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UPCOMING EVENTS

SAVE THE DATE!

TACHC's 31st Annual Conference - Westin Galleria Dallas - October 5-8, 2014. [Click Here to make Hotel Reservations.](#)

GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE

HRSA announces Scope Alignment Validation (SAV)

SAV is a one-time opportunity for health centers to view their scope of project in the updated Form 5A: Services and Form 5B: Service Sites and to make limited allowable updates in EHB. SAV opens in EHB on **Monday, June 30, 2014** at

12:00am, ET and closes on Wednesday, July 23, 2014 at 5:00pm, ET.

REMINDER: The last day to submit a Change in Scope (CIS) request prior to SAV is **Friday, June 27, 2014 by 5:00pm, ET.** Following SAV, health centers will be able to submit new CIS requests starting **Friday, July 25, 2014.** For more information contact **Nancy Gilliam.**

2014 Health Center Quality Awards: Patient Centered Medical Home (PCMH) Recognition

HRSA has announced the availability of funds for health centers that have been recognized as PCMH by **Tuesday, July 1, 2014.** HRSA will award the supplemental base awards to health centers based on information on the PCMH Webpage. Please check the **PCMH Webpage** no later than Friday, July 11, 2014 to **verify that your health center's information is correct.** Contact **Nancy Gilliam** if you have any questions.

CLINICAL AFFAIRS

Time is Running Out: Register for the TACHC Clinical Director Institute

Attention all Chief Medical Officers, Chief Dental Directors, and Behavioral Health Directors. Join your colleagues at this year's TACHC's Clinical Directors Institute, **July 24 to July 26 at San Antonio's La Cantera Hill Country Resort.** This 2-day session will help keep you updated on the latest clinical trends and will provide you with numerous networking opportunities. **Download Agenda** or **Click Here to Register.** **ICD-10 and DSM-V sessions are on July 26th and a separate registration is available if you wish to sign up separately for those and not attend full conference.** TACHC has a special group rate of \$155 single occupancy and \$169 double occupancy. Reservation deadline is **5p.m. Monday, June 30th.** To make reservations, call: 210-558-6500. **Click Here for Hotel Information.** For more information, contact **Davelyn Eaves Hood, MD,** Director of Clinical Affairs at TACHC, 512-329-5959, Ext. 2130.

iPhone Medical Translation App

An app funded through the National Institutes of Health allows clinicians to communicate with patients using translated medical phrases in Spanish, Chinese, Arabic, Hindi, Korean, Malay, Portuguese, Russian, Tagalog, Vietnamese and other languages. It includes 1,500 common medical phrases created by medical professionals. **Check out the link** or search for "canopy" on the App Store.

OUTREACH

3 Things to Do for National Health Center Week

National Health Center Week (NHCW) is Aug 10-16. Here are three things your center can do: 1) Invite your members of Congress and state senators and

representatives to visit your center. 2) Log your health center events onto the **NHCW website**. Centers that log their events become eligible for additional sponsorship from NACHC. 3) Hold a voter registration drive as part of your NHCW activities. For more information or for assistance in planning your events, contact TACHC Communications Intern, **Theresa Callaway** at (512) 329-5959.

NEW! TACHC Voter Registration Tools

Voter registration is an important service that health centers can provide to their patients. Check out new tools available for staff and patients. **CLICK HERE** to download the Texas Voter Registration Toolkit for Community Health Centers. **CLICK HERE** to see information for patients on registering to vote and voting. Content will be available soon in Spanish. Want to receive training and learn how your health center can provide this service? Contact TACHC Communications Director **Andrea Abel**.

R&R

TACHC Congratulations to Heart of Texas CHC for 2 New Hires!

Dr. Jolivet & Dr. Samuel, both TACHC referrals, have accepted offers from Heart of Texas Community Health Center for their Dentist positions. Does your center have openings for clinical providers or executive management that you would like us to help you recruit for? Click **HERE** to complete the quick and easy online position profile. Contact **Danielle Ramos**, TACHC Recruitment Dept. Program Assistant if you have questions or need assistance.

NEWS

Congrats to **Su Clinica Familiar**. They received NACHC recognition as a top performer in NACHC's Access if the Answer letter-writing campaign!

CLICK HERE to **SUBSCRIBE** to the TACHC Weekly Wrap-Up.

If you would like to **UNSUBSCRIBE**, contact **Danielle Ramos**.

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