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DON'T FORGET! Health Center Photo to Celebrate the 35th TACHC Anniversary!

Thank you to all who have sent in images for the TACHC timeline project. There are some real gems among the collection. Just a quick reminder that **June 30th is the deadline** to send in a picture that represents your health center for the TACHC 35th Anniversary Timeline.

Guidelines:

- Photo size: 8" X 10"
- Orientation: Portrait
- Resolution: 300 dpi
- Deadline to submit the photo: June 30

Please send all images and questions on the project to [Brom Hoban](#), or call at 512-329-5959.

**NATIONAL
HEALTH
CENTER
WEEK**



National Health Center Week Coming Up Fast – Annual Thunderclap Campaign

National Health Center Week is August 12-18—just more than a month away! As a part of our effort to spread the word on social media, we are asking advocates, friends, and staff to get engaged to participate in our annual **Thunderclap campaign**. Your participation will allow all health center advocates to share a unified message in support of National Health Center Week on August 13th at 8 AM CST. Signing up with your Facebook or Twitter account takes less than two minutes. Don't forget to **submit your events on the NHCW Website** to get the most exposure possible. Elected officials and sponsors on the national, state and local level are checking the website with hopes of attending events happening across the country. You don't want to miss out on the opportunity for a legislative visit or sponsored event. Questions? Email TACHC's [Courtney Weaver](#).



TACHC Needs Your Feedback-SURVEY ENDS TODAY, JUNE 29

TACHC is conducting an evaluation of our peer-support networks which include several listservs by department or specific area. These listservs are intended for posting questions and interacting with TACHC staff and/or your health center peers in that specific area. To help us better serve you, please **complete our simple 3 question survey here!** Survey ends **Friday June 29!**



Lone Star Family Health Center Launches Access the Arts

On Saturday, June 23, Lone Star Family Health Center (LSFHC) in Montgomery County launched its new initiative, *Access the Arts*, with a reception at its Conroe, Texas facility. This new program has a two-fold purpose; exposing the health center's low income, underserved patients to the arts and making the health center more relatable and community friendly. Because this new program was set to begin in mid-June, LSFHC chose to celebrate Juneteenth at its launch. A display of photography from a book about the Freedman's Town of Tamina by local documentary photographer, Marti Corn, was unveiled in a gallery-style opening hosted by LSFHC Director of Business Development, David Moore, LSFHC CEO, Karen Harwell, and other staff. Many Tamina residents attended along with community partners and LSFHC staff. The exhibit will remain on display through July 30th and more information can be found [here](#). [Read the Woodlands Paper article here](#), *Photo from left to right: David Moore, local community partner, Rita Wiltz, and photographer Marti Corn.*

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Innovations in Crisis Response: Communications and Mapping for Public Health Emergencies Webcast

July 17 • 12:00 p.m.-1:15 p.m. • [Register Here](#)

The Innovations in Crisis Response webcast will give health centers the opportunity to learn more about how first responders are using online crisis mapping to connect, understand and work in new and more efficient ways. Direct Relief's Andrew Schroeder will discuss disasters maps, which provide information about where populations are located, how they are moving, and where they are checking in safe during a natural disaster. [Details here](#). For more information contact [Christina Brito-Tigerina](#).

OC³ CPI Webcast: 330 Compliance – Operational Site Visit Strategies Part 2

July 20, 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. • [Details](#) • [Registration](#)

The Health Center Program Compliance Manual released and effective August 28, 2017 changed the Health Center Program Site Visit Protocol. Join HRSA Consultant Charles Wiltraut, Chief Executive Officer of TACHC Member Mission East Dallas as he presents what is new about site visits from the documents but also the practice he has experienced. He will highlight what issues he is seeing arise for health centers under this new approach.

