



ChicagoCHEC Community Partners Resource Guide

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On September 29, 2016, the Chicago Cancer Health Equity Collaborative (ChicagoCHEC) held its first annual symposium at Malcolm X College, “Keeping Cancer in CHEC: Bridging Communities through Education, Health Care, and Research”. At the event, we shared our first-year accomplishments and received feedback from the community on future research & outreach projects.

The Symposium raised interest in a ChicagoCHEC Community Partners Resource Guide, featuring members of our partnership including: Northwestern University, the University of Illinois at Chicago, Northeastern Illinois University, and our Community Steering Committee with representatives from over 20 organizations. We also asked interested organizations at the Symposium to share their information with our network.

This guide will act as a referral point to learn about the programs & services offered through ChicagoCHEC partner organizations, as well as participating organizations from the ChicagoCHEC Symposium. We hope this can help community members throughout Chicago connect with available resources from our ChicagoCHEC partners.

As ChicagoCHEC works toward cancer health equity, this document will be updated regularly online at: <https://chicagohec.org/resources/resource-guide/>

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Facebook:	https://www.facebook.com/chicagohec/
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The Chicago Cancer Health Equity Collaborative (ChicagoCHEC) is a National Cancer Institute-funded initiative. Our goal is to reduce cancer inequities in Chicago's underserved communities.

Our mission is to advance cancer health equity through meaningful scientific discovery, education, training, and community engagement.



How may we support you?

These are our programs:



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Community outreach and education supports community capacity building efforts to improve health outcomes among Chicago's underserved communities.

Community Health Educators (CHEs) work closely with local community organizations in cancer prevention, awareness and outreach.

Community Steering Committee (CSC) is composed of key community members and leaders that guide our strategic efforts to foster respectful and meaningful collaboration across our partnership.

RESEARCH

Research Incubator grants

To support funding for partnership building, research proposal development, pilot projects, and research projects. It fosters cross-institutional collaborations among NU, UIC, NEIU, and community partner organization(s).

EDUCATION

CHEC Fellows Program

Open to eligible undergraduate students. Focused on the development of academic, technical and professional skills in preparation for careers in health care as well as social, behavioral and biomedical research.

Career 911 Academy

A free online course that introduces health careers exploration with professional development skills such as: resume and cover letter writing, job search, interviewing, networking and professional communications. Visit career911.org for more details.



Visit us at
www.chicagochec.org
twitter.com/chicagochec

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Partner Locations

**ChicagoCHEC
Partner Organizations
& Additional Resources for the
Community**



ChicagoCHEC Partner Locations

Community Partners	P.#	Sector	Neighborhood
Access DuPage	9	Healthcare	Carol Stream (Western Suburbs)
Access Community Networks	10	Health Center	36 Locations
Access Living	11	Nonprofit	River North
ALAS-Wings	12	Cancer Survivorship	Lakeview
Alivio Medical Center	13	Health Center	Pilsen
AllianceChicago	14	Health Center	River North
Amber Coalition	15	Nonprofit	Lakeview
American Lung Association of Greater Chicago	16	Advocacy	The Loop
Blue Hat Foundation	17	Nonprofit	Motor Row District
Center for Faith and Community Health Transformation	18	Faith-Based Org.	Downers Grove (Western Suburbs), Illinois Medical District
Chicago Family Health Center	19	Health Center	Chicago Lawn
Chicago Global Health Alliance	20	Nonprofit	Gold Coast
Chicago Hispanic Health Coalition	21	Community Based Org.	Illinois Medical District
Chinese American Service League	22	Community Based Org.	Chinatown
Equal Hope	23	Advocacy	The Loop
Gilda's Club Chicago	24	Cancer Survivorship	River North
Howard Brown Health	25	Health Center	Lakeview
Imerman Angels	26	Nonprofit	The Loop
Instituto del Progreso Latino	27	Community Based Org.	Little Village
Metastatic Breast Cancer Network (MBCN) (Online Group)	28	Advocacy	Fuller Park
Near North Health Service Corporation	29	Health Center	10 Locations
Partnership for College Completion	30	Education Policy	The Loop
Project Brotherhood	31	Community Based Org.	Woodlawn
Puerto Rican Cultural Center	32	Community Based Org.	Humboldt Park
Resurrection Project	33	Nonprofit	Lower West Side

Susan G Komen for the Cure	34	Nonprofit	Near North
Univision	35	Media	Streeterville
Wellness House	36	Nonprofit	Hinsdale (Western Suburbs)
WOT Foundation	37	Cancer Survivorship	Bronzeville
YWCA Chicago, Women's Health Exchange	38	Community Based Org.	The Loop
Government Partners	P.#	Sector	Neighborhood
Chicago Public Schools	39	Gov. Partner	N/A
Chicago Department of Public Health	39	Gov. Partner	The Loop
City of Chicago, Office of the Mayor	39	Gov. Partner	The Loop
Jesse Brown VA Medical Center	39	Hospital, Gov. Partner	Illinois Medical District
John H. Stroger, Jr. Hospital of Cook County	40	Hospital, Gov. Partner	Illinois Medical District
Academic Partners	P.#	Sector	Neighborhood
Northeastern Illinois University	42	Academic Partner	North Park
Northeastern Illinois University Center of Health	43	Academic Partner	North Park
Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center	44	Academic Partner	Streeterville
Northwestern University	45	Academic Partner	Evanston (North Shore Suburbs)
Center for Health Equity Transformation	48	Academic Partner	Streeterville
University of Illinois Cancer Center	49	Academic Partner	Illinois Medical District
The University of Illinois at Chicago	50	Academic Partner	University Village/Little Italy

