

Virtual Training Opportunity: Planning a Collaborative Community Health Assessment and Community Health Improvement Plan for your Unique Community

The Oregon Health Authority's [Transformation Center](#) is excited to announce a training opportunity for CCOs, local public health and tribal health departments, and hospitals that are collaboratively developing community health assessments (CHAs) and community health improvement plans (CHPs). This training is built on a distillation of best practices from several industries; the Mobilizing for Action through Planning and Partnerships model; and previous state CHA/CHP alignment work.

When:

- Training available from April 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021.
- The deadline for priority training requests is March 31, 2021; with final requests due by May 24, 2021. Please allow 30 days for training setup, starting from the date of request.
- Three unique trainings are available to be scheduled.

What: Three virtual training options.

1. CHA Only (three hours in length):

- ✓ CCO 2.0 - changes and requirements for CHAs
- ✓ Choosing the right model for CHA development
- ✓ Primary and secondary data collection & analysis
- ✓ Prioritizing and organizing the community's health needs

2. CHP Only (four hours in length):

- ✓ CCO 2.0 - changes and requirements for CHPs
- ✓ Prioritizing the community's health needs to be addressed
- ✓ Creating goals to address the community's health needs
- ✓ Developing a monitoring plan

3. CHA & CHP Overview (two hours in length):

- ✓ A higher-level overview and synthesis of trainings 1 and 2.
- ✓ This training is recommended in conjunction with training 1 or 2, but not if completing both training 2 & 3.

Who: OHA staff will work with participants to invite appropriate CCO, local public health and tribal health department, and hospital staff to the training. To ensure community collaboration, key partners invited to participate must include:

1. CCO staff & CAC members who are primarily responsible for CHA/CHP development & implementation.
2. Local public health and tribal health department staff who are primarily responsible for CHA/CHP development and implementation.
3. Hospital staff who are primarily responsible for community health needs assessment development and implementation.

OHA strongly encourages inviting the local mental health authority and/or community mental health program staff who are primarily responsible for community behavioral health outcomes. OHA also requires that CCOs with overlapping service areas participate in training together.

Note: OHA is only offering training if the primary CHA/CHP partners listed above in a region are interested in attending training together. OHA will not be offering trainings to individual organizations at this time.

Costs:

- OHA Transformation Center will provide the training at no cost to the participants.
- Participating organizations are responsible for any coordination for their staff.

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