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Today with Macrae: Health Center Program Updates

Thursday, June 27, 2024

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Vision: Healthy Communities, Healthy People



Today with Macrae

AGENDA

- June Observances
- Welcoming Our Chief Medical Officer
- ASPR's RISC Tool
- Funding and Program Updates
- Mark Your Calendar
- Q&A



Supporting the LGBTQI+ Community

National LGBTQIA+ Health Education Center

Optimize culturally affirming, patient centered, high-quality and cost-effective health care for LGBTQIA+ individuals

- [Learning Resources](#)
- [Pride Month 2024 Workshop](#)
- [Transgender Health & Medical-Legal Partnerships](#)



Level Up Your Self-love: Check Your Status



Share Your Photos with Us



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Explore Promising Practices in HIV Testing



Karena Senors, M.D.

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Welcoming Our Chief Medical Officer



Asad Bandealy, M.D., M.P.H.

Chief Medical Officer

Director, Office of Quality Improvement



Events That May Initiate Emergency Response

- Natural disasters
- Infectious diseases
- Man-made disasters
- Other possible dangers



Our Process

- Activation
- Communication
 - PCA team
 - PCAs
- Data collection and reporting



Key Resources

- [Emergency Preparedness, Response, and Recovery Resources for Health Centers](#)
- [Emergency Information Kit](#)
- Program Assistance Letters (PALs)
 - PAL 2024-01 [Temporary Privileging of Clinical Providers by Deemed Public Health Service Employee Health Centers Impacted by Certain Declared Emergencies or Other Emergency Situations](#) (PDF)
 - PAL 2024-02 [Instructions for Completing Federal Tort Claims Act Volunteer Health Professionals Emergency Deeming Sponsorship Applications](#) (PDF)
- [Federal Tort Claims Act \(FTCA\) Emergency Management Guide](#) (PDF)



Use the [BPHC Contact Form](#) if you have more questions as you prepare for emergency situations.



Evolving the Risk Assessment - The Risk Identification and Site Criticality Tool

CDR Thomas J. Christl

Director, Office of Critical Infrastructure Protection

Administration for Strategic Preparedness and Response (ASPR)



FY 2024/2025 Funding

New Program Funding

- **UDS+ Quality Improvement Awards (June 2024)**
 - \$55 million in one-time awards
- **Behavioral Health Service Expansion (September 2024)**
 - \$240 million (\$200 million for ongoing services/\$40M one-time funding)
- **Transitions in Care for Justice Involved Populations – Quality Improvement Fund (November 2024)**
 - \$51 million one-time awards
- **Expanded Hours (December 2024)**
 - \$60 million ongoing funding

Subject to Availability of Additional FY 2025 Funds

- **New Access Points (June 2025)**
 - \$50 million for ongoing services



Recently Released Awards

FY 2024 Quality Improvement Award: Uniform Data System Patient-Level Submission (QIA-UDS+)

- \$56 million, one-time award to all Health Center Program awardees
- Use enhanced technology to ensure high-quality, patient-level data submissions
- UDS Test Cooperative meeting
Thursday, July 17, 2 – 3 p.m. ET



Improve Health Center and Partner Engagement



Join the National Advisory Council on Migrant Health

- Share your voice to help improve the health and wellbeing of our nation's migrant and seasonal agricultural workers
- Make recommendations to HHS about the needs and concerns of:
 - ✓ Migrant health centers
 - ✓ Migratory and seasonal agricultural populations



Go to [National Advisory Council on Migrant Health](#) or read the [Federal Register Notice](#) for more details.



Register for Our Symposium

Patient-Centered Medical Home Health Equity Technical Assistance Symposium (PHETAS)

Join us on Tuesday, July 16, and Wednesday, July 17

- Discuss best practices
- Hear from peers and experts



Mark Your Calendar

Today with Macrae: Question & Answer

- [Thursday, July 11, 3 – 4:15 p.m. ET](#)

Join Us!



Questions?



Thank You!

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