Section 1

ChicagoCHEC Resources: Partner Organizations





Access DuPage

Sector: Healthcare

511 Thornhill Dr, Suite C, Carol Stream, IL 60188

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://accessdupage.org>

Phone 1-(630)-510-8720

E-mail info@accessdupage.org

MISSION

The mission of the DuPage Health Coalition is to develop and sustain a system for effectively and efficiently managing the health of low-income populations across the continuum of care in DuPage County.

SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

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| • Healthcare access | • Referral coordination | • Drug assistance |
| • Patient navigation | • Medical care access | • Insurance premium assistance |

AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: No

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: DuPage County

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A



Access Community Health Network (Clinics)

Sector: Federally Qualified Health Center
600 W. Fulton St., 2nd Floor, Chicago, IL (Administrative Offices)
ACCESS Center for Discovery and Learning
5139 S. Ashland Ave., Chicago IL

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://www.achn.net>
Phone 1-(866)-267-2353 (toll-free)
E-mail online email form

MISSION

Mission: ACCESS partners with patients at all points of care, providing high quality, patient-centered health services accessible to all in their own communities. Vision: ACCESS is the health care home of choice, partnering with patients and communities to improve total health and create health equity.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Family practice• Internal medicine• Pediatrics• Management of Chronic diseases, such as diabetes, Asthma and High blood pressure• COVID-19 Testing• Care coordination• Flu Vaccine• Women's Health | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Men's health• Risk & prevention services• Behavioral health• HIV/AIDS and Hepatitis C support services• Benefits counseling• Stand Against Cancer & Illinois Breast and Cervical Cancer Program• Telehealth | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dental care• 340B Discount Prescription• School and Sports physicals• Obstetric/gynecological and Midwifery services• Westside Healthy Start• Medication Assisted Recovery Services |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes:

See here: <https://www.achn.net/locations/>

Serves Specific Area: 36 Clinic locations

See here: <https://www.achn.net/locations/>

Additional Chicagoland Locations: 36 Clinic locations – see here: <https://www.achn.net/locations/>

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: Yes

Programming in Polish: Yes

Services in Other Languages: (Differs by clinic.) American Sign Language, Arabic, Armenian, Bengali, Bosnian, Bulgarian, Croatian, French, Gujarati, Hindi, Ibo, Korean, Lithuanian, Malayalam, Marathi, Russian, Tagalog, Tamil, Telugu, Urdu, Vietnamese, Yorba



Access Living

Sector: Non-Profit

115 W. Chicago Ave. Chicago, IL 60654

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://www.accessliving.org/>

Phone 1-(312)-640-2100 (voice) 1-(312)-640-2102 (TTY)

E-mail online email form

MISSION

Mission: We ignite disability power and pride, provide critical services, and break down systemic barriers to create a stronger, more inclusive society. Vision: We envision a world free from barriers and discrimination – where disability is a respected and natural part of the human experience and people with disabilities are included and valued.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Consulting and training for businesses & nonprofits• Housing services<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Transitioning out of nursing homes○ Stepping Stones○ Step Ahead○ Housing Counseling○ CLIHTF intake form for property owners/managers | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Home and community-based services<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Personal Assistants○ Community supports○ Cross-disability support groups○ Information & referrals○ Money management classes | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Legal services<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Disability discrimination cases○ Consulting and analysis○ ADA and Fair Housing Act Training○ Fair housing test• Youth programs<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Youth mentoring○ Fast Track & Reaching Our Dreams○ YIELD the Power Workshops |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: No

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: N/A

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Cambiando Vidas only

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: ASL (American Sign Language and other services relevant to visually/hearing impaired individuals)



ALAS-Wings

Sector: Cancer Survivorship

3023 N. Clark St. Ste. 613, Chicago, IL 60657

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://alas-wings.org/>
Phone 1-(312)-883-2527
E-mail admin@alas-wings.org

MISSION

ALAS-WINGS mission is to enhance the quality of life for the Latino community by providing breast health awareness, education, and emotional support programs for Hispanic/Latina women and their families throughout the Chicagoland area.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spanish Speaking Support Groups @ Erie Family Health Center, Berwyn Library, Rush University Medical Center, Waterford Place (Aurora), UIC, Advocate Illinois Masonic, Logan Square Neighborhood Association | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ALAS on Wheels - The Mobile Salon (prosthetic bras, wigs and prosthesis at no cost to breast cancer patients with limited financial resources.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Educational Workshops held in Spanish Free yoga classes for breast cancer survivors |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: Chicago and suburbs based on partners of ALAS-Wings (Erie Family Health, Gilda's Club Chicago, Logan Square Neighborhood Association, Illinois Masonic, UIC, Waterford Place –Aurora)

Additional Chicagoland Locations: ALAS On Wheels — The Mobile Salon partners with organizations and health centers throughout Chicago: Gilda's Club Chicago, The Resurrection Project, Loretto Hospital, Saints Marie and Elizabeth Medical Center, etc.

