



# Maryland Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities



## 2017 MOTA Awardees Program Information

Organization	Program Summary	County	Award Amount
St. Agnes Hospital Foundation	Offer the CDC evidenced based Diabetes Prevention Program (DPP) to decrease the incidence of diabetes. The program will focus on preventive care, health literacy, and self-management tools to pre-diabetic patients within the West Baltimore area.	Baltimore City	\$40,000
Holy Cross Health	Support the Minority Communities Empowerment Project by utilizing CHWs to provide culturally and linguistically appropriate outreach and education in the following diseases: cardiovascular diseases, obesity, diabetes, and tobacco use. Education will also include health insurance literacy and access.	Montgomery County	\$40,000
FIRN, Inc.	Utilize Community Health Workers (CHWs) to provide navigation services to improve enrollment to Maryland Health Benefit Exchange (MHBE). CHWs will also provide prevention education that addresses cardiovascular disease, diabetes, obesity, tobacco, asthma, cancer, and birth outcomes.	Howard County	\$40,000
La Clinica Del Pueblo	Provide Community-based health education that will increase awareness and knowledge of cardiovascular diseases, diabetes and obesity. Also provide screenings, linkage and navigation to care and health insurance to improve health outcomes for those at-risk for chronic diseases through an evidence-based intervention for weight loss. Trained <i>Promotores</i> will conduct the health education activities in Spanish.	Prince George's County	\$30,000

Asian American Center of Frederick	Provide education programs for pediatric asthma, diabetes, obesity, and hypertension. CHWs will be trained on best practices in transitional care for pediatric asthma patients. CHWs will then provide family, caretaker and community education on pediatric asthma management through home-based visits. Emphasis will be placed on preventable Emergency Department (ED) utilization.	Frederick County	\$40,000
Inner County Outreach	Implement an obesity prevention program within the minority population in Harford County. The program will focus on implementing a series of healthy cooking and exercise classes, a community garden, a 5k race and a health festival.	Harford County	\$30,000
Office Management and Technology, Inc.	Provide health education classes for Hispanic, African American and Native American communities in Baltimore County. Refer patients to an FQHC medical home and educate patients on the use of the patient portal.	Baltimore County	\$30,000
Access to Wholistic and Productive Living	Reduce the poor pregnancy outcomes among low income pregnant women living in Prince George's County. CHWs will be trained in maternal and child health care coordination services. CHWs will identify pregnant women and link them to care, provide smoking cessation services, recruitment into child birthing classes and home visitation programs.	Prince George's County	\$30,000
Community Empowerment Center, Inc.	Partner with churches and other community partners to provide educational workshops on pre-diabetes, diabetes and chronic disease management.	Wicomico County	\$30,000
Nueva Vida, Inc.	Using CHWs conduct "charlas" community workshops and health fairs that address cancer prevention and care. CHWs will also provide patient navigation serves and will link patient to psychosocial support. Program aims to address the cancer continuum within Latinas.	Baltimore County	\$30,000
Associated Black Charities	Create a more inclusive overall self-management tool-kit for the 100 Chronic Disease patients after self-management training - providing them with 2 follow-up sessions to insure that each is applying the skills developed through the training. Further enhance the effectiveness of the Health Enterprise Zone initiatives through self-management training as a further support for the Chronic Disease patients as a means to garner additional data through the completion of the assessment tools – Third Edition Living a Healthy	Dorchester County	\$25,000

	Life with Chronic Conditions “Living Well” curriculum post testing along with the client satisfaction surveys. (This can also be reported to the local FQHC as follow-up on patient referrals to Self-Management Education training programs.)		
Hands of Hope, Inc.	Provide community outreach, education, and technical assistance to minority communities regarding diabetes and cardiovascular disease. Sessions will address risk and protective factors related to prevention and management of cardiovascular disease and Diabetes. Workshop topics include “Know your risks-Lower your risks”; “Healthy Holiday Cooking”; Fit & Fabulous!” & “How to Live Well”.	Anne Arundel County	\$25,000
Chesapeake Multicultural Center	Conduct outreach, develop and implement health education and prevention activities for the following disease focus areas: cardiovascular disease, obesity, diabetes, cancer, high blood pressure, and arthritis.	Talbot County	\$25,000
Mount Olive African American Methodist Episcopal	Provide health education workshops on diabetes prevention and management as well as HIV prevention and care. Education will be provided in English and Spanish to meet the cultural and linguistic needs of the minority target populations.	Kent County	\$25,000
Minority Outreach Coalition	Provide services for tobacco use prevention. Activities will include: referrals to tobacco cessation classes, tobacco during pregnancy workshop, youth survey on e-cigarettes and e0cigarette awareness workshop.	St. Mary’s County	\$25,000
Taking Effective Action, Inc.	Implement an obesity prevention program for families such as <i>Fit Families/Fit Kids Program</i> to address obesity across the lifespan. The program will incorporate longitudinal physical and dietary activities for adults and children as well as BMI measurements.	Prince George’s County	\$25,000