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The case for culturally and linguistically responsive health care

THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 2021 ♦ 1:00 to 3:15 PM

SESSION THREE- Reducing Implicit Bias in Health Care: Moving Toward Equal Treatment

This interactive session will address recognizing implicit bias held by providers/practitioners during the clinical encounter, health care institutions and even patients. With a focus on the harmful impacts of implicit bias on patient health, care quality and equal treatment, the expert presenter will also offer evidence-based tools to reduce bias and ultimately racial and other health disparities.

ABOUT OUR PRESENTER:

Stacie L. Walton, MD, MPH, is a clinical and academic pediatrician who has served as a medical consultant for health care providers and institutions for over 25 years. Recently retired from Kaiser Permanente in the roles of Diversity Champion and Communication Consultant, she has provided trainings on cultural competence for health care providers in multiple venues across the United States and Puerto Rico.

Recently, her nationally renowned cultural competency work addresses the impacts of implicit bias and privilege in patient interactions and health outcomes, while offering strategies for decreasing hidden biases in both personal and professional settings. Her long-standing commitment to advancing racial healing and equity in communities across the United States is evidenced by her work in national racial healing transformation and relationship building initiatives.



TARGET AUDIENCE: Health care practitioners & managers, public health staff, QI directors, social workers, mental health & addictions counselors, community health workers*, and qualified medical interpreters*.

Cost to attend the online session is \$35*.

Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/2hhpesex>. Preferred browser is Chrome.

**This program is free for community health workers, qualified medical interpreters and post-secondary health professions students. Please register here: <https://tinyurl.com/sn4rvkct>.*

Continuing education contact hours will be available.

This is a program of the Northern Vermont Area Health Education Center (AHEC).
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