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A



ALIVIO MEDICAL CENTER
An Active Presence for a Strong Community

Alivio Medical Center

Sector: Federally Qualified Health Center
966 W 21st St, Chicago, IL 60608

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://www.aliviomedicalcenter.org>
Phone 1-(773)-254-1400
E-mail online email form

MISSION

Alivio Medical Center is a bilingual, bicultural organization committed to providing access to quality cost effective health care to the Hispanic community, the uninsured, and the underinsured, and not to the exclusion of other cultures and races. This mission is expressed through the provision of services, advocacy, education and research and evaluation provided in an environment of caring and respect.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comprehensive healthcare: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Adult and Family medicine ○ Behavioral & Mental health ○ COVID-19 Vaccine ○ Dentistry ○ Diabetes ○ Family planning ○ OB/GYN and Midwifery ○ Pediatrics ○ Pharmacy ○ Walk-in Wellness Center | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cervical cancer screenings (pap smears) • Physical exams • Chronic disease management (diabetes, hypertension, obesity) • Cholesterol check • ACA Outreach & Enrollment • STD testing & treatment • Immunizations • Diabetes & weight management program | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diabetes Prevention Program • Free pregnancy test • Prenatal care & classes • Family case management • WIC assistance • Casa Maravilla Senior Center <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Public benefits assistance ○ Health education ○ Fitness programming |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes (Berwyn, Cicero, surrounding suburbs)

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: 60623, 60608, 60402

Serves Specific Area: Clinic locations are predominately in Hispanic Chicago neighborhoods.

Additional Chicagoland Locations: 3 Medical Centers, 3 School-based Clinics, and 1 Urgent Care Center throughout Chicago. Casa Maravilla senior housing in Pilsen.

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: Chinese

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://alliancechicago.org/>
Phone 1-(312)-274-0068
E-mail info@alliancechicago.org

MISSION

The mission of AllianceChicago is to improve personal, community and public health through innovative collaboration. A major focus of AllianceChicago is the use of technology to improve quality of care and improved outcomes through technology tools, practice coaching, clinical collaboration, and data analytics.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electronic Health Services and support for the user community • Population Health Management | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health information technology innovation • Patient Engagement | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research • Technical assistance • Education and consultation |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes **Serves Suburbs:** No
Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A **Serves Specific Area:** N/A

Additional Chicagoland Locations: Alliance maintains and coordinates the patient records for 25 community health centers in Chicago. They are on the back-end of patient care.

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: No **Programming in English:** Yes
Programming in Chinese: No **Programming in Polish:** No
Services in Other Languages: N/A



Amber Coalition

Sector: Non-Profit

3000 N Halsted St, Ste 603, Chicago, IL 60657

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://www.ambercoalition.org/>

Phone 1-(773)-296-3838

E-mail info@ambercoalition.org

MISSION

Brings together people and organizations whose aim is to promote knowledge about breast cancer, its prophylaxis and treatment in the Polish community, and educate about the possibilities of modern medicine, including access to treatments.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Free breast exams and free mammograms for those eligible• Create a pipeline for students/patients/doctors to volunteer in this care | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research to identify the health needs of the Polish community |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: N/A

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: No

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: Yes

Services in Other Languages: N/A



American Lung Association In Greater Chicago

Sector: Research, Education and Advocacy
55 W Wacker, Ste 800, Chicago, IL 60601

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://www.lung.org>
Phone 1-(800)-LUNGUSA or 1-(800)-586-4872
E-mail info@lung.org

MISSION

The leading organization working to save lives by improving lung health and preventing lung disease.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lung health advocacy• Lung cancer awareness and outreach through LUNG FORCE• Smokefree environments• COPD education and awareness• LUNG FORCE Expo for lung health professionals, patients and caregivers• Asthma, Influenza, Lung Cancer, Pneumonia, Pulmonary fibrosis | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research monitoring trends in:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Lung disease○ Lung health disparities○ Healthy air and pollution○ Tobacco control• Patient informational resources and videos | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Enhancing care for children with asthma• Online support communities• Caregiving support community• Lung health education• Tobacco cessation trainings and resources, including operation of the Illinois Tobacco Quitline |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes **Serves Suburbs:** Yes
Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A **Serves Specific Area:** N/A

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes **Programming in English:** Yes
Programming in Chinese: No **Programming in Polish:** No
Services in Other Languages: N/A



Blue Hat Foundation, Inc

Sector: Non-profit

46 E. 26th Street, Chicago, IL 60616

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://www.thebluehatfoundation.org>

