COMMUNITY FACULTY HIGHLIGHTS

FACULTY DIRECTOR MESSAGE

Program Director, Global Health Program, Stanford Medicine

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COVID-19 VIRTUAL COMMUNITY TOWN HALL II

Thursday, May 21, 2020, 3:30-5 PM PST

Zoom Link provided at registration

Please complete a short survey today so we can help you and your community!

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SPRING 2020 NEWSLETTER

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Dear Community:

As the world grapples with the COVID-19 pandemic, it is clear that we are facing unprecedented challenges. Stanford Medicine’s Office of Community Engagement is committed to working with our partners and communities to address the many needs that have arisen.

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ROOTS COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER | EAST SAN JOSE, CA

ROOTS Community Health Center has stepped up in a big way during this pandemic and has pivoted several of its services to support those in need. The center’s Day Worker Center of Mountain View is a non-profit that provides services to day workers and is experiencing dramatic changes to its operations. With businesses closed and hourly wages scaled back, the service we provide is even more critical.

Fresh Approach is a food justice organization working with communities related to COVID-19. Located in deep East Oakland, a predominantly African American community, Roots began a walk-up testing site on April 29, 2020, and the team has tested over 500 people to date. Furthermore, Root’s street outreach team (STOMP) and youth shelter clinic has been doing work virtually. Given that its work addresses so many of the crises that this pandemic is worsening, it is needing to ramp up bigger and faster than ever.

Additionally, Roots and Stanford are exploring opportunities around the use of wearables to monitor first responders in New York City while supporting the kitchen staff and fitness instructors that make it possible for them to work.

Together with Stanford researchers, administrators, and local leaders will share their work on preparing the public to return to normalcy safely in the age of coronavirus. We are excited to bring you this virtual town hall and hope you will join us.

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As we move forward, we will continue to assess our programming and support to ensure that we are meeting the needs of our communities. Please stay tuned for more updates and opportunities to get involved.

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