GROUP PURCHASING

340B OPAIS Registration Window

The next window to register both a clinic site and a contract retail pharmacy to be eligible for 340B pricing is quickly approaching, [July 1-15](#). This is the window if you want to add a new contracted retail pharmacy for pharmacy services ("bill to/ship to"). When registering in this window of time, the new site will be [eligible for](#)

340B pricing effective October 1. Now is a good time to get contracts organized so to take advantage of this window.

The registration process occurs electronically via the [OPAIS database](#). Remember that you cannot register a site to be eligible for 340B pricing until it is listed in your EHB. It is critical for any and all clinic sites that are listed in the EHB to also be listed in the database in order for patients to be seen at the clinic sites to fill their prescriptions with 340B

CLINICAL

Upcoming Clinical Trainings from Quality Net:

- **Adult Pneumococcal Disease and ACIP's Recommended Sequencing for Adults 65+**
July 10, 12:00 p.m. CDT • [Register Here](#)
- **The Opioid Crisis: How Did We Get Here?**
July 10, 11:30 a.m. • [Register Here](#)
- **The Art and Science of Opioid Tapering**
July 11, 12:00 p.m. • [Register Here](#)

Upcoming Clinical Trainings from Patient Centered Primary Care Collaborative:

- **Putting the Medical Home into Practice for Children**
July 12, 1:00 p.m. CDT • [Register Here](#)
- **Integrating Physical and Behavioral Health: The View from Primary Care Providers and Payers**
July 17, 2:00 p.m. CDT • [Register Here](#)

Two Part Series: Federal Grant Forum for Behavioral Health and Substance Abuse Disorder: Leveraging Funds for Increased Impact

July 13 • 12:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m. CDT • [Register Here](#)

The training is sponsored by the Mississippi Primary Health Care Association and you can [Click Here for More Information](#) and [Click Here To Register](#)

- Part 1: CARA Act, HHS, and Opioid and SUD Treatment and Referral. How to effectively access funding to expand services in BH and SUD. Panel presentation from federal agencies (HRSA, SAMHSA & BPHC).
 - Part 2: Federal Panel (HRSA, SAMHSA, BPHC, ACF) present on current funding opportunities through their agencies, what they look for in applications, how review works, and what elements make up successful grant submissions. Q & A section
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RECRUITMENT & RETENTION

AVAILABLE NOW!
**2018 SALARY & BENEFITS
SURVEY RESULTS WEBINAR**
DOWNLOAD AT WWW.TACHC.ORG/TACHCDOCS/LOGIN

2018 TACHC Statewide Salary & Benefits Report Now Available

TACHC is pleased to announce the 2018 TACHC statewide Salary & Benefits report is now available for download on the Recruitment & Retention section of [TACHC Docs](#). This statewide report covers salary information from TACHC Member Centers on 46 different positions, extensive benefits information, market trends and turnover data. Should you need assistance logging into TACHC Docs please contact [Anita Mitchell](#) or [Jonathan Davis](#) for assistance, or give us a call at 512-329-5959. We would like to send out a huge thank you to those centers who participated in the data collection making this entire report possible.

Welcome Jonathan Davis

TACHC would like to introduce you to Jonathan Davis (Jon) who is working with the Recruitment and Retention Department over the next few months. Jon is a recent graduate from Texas State University with a Masters in Communication Studies and Bachelors in Broadcast Journalism. Jon is from Arlington, Texas, is mission-hearted, a sports fanatic and is very excited to be working at TACHC.

Would You Like Us to Help You Recruit?

Does your center have openings for clinical providers or executive management that you would like us to help recruit? [Complete the TACHC online position profile](#). Contact [Jonathan Davis](#) for more information.

Did you know that the TACHC Weekly Wrap-Up is available to ALL TACHC members and ALL your staff? [Share this link with your health center staff to sign up for the Wrap!](#)

Don't miss out. Follow TACHC on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

Send **NEWS** about your health center to be considered for inclusion in the TACHC Weekly Wrap-Up to TACHC Wrap Editor [Brom Hoban](#).

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