Phone (773) 573-2740

E-mail info@bluehatbowtie.org

MISSION

We are committed to a single goal; helping the fight against colorectal cancer. The Blue Hat Foundation is a colorectal cancer organization whose mission is to educate, raise awareness, and provide resources to free screenings for minority and medically underserved communities. We work hard to take care of the neediest members of our community and provide them with unconditional support.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Education<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Taking the information to the people○ Informed decision making• Advocacy<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Advocating by taking our voices to capitol hill○ Reinforcing out commitment | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Support<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Patient advocacy○ No one fights alone• Screening Resources• Screening Madness• Colorectal Cancer facts |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago:

Serves Specific ZIP Codes:

Serves Suburbs:

Serves Specific Area:

Additional Chicagoland Locations:

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish:

Programming in Chinese:

Services in Other Languages:

Programming in English:

Programming in Polish:



Center for Faith and Community Health Transformation

Sector: Faith-based Organization

3075 Highland Parkway #390, Downers Grove, IL-60515 and
818 S. Wolcott Ave, #800 Chicago, IL 60612

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://www.faithhealthtransformation.org/>
Phone 1-(630)-929-6107
E-mail online email form

MISSION

Transform the health of our communities through faith-rooted, collaborative action to create health equity by building community, nurturing leaders and connecting with the unique spirit power of faith communities to promote social justice and abundant life for all.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Ministry Development • Congregational Health Asset Mapping • Faithful Families Program (promotes healthy eating and physical activity in communities of faith) • Trauma-Informed Congregations Network • Consultation on faith and health engagement. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Healthy Hotspots (initiative to increase number of places that make healthy living easier in your community) • Community and faith partnership development • Illinois Heart Rescue—bystander CPR training • Congregational health promotion bulletin inserts and educational programs | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Just Eating? Practicing Faith by the Table” 7-week curriculum for Christian congregations • Courage to Love (reduce pre-term births in African American women) • Convene the Faith and Health Community of Practice |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes	Serves Suburbs: Yes
Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A	Serves Specific Area: Chicagoland Region
Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A	

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: No	Programming in English: Yes
Programming in Chinese: No	Programming in Polish: No
Services in Other Languages: N/A	



Chicago Family Health Center

Sector: Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC)

3223 W 63rd St Chicago, IL 60629

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://chicagofamilyhealth.org/>

Phone 773-768-5000

Email info@chicagofamilyhealth.org

MISSION

Chicago Family Health Center will promote health, work to prevent disease and provide treatment through the delivery of quality, accessible primary healthcare that is culturally sensitive, affordable, and responsive to community and individual needs.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• COVID Vaccines• Primary Care• Dental• Pediatrics• Men & Women's Health• Behavioral Health• Chronic illness• Medication/Prescription assistance | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developmental screenings• OB/GYN services• Family planning• STD/STI testing• Smoking Cessation• Health Education | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Yoga classes• WIC Program• Gilda's club cancer support group• Nutrition classes |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes:

See here: 60617, 60628, 60629

Serves Suburbs:

Serves Specific Area:

See here: South Chicago, Roseland, Pullman, East side, Southwest side

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Polish: No



Chicago Global Health Alliance

Sector: Non-profit

645 N. Michigan Ave, Suite 1058, Chicago, IL 60611

CONTACT INFO

Website n/a
Phone 312-503-1895
Email chicaglobalhealthalliance@gmail.com

MISSION

Save lives by meeting the most critical needs in our communities and investing in breakthrough research to prevent and cure breast cancer.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Blood pressure & glucose testing• Chiropractic• Dental screenings• Sports physicals | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fall prevention education• Flu shots• Hearing tests• Vision tests | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• HIV testing• Mammograms• Nutrition education |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

See here:

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

Serves Suburbs: N/A

Serves Specific Area: N/A

See here:

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: No

Programming in Chinese: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Polish: No



Chicago Hispanic Health Coalition

Sector: Community Based Organization

1819 West Polk Street, Suite 246, Chicago, IL 60612

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://chicagohispanichealthcoalition.org/>

Phone 1-(312)-842-2340

E-mail chhc@chicagohispanichealthcoalition.org

MISSION

The Chicago Hispanic Health Coalition's mission is to promote healthy behavior and prevent chronic disease and health disparities in the Hispanic communities of metropolitan Chicago. CHHC improves health in Hispanic communities by sponsoring culturally appropriate, evidence-based health education classes, and by providing a forum for policy development.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Keep Your Heart Healthy (cardiovascular disease)• Prevention-oriented training on heart disease and stroke• Let's Talk About Lupus• Juntos Podemos• Forums/workshops for health care providers | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Juntos Contra La Diabetes (diabetes)• Tomando Control de Su Diabetes (diabetes)• Nuestras Voces (tobacco control)• Por Su Salud: Estrellas de Salud (obesity prevention in 8 to 12-year-old Latino children in Pilsen and Southwest areas of Chicago) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vive tu Vida (physical activity and healthy lifestyle)• Childhood Obesity Prevention (partnership with CLOCC)• Media campaigns |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: Chicago

