

Community Health Worker

Core Competency Skills Course



Course Schedule:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Starts: Monday, August 31

Ends: Friday, October 23

Time: 9 AM – 1 PM CT



Location: TBD

Enroll Today



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CHW Coursework

This course will prepare students to serve as Community Health Workers (CHWs). The primary role of a CHW is to connect the community with the current health and social service systems in place by addressing identified health disparities with the goal of improving health outcomes overall. Community Health Workers are strategically placed in settings that have historically caused harm to their community members. Students will learn about pathways to whole person care through advocacy, outreach, policy, education, and social support.

The CHW Core Competency Skills Course satisfies the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) and Missouri Credentialing Board (MCB) requirements. The Community Health Council of Wyandotte County is an official Kansas CHW curriculum provider.

This course will be entirely virtual and will meet three times per week totaling 160 hours (80 in-person + 20 self paced/guided + 60 service learning): Mondays, Wednesday, Friday. Upon successful completion, students will qualify to apply for and become credentialed through the MCB and Kansas Community Health Worker Coalition registry (KCHWC).

Course Requisites

- Proficient reading and writing in the English language.
- Access to the internet and a computer.
- Interested and motivated to learning about health equity.

Certification Eligibility

- Attend all sessions of the course.
- Successfully complete all required coursework.



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