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Housing as a Foundation of Health

Day 2 - October 15, Silver Spring Civic Building





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Safe and stable housing affects access to transportation, food security, high-quality education, and other social determinants of health. Today, the Primary Care Coalition (PCC) and guests will discuss the policy and funding environment needed to support strategic actionable links between housing and health systems.

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Agenda

8:30am - 9:00am **Breakfast and Registration**

9:00am - 9:30am **Opening Remarks**

Leslie Graham, President and CEO, *Primary Care Coalition*

Aseem Nigam, Director, *Montgomery County Department of Housing and Community Affairs*

9:30am - 10:15am **Moderated Panel Discussion**

Peggy Bailey, VP of Housing Policy, *Center on Budget and Policy Priorities*

Colleen Velez, Associate Director Federal TA, *Corporation for Supportive Housing*

Brian Rahmer, VP of Health and Housing, *Enterprise Community Partners*

Hillery Tsumba, Director Organizational Strategy, *Primary Care Coalition* (Moderator)

10:15am - 10:30am **Break**

10:30am - 11:15am **Health in All Policies Fireside Chat**

Amy Lindsey, Planner at Montgomery County Planning Department

Jennifer Pippins, Volunteer Clinician with Mobile Medical Care Inc. and PCC Board Member

11:15am - 12:00pm **Small Group Discussions**

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Speakers



Aseem Nigam was appointed Director of the Montgomery County Housing and Community Affairs Department in July, 2019. As housing director he is responsible for evaluating and implementing housing policy and community development, improving tenant-landlord relations, promoting affordable housing and ensuring sanitary living conditions. Nigam previously spent 15 years as the director of real estate, finance & grants management for the Fairfax County Redevelopment and Housing Authority in Virginia.

The mission of the Department of Housing and Community Affairs is to plan and implement activities which prevent and correct problems that contribute to the physical decline of residential and commercial areas; maintain a marketplace which is fair to both landlords and tenants; increase the supply of new affordable housing; maintain existing housing in a safe condition; and support community programs that benefit Montgomery County's residents.



Panelists

Peggy Bailey, VP of Housing Policy, *Center on Budget and Policy Priorities*

Ms. Bailey oversees the Center's work to protect and expand access to affordable housing for people with low incomes. Prior to becoming Vice President for Housing Policy, Bailey served as the director of "Connect the Dots: Bridging Systems for Better Health," a Center initiative that identifies opportunities to strengthen the link between housing programs and health policy.

Throughout her career, she has helped build connections between the housing community and health, nutrition, child welfare, and other systems of care amid the growing recognition that access to stable, affordable housing is a necessary foundation that enables low-income people to meet other basic needs. While at the Center, she has worked to bring the lessons learned from innovative state and local programs that coordinate housing and health services for highly vulnerable populations to national partners and policymakers. She has particularly focused on programs and policies that successfully integrate housing and services for people leaving the criminal justice system, people with histories of homelessness, and people with chronic behavioral or physical health conditions.

Colleen Velez, Associate Director Federal Technical Assistance,
Corporation for Supportive Housing (CSH)

CSH's mission is to advance solutions that use housing and services as a platform to improve the lives of the most vulnerable people, maximize public and private resources, and build healthy communities. CSH as a technical assistance provider through the Health Resources and Services Administration's (HRSA), provides practical and entrepreneurial strategies for health centers to improve health care access, housing stability, and outcomes for patients experiencing homelessness. CSH is an industry leader with national influence and deep connections in local communities.





Brian Rahmer, VP of Health and Housing, *Enterprise Community Partners*

Brian M. Rahmer, Ph.D., M.S., is vice president of Health and Housing at Enterprise Community Partners, Inc. In this role, Brian leads Enterprise's health and housing initiatives, bringing together the fields of public health, health care, and affordable housing for the creation and promotion of healthy communities nationwide.

Throughout his career, Brian has focused on impacting the social determinants of health and the socio-political forces that shape health outcomes. He has engaged partners across a diverse array of communities to better understand and respond to health inequalities while placing an advocacy emphasis on civic engagement for healthy public policy.

Amy Lindsey, Planner at Montgomery County Planning Department

Amy Lindsey has worked for 14 years for the Montgomery County Planning Department as a planner. She has a Master's Degree in Landscape Architecture from Morgan State University and became interested in the health impacts of physical design through her studies. Her specific area of research is children's access to open space. Amy is the Planning Department's representative to the Healthy Montgomery steering committee and the chair of Health In All Policies (HiAP) Workgroup.



Jennifer Pippins, Volunteer Clinician with Mobile Medical Care Inc. and PCC Board Member

Jennifer R. Pippins attended Harvard College and Harvard Medical School, and completed a combined internal medicine–pediatrics internship and residency at the Harvard Combined Med/Peds Program. After completing residency, she was a General Internal Medicine Research Fellow at Brigham and Women’s Hospital, where she focused on health disparities. She left Boston and relocated in the Washington, DC, area, first as an AcademyHealth Health Policy Fellow at the National Center for Health Statistics, and subsequently as a Medical Officer with FDA, in what is now the Division of Pulmonary, Allergy, and Rheumatology Drugs within FDA’s CDER/Office of New Drugs.

Dr. Pippins is a practicing clinician who volunteers at Mobile Medical Care, Inc. one of 10 independent safety-net clinic organizations participating in the Montgomery Cares program which is administered by the Primary Care Coalition.



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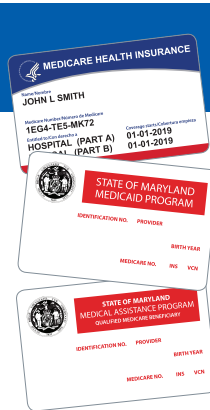
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