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A



Chinese American Service League

Sector: Community Based Organization

2141 S Tan Ct, Chicago, IL 60616

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://www.caslservice.org/>

Phone 1-(312)-791-0418

E-mail N/A

MISSION

For over 40 years, the Chinese American Service League's (CASL) comprehensive programs have connected families and individuals in the Chicago Chinese community and beyond with the vital support they need: providing an educational and cultural foundation for our children, ensuring our seniors live full and independent lives with dignity, enhancing education and training for tomorrow's workforce, putting immigrants on the pathway to citizenship, securing our community's housing and financial well-being, and providing all with equal access to justice.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family and Learning Resource Center • Child Development Center, • School Age Center • Youth Development Program • Cup of Tea (meet-ups to practice conversational English) • Translation and interpretation services • Support primary care coordination • Women health services (cancer screenings and support services) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adult Employment Program • Job placement • Housing counseling • Financial literacy and coaching • Chef Training Program • Citizenship and immigration services • Energy assistance • Public benefits assistance (medicaid, SSI etc) • Case management (information/referrals) • Chinatown Pro Bono Legal Clinic | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adult Day Service (seniors) • In-Home Service (seniors) • Pine Tree Senior Council (seniors) • Title V Senior Community Service Employment Program (part-time employment for seniors) • Civic engagement, voter registration and education • Wellness maintenance workshops <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ diabetes ○ aging ○ caregiver training ○ health screening |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: Chicago

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: No

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: Yes

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://equalhope.org/>
Phone 1-(312)-942-3368
Email info@equalhope.org

MISSION

Equal Hope's mission is to save women's lives by eliminating health disparities in Illinois, originally through the lens of breast cancer and now expanded to cervical cancer and other women's cancers. We address women's health holistically by helping women establish medical homes with the goal of eliminating inequities in prevention, screening, diagnosis, treatment, and survivorship for all women.

SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quality Consortium (health care institution initiative to increase equity in cancer care) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advocacy • Community Outreach • Education • Public policy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Healthcare access • Navigation |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: N/A

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: Can support other languages on case-by-case basis



Gilda's Club Chicago

Sector: Cancer Survivorship

537 N. Wells St., Chicago, IL 60654

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://www.gildasclubchicago.org/>

Phone 1-(312)-464-9900

E-mail info@gildasclubchicago.org

MISSION

Our mission is to ensure that all people impacted by cancer are empowered by knowledge, strengthened by action and sustained by community.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

- Support groups for patients and for family members or friends
- Bereavement groups
- Healthy lifestyle workshops
 - Mind/body activities
 - Expressive arts
- Educational lectures
- Social opportunities
- Yoga classes

- “Noogieland” program for kids and teens
- Molo Family Hospital Expansion Program
- GCC@School
- GCC@Work
- Spanish programming
- Polish programming
- Community outreach
- Free parking

AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: Chicago, Oak Lawn

Additional Chicagoland Locations: Advocate Christ Medical Center (Oak Lawn, IL), Mount Sinai Hospital, Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center of Northwestern University, Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: Yes

Services in Other Languages: N/A

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://howardbrown.org/>

Phone 1-(773)-388-1600

E-mail online email form

MISSION

Howard Brown Health exists to eliminate the disparities in healthcare experienced by lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender people through research, education and the provision of services that promote health and wellness.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary care • Men's health • Pediatric services • Trans and gender non-conforming health • Women's Health • Aging services • Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP)HIV/AIDS services • Linkage To Care, HIV/AIDS Services at Howard Brown • Alternative Insemination program • Recovering With Pride (substance abuse recovery program) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Broadway Youth Center <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Food bank ○ Clothing vouchers ○ Social space ○ Education/vocational services ○ Referrals for basic needs • Community testing sites & outreach services • Sexual health walk-in clinic services • Counseling and psychotherapy • Behavioral health providers • Intimate partner violence • Smoking cessation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Insurance enrollment assistance program • Advocacy & education • GED program • Health Education About LGBTQ Elders (HEALE), cultural competency curriculum for nurses • Support / Therapy Groups and Workshops <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Adults ○ Transgender & intersex youth ○ Intimate partner violence ○ Elder ○ Women |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: No

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: Chicago, various locations

Additional Chicagoland Locations: 5 additional clinic locations throughout Chicago

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A

Imerman Angels

Sector: Non-profit

205 W Randolph St 19th floor, Chicago, IL 60606

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://imermanangels.org/>

Phone 866-463-7626

E-mail info@imermanangels.org

MISSION

Provide comfort and understanding for all cancer fighters, survivors, previvors, and caregivers through a personalized, one-on-one connection with someone who has been there.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mentorship regarding cancer support • Cancer support resources | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Imerman Angels Brunch Run 5K & Walk • Annual Imerman Angels Gala • Archive of stories shared by those affected by cancer |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: n/a

Serves Specific Area: n/a

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/a

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: Yes

Programming in Polish:

Services in Other Languages: N/A



Instituto del Progreso Latino (INSTITUTO)

Sector: Community Based Organization & Education System
2520 S Western Avenue, Chicago, IL 60608

