

CHWs in Southeast PA

Summer 2023

NEWS YOU CAN USE

Greetings from Southeast PA AHEC!

You are receiving this email because you attended Community Health Worker training with us and we wanted to check in to let you know what opportunities there are for CHWs in our region.

Please remember that the Southeast PA AHEC is here to support you in your work as a CHW! If you are not certified yet and need help getting certified, or if you are certified and need help finding continuing education for recertification, contact Liz Kiefer at ekiefer@sepaahec.org.



CHW STATEWIDE TASK FORCE

Interested in networking with other CHWs in the state? Want to get involved in CHW workforce advocacy at the state level? Consider joining the CHW Statewide Task Force, a group just for CHWs. If you would like to join, please contact Fern Gilkerson at fern.gilkerson@temple.edu.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Pennsylvania AHEC CHW Continuing Education Series

The PA Area Health Education Center's new Training Center for Health Equity, and Project ECHO at Penn State College of Medicine, are offering a monthly series of free continuing education for Community Health Workers (CHWs). To register for the series, visit their site here: <https://www.pachw.org/project-echo>

Screening Without Stigma: Health Literate Ways to Ask Hard Questions!

The Pennsylvania Health Literacy Coalition will be presenting this two-day health literacy summit on Tuesday, June 6 from 1pm-4pm and Wednesday, June 7 from 9am-12pm. To register for free, visit: <https://hcifonline.us11.list-manage.com/track/click?u=05f0e2a1383844c020574c5a6&id=bcc76c47248e&rd=7ebaa06>

CHW Self-Care Series

Join the Southwest PA AHEC for a "lunch & learn" about important types of self-care, mental health self-care, and avoiding burnout for CHWs. Continuing education credits will be available for those who complete the three-part series. Register here: https://www.pachw.org/service-page/chw-self-care-series?referral=service_list_widget