Community Health Worker (CHW) Profile Project, interviewing various Central Ohio Pathways HUB CHWs on their experiences and successes.

This month, Health Impact Ohio's Education Director, Dr. Tanikka Price, interviewed Kouzan Abdullah, a recent graduate of Health Impact Ohio's CHW Certification Program. Kouzan shared her experience completing the CHW Certification Program and shared insights for others considering becoming a CHW. Find more CHW interviews **here**.

Read Full Interview Here



IN THE CENTRAL OHIO PATHWAYS HUB

Active Clients

627

4,110

Total Clients Served 27,798

Pathways Initiated 20,749

Pathways Completed 1,827

Central Ohio

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Educations Related to COVID-19



Recent News & Events



Register Now For Our June Conference!

Health Impact Ohio is partnering with our fellow Ohio Regional Healthcare Improvement Collaboratives to facilitate a conference on The Future of Healthcare. Join us, virtually or in person, in June as we welcome our keynote speaker, Kelly Kelleher, from Nationwide Children's Hospital to discuss the future state of healthcare in Ohio.

Click Here to Register Learn More About Our Keynote Here

HIO and CMHA Speak at Housing Is Summit

This month, our Chief of Policy and Partnerships and Chief Executive Officer of the Central Ohio Pathways HUB, Jenelle Hoseus, presented a joint presentation at the *Housing Is* Summit in Washington D.C. along with our partners at Columbus Metropolitan Housing Authority (CMHA). Jenelle and her co-presenter were able to highlight the amazing work that our Central Ohio Pathways HUB CHWs and CMHA are doing in our local community as well as, provide an in-depth overview of the HUB model and the impact the Central Ohio Pathways HUB has in Central Ohio.



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Here

Our Emails Have Changed!

Effective May 2nd, as part of our rebrand process, our emails changed to an @healthimpactohio tag line. See our updated staff directory below:

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Read More About Our Rebrand Here

<u>April 2022 Affordable Housing Alliance Of</u> <u>Central Ohio, Housing & Gender Report</u>

Ohio Medicaid Basics Update: Trends in Enrollment and Expenditures During the COVID-19 Pandemic

<u>Lessons Learned: Making Medications Safer</u> <u>for Older Adults</u>

Prioritizing Mental Health Care In America

<u>How to Avoid Passing Anxiety on to Your Kids</u>

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