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://www.institutochicago.org/>
Phone 1-(773)-890-0055
E-mail info@idpl.org

MISSION

Our mission is to contribute to the fullest development of Latino immigrants and their families through education, training, and employment that fosters full participation in the changing US society while preserving cultural identity and dignity.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

- Career Pathways
- Citizenship
- Economic & Workforce Development
- Employment Services
- Youth Development

Adult Education

- Adult Basic Education
- English as a Second Language
- CYBER-ESL Program (online & in-person instruction)
- Spanish Literacy & Elementary education
- Nursing Career Pathways
 - Pre-Certified Nursing Assistant Program
 - Basic Nursing Assistant Program
- Manufacturing Works Program
- Retail Training Program

High School Education

Instituto Justice & Leadership Academy (IJLA)
(alternative charter h.s.)

Instituto Health Sciences Career Academy (IHSCA)

- ✓ Escalera College Bridge program (middle school - early HS support & college program)
- ✓ Elementary student after- school program

AREAS SERVED

Additional Locations:

Serves Chicago: Yes	Serves Suburbs: Yes (CBO)
Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A	Serves Specific Area: N/A
Instituto Health Sciences Career Academy 2570 S Blue Island Ave, Chicago, IL 60608	Instituto Justice and Leadership Academy 2555 S Blue Island Ave, Chicago, IL 60608

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes	Programming in English: Yes
Programming in Chinese: No	Programming in Polish: No
Services in Other Languages: N/A	

Metastatic Breast Cancer Network (MBCN)

Sector: Advocacy

MBCN, c/o SHARE, 165 West 46th Street, Suite 712, New York, NY 10036

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://www.mbcn.org>
Phone 1-(888) 500 – 0370
Email mbcn@mbcn.org

MISSION

The Metastatic Breast Cancer Network (MBCN), a volunteer, patient-led advocacy organization, seeks to address the unique needs and concerns of women and men who are living with metastatic or Stage IV breast cancer.

SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Online Metastatic Trial Search (clinical trial search engine designed for people with metastatic breast cancer) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MBCN funded grants (Metastatic research funding) • Advocacy • Metastatic Breast Cancer Alliance Member—work closely with leading breast cancer non-profits, researchers and industry | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Metastatic breast cancer educational resources in English and Spanish • Metastatic breast cancer resource database • Breast cancer patient empowerment |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific Area: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: No

Programming in Chinese: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Polish: No



Near North Health Service Corporation (Health Centers)

Sector: Federally Qualified Health Center

1276 N. Clybourn Ave, Chicago, IL 60610

And 10 Locations Across the city

<https://www.nearnorthhealth.org/locations>

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://www.nearnorthhealth.org/>

Phone 1-(312)-337-1073

MISSION

The Mission of Near North Health Service Corporation (NNHSC) is to provide access to high quality health care to improve the health and well-being of the diverse communities we serve. We are a culturally sensitive and culturally competent patient-centered community health center that empowers individuals through education, disease prevention, and health promotion, regardless of one's ability to pay. We seek to employ innovative, evidence-based practices and leverage technology to achieve and sustain positive health outcomes for our patients.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Primary care• Dental services• HIV early intervention• Women's health• Internal medicine (Adult health)• Pediatrics• Podiatry (Foot care)• Ophthalmology (Eye care)• Maternal and child health• Nutrition	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Patient transportation assistance (elderly and disabled)• WIC assistance• Health insurance counselors• Domestic violence counseling• Healthcare for the homeless• Substance abuse treatment• Mental health services• HIV testing and counseling	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Breastfeeding peer counseling program• Health education<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Diabetes○ Blood pressure○ Overweight/obesity○ Stress management○ Exercise○ Meditations○ Healthy eating• HIV community outreach and education• Patient-centered pharmacy
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: N/A

Additional Chicagoland Locations: 10 Health Center locations throughout Chicago

<https://www.nearnorthhealth.org/locations>

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A

Partnership for College Completion

Sector: Education Policy

200 S. Michigan Ave, Ste 1410, Chicago, IL 60604

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://partnershipfcc.org/>

Phone 1-(773)-340-9087

E-mail info@partnershipfcc.org

MISSION

To catalyze and champion policies, systems, and practices that ensure all students in and round Chicago – particularly low-income, first generation students – graduate from college and achieve their career aspirations.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

The Partnership for College Completions provides data, research, and policy advocacy in order to lead to increased outcomes for first generation, low income college students throughout the 7 county metropolitan area.

AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: N/A

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A



Project Brotherhood

Sector: Community Based Organization
6337 S Woodlawn Ave, Chicago, IL 60637

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://projectbrotherhood.net/>
Phone 1-(773)-753-5543
E-mail info@projectbrotherhood.net

MISSION

Project Brotherhood's mission is to increase the health awareness in Black men by training Black men & providing preventive health messages & literature in a cultural & gender specific way (age specific when necessary).

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community-based outreach and prevention program for African American men • Manhood development class • Fatherhood classes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Job readiness • Resume development • Doctor visits • Free condoms |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: No

Serves Specific ZIP Codes:

Serves Specific Area: Woodlawn and other surrounding southside communities

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A



Puerto Rican Cultural Center

Sector: Community Based Organization
2546 W Division St, Chicago, IL 60622

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://www.prcc-chgo.org/>

Phone 1-(773)-394-4935

E-mail info@prcc-chgo.org

MISSION

The Puerto Rican Cultural Center (PRCC) is a community-based, grassroots, educational, health and cultural services organization founded on the principles of self-determination, self-actualization and self-sufficiency that is activist-oriented. Community annual events celebrated are the Three Kings winterfest (toy giveaway), Peoples Parada, Fiesta Boricua and Haunted Paseo (safe focused trick-or-treating).

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urban agriculture initiative • Housing assistance • Temporary shelter for LGBT • CEDA-LIHEAP: Assistance to pay gas and light bills • Bilingual-bicultural daycare • Community library and information center | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Award-winning alternative high school • Community as a Campus (CAAC) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Teachers/administrators Institutes ○ Parent Popular Education Institute ○ Youth Leadership ○ Safe Passage Community Watchers • Young women's literacy program | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obesity prevention program • HIV and STD education and prevention program • Referral for health care • Free STI testing • Linkage to Mental Health Care Services, Substance Abuse Treatment and Case Management • Community-based, grassroots, educational, health and cultural services |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: No

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: Humboldt Park

Additional Chicagoland Locations: El Rescate LGBT Transitional living 2703 W Division, **VIDA/SIDA** 2640 W Division, **Safe Passage** 2546 W Division

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A



The Resurrection Project

Sector: Non-profit

1805 South Paulina Street, Chicago, IL 60608

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://resurrectionproject.org>

Phone (312) 666-1323

E-mail Online email form

MISSION

At The Resurrection Project we build relationships and challenge individuals to act on their faith and values to create healthier communities.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Financial Wellness<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Help families build financial security• Affordable Housing<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Provide access to affordable housing | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ELLAS Breast Cancer Survivorship support group• Leadership Development & Civic Engagement• Immigration services |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago:

Serves Specific ZIP Codes:

Serves Suburbs:

Serves Specific Area:

Additional Chicagoland Locations:

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in Chinese:

Services in Other Languages:

Programming in English:

Programming in Polish:



Susan G. Komen Foundation

Sector: Non-profit

213 West Institute Place, Suite 302
Chicago, IL 60610

CONTACT INFO

Website www.komenchicago.org
Phone 312-776-3361
Email info@komenchicago.org

MISSION

Save lives by meeting the most critical needs in our communities and investing in breakthrough research to prevent and cure breast cancer.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Information & education workshops• Support groups & counseling | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fitness classes• Cancer related nutrition & cooking demonstrations• Stress management classes | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Child & family classes: support groups, summer camps• |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: N/A

See here: (Counties) Cook, Lake, Kane, DuPage, McHenry

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Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: Yes

Programming in Polish: Yes

Services in Other Languages: Yes



Univision

Sector: Media

541 N Fairbanks Ct #11, Chicago IL 60611

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://www.univision.com/chicago/wgbo>

Phone 312-494-6483

E-mail univisionchicago@tv.univision.com

MISSION

To inform, entertain, and empower Chicago's 2.3 million Hispanics. Chicago Hispanics are now the largest ethnic minority group in the Chicagoland area, having grown nearly 50% since 2000. Serving the Chicagoland area since 1995, WGBO Univision Chicago has been an Emmy-award winning local news leader covering the issues that matter most to Chicago Hispanics, a top 5 broadcast station, regardless of language and the #1 Spanish language TV station.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

• Spanish Media

- Including: Univision television station, WGBO-TV, the UniMás television station, WXFT-TV, Regional Mexican radio station WOJO-FM (Que Buena 105.1), Adult Contemporary radio station WPPN-FM (Amor 106.7), Pop radio station WVIV-FM (Latino Mix 93.5), Sports station WRTO-AM (Univision Deportes Radio Chicago 1200) and Univisionchicago.com.

AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: No

Serves Specific Area: No

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: No

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: No

CONTACT INFO

Website www.wellnesshouse.org
Phone 630-323-5150
E-mail info@wellnesshouse.org

MISSION

Wellness House envisions a community where all people affected by cancer thrive. Offered at no cost, and as a complement to medical treatment, our programs educate, support, and empower participants so they will improve their physical and emotional well-being.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information & education workshops • Support groups & counseling | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fitness classes • Cancer related nutrition & cooking demonstrations • Stress management classes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child & family classes: support groups, summer camps |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Suburbs: Yes

Serves Specific Area: Yes

See here: Hinsdale, Arlington Heights, Berwyn, Downers Grove, Elmhurst, Mt. Prospect, Oak Park, Palatine, Lisle, River Forest

Additional Chicagoland Locations:

ALAS-Wings, Center on Halsted, St. Sylvester Church, UI Health Cancer Clinic, Mile Square Health Center

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Services in Other Languages: No

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Polish: No



WOT Foundation, Inc.

Sector: Cancer Survivorship

46 East 26th Street, Chicago, IL 60616

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://www.wotfoundation.com/>

Phone 1-(312)-326-2300

E-mail info@wotfoundation.org

MISSION

The W.O.T. Foundation, Inc. (Women on Top of Their Game) goal is to minimize if not eliminate barriers to success. Our members present solid programs with flexibility to meet the group and participants where they are and together start the journey of self satisfaction and accomplishments.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workshops & seminars • Networking opportunities • Continuing education unit for professionals & para-professionals • Mentorship • Retreats • Strategic planning | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patient navigator • Health education • Personal Chef (cooking demonstrations, meal preparation and nutritional consultation) • Corporate Get-aways • Conference Planning • Individual Care Planning |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes

Serves Suburbs: Limited

Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A

Serves Specific Area: N/A

Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes

Programming in English: Yes

Programming in Chinese: No

Programming in Polish: No

Services in Other Languages: N/A



YWCA Metropolitan Chicago Women's Health Exchange

Sector: Non-Profit

1 N LaSalle, Suite 1700, Chicago, IL 60602

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://whe.ywcachicago.org/>
Phone 1-866-525-YWCA (9922)
E-mail womenshealthx@ywcachicago.org

MISSION

YWCA Metropolitan Chicago is dedicated to eliminating racism, empowering women and promoting peace, justice, freedom and dignity for all. Through our Women's Health Exchange, we provide dedicated workshops and online resources to help women and their families maximize their physical, mental and financial health and wellness.

SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Help finding, understanding and using health insurance • Health and wellness education • Nutrition education • Young Parents Program • Sexual assault support groups, counseling, and medical and legal advocacy • Sexual violence prevention education and training | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic empowerment services including career services, financial management services, and business and entrepreneur services • Innovation and technology trainings • STEM programming for children • Child and Adult Care Food Program • Childcare Assistance Program and other resources |
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AREAS SERVED

Serves Chicago: Yes	Serves Suburbs: Yes
Serves Specific ZIP Codes: N/A	Serves Specific Area: N/A
Additional Chicagoland Locations: N/A	

LANGUAGES

Programming in Spanish: Yes	Programming in English: Yes
Programming in Chinese: No	Programming in Polish: No
Services in Other Languages: N/A	

Government Partners

CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS

MISSION

At Chicago Public Schools, our mission is to provide a high-quality public education for every child in every neighborhood, that prepares them for success in college, career, and civic life. This important work is grounded in our vision, a document created to align our efforts and provide a clear sense of our priorities over the next five years for all stakeholders. Our work begins with three commitments: academic progress, financial stability, and integrity.

CONTACT INFO

Website www.cps.edu

Address 42 W. Madison St., Chicago, IL 60602

Phone 1-(773)-553-1000

E-mail CPS departments have their own contact info. Visit the CPS website or call the number above for more information.



CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

MISSION

To promote and improve health by engaging residents, communities and partners in establishing and implementing policies and services that prioritize residents and communities with the greatest need.

CONTACT INFO

Website www.cityofchicago.org/health

Address 333 S State St. Room 200, Chicago, IL 60604

Phone 1-(312)-747-9884



CITY OF CHICAGO, OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

CONTACT INFO

Website www.cityofchicago.org/Mayor

Address 121 N LaSalle St., Chicago, IL 60602

Phone 311



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
CITY OF CHICAGO

JESSE BROWN VA MEDICAL CENTER

MISSION

Mission: Honor America's veterans by providing exceptional health care that improves their health and wellbeing. The Jesse Brown VA Medical Center consists of a 200-bed acute care facility and four community-based outpatient clinics (CBOCs). Jesse Brown VAMC provides care to approximately 62,000 enrolled veterans who reside in the City of Chicago and Cook County, Illinois, and in four counties in northwestern Indiana. In FY10, the medical center had over 8100 inpatient admissions and 560,000 outpatient visits. A budget of over \$355 million supports approximately 2,000 full-time equivalent staff, including 200+ physicians and 450 nurses, with 500+ volunteers providing service and care at Jesse Brown VAMC and CBOCs.

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://www.chicago.va.gov/>

Address 820 S Damen Ave., Chicago, IL 60612

Phone Phone: 1-(312) 569 – 8387

Telephone Care: 1-(888) 598 – 7793



JOHN H. STROGER, JR. HOSPITAL OF COOK COUNTY

MISSION

John H. Stroger, Jr. Hospital of Cook County is a teaching hospital that provides primary, specialty and tertiary healthcare services. The hospital has a staff of more than 300 attending physicians along with more than 400 medical residents and fellows.

The hospital serves as the hub for the Cook County Health & Hospitals System for delivery of specialty and sub-specialty care. More than 40% of the hospital's space is dedicated to an outpatient Specialty Care Center. The Level 1 Trauma Center is one of the most respected in the nation. The hospital's adult emergency room treats over 110,000 patients annually. While the Pediatrics emergency room treats 45,000 children and adolescents each year with a no wait policy.

In the proud tradition of its predecessor, Cook