



## Open Call: NACHW Ambassadors 2023

The Ambassador Committee of the National Association of Community Health Workers (NACHW) is seeking interested CHWs to become **NACHW Ambassadors**. The NACHW Ambassador Committee serves to recruit Ambassadors who will act as liaisons between NACHW and local, state and regional CHW networks and associations. The committee is made up of elected NACHW board members and Ambassadors who will advise NACHW on issues related to their work. Ambassadors will be Community Health Workers who are members of NACHW. See Ambassador Application for additional criteria.

We are seeking a total of 20 CHWs to serve in this capacity. In order to maximize our reach, only one CHW will be selected from any given state. Ambassadors will act as liaisons between NACHW and local, state and regional CHW networks and associations. This is a two-year commitment. Ambassadors will receive training during the Unity 2023 Conference in *TBD ("Save the date" will be released in January 2023. Unity will be schedule last week of July/First week of August)* which will provide them with the information and skills needed to be successful in their commitment as an ambassador.

Those selected to become Ambassadors **will receive a stipend towards travel expenses to attend Unity 2023** *\*this will be subject to funding availability.*

### To Apply:

- Complete the following [Google Form](#)
- Submit 2 letters of recommendation to [ksalinas@hria.org](mailto:ksalinas@hria.org) with the subject line "Ambassador Application – (Your name)"
  - Option A: 1 letter from a CHW network/ CHW state association, etc. and 1 letter from a Fellow CHW
  - Option B: 1 letter from a fellow CHW and 1 letter from an employer or volunteer site (this option is for CHW with no association or network in their state)
- Send a 3 min video answering, "Why would you be a great NACHW Ambassador?" please submit video together with letters of recommendation to [ksalinas@hria.org](mailto:ksalinas@hria.org) – If you need any assistance with technology to record this video please email Karla Salinas and she will get back to you as soon as possible
- Show proof of NACHW membership for at least one year – NACHW Staff will verify this step

CHWs selected as Ambassadors must commit to:

- Be a NACHW member in good standing
- Attend and support the Unity Conference *TBD (Save the date will be released in January 2023. Unity will be schedule last week of July/First week of August)*
- Participate in the NACHW policy and advocacy day in their home state
- Complete at least ONE presentation using NACHW materials/ per year
- Attend at least ONE NACHW CHW Learning Collaborative meeting/ per year
- Recruit at least 20 new members.

Applications will close on Tuesday January 31, 2023, your application will be reviewed by the ambassadors committee co-chairs. You will receive a confirmation of receipt – no need to take further action. Selected Ambassadors will be notified by March 15, 2023.