

The Greater Kansas City Health Care Economy Forum

The Economic Benefits of Community Health Workers

Tuesday, March 11, 2014 • 8:00 – 10:00 AM
The Greater Kansas City Chamber of Commerce Board Room,
30 W. Pershing Rd. Kansas City, Mo. 64108

PROGRAM/AGENDA

- 7:30 am **Registration/Continental Breakfast**
- 8:00 am **Welcome and Introduction**
Scott Lakin, Regional Health Care Initiative Director
Mid-America Regional Council
- 8:05 am **The Big Picture on Health Care in Kansas City**
Liz Cessor, Vice President of Mission and Community Services
Saint Luke's Health System
- 8:20 am **Regional Health Care Data Briefing**
Jeff Pinkerton, Senior Researcher
Mid-America Regional Council
- 8:45 am **Keynote Address: The Economic Benefit of Community Health Workers**
Joan Cleary, Interim Executive Director
Minnesota Community Health Worker Alliance
- 9:30 am **Panel Discussion: Local Examples**
Moderator:
Barbara Wiman, Business Development/Industry Coordinator,
Health Care Institute for Workforce Innovation
Metropolitan Community College, Kansas City, Mo.
Panelists:
Dennis Dunmyer, Vice President of Community Services
KC CARE Clinic
Jeannine Midgett, St. Sabina Wellness Program Manager
First Hand Foundation
Cristina Ramirez, Team Leader of Health Care Innovation Challenge Award
Truman Medical Center
- 10:00 am **Adjourn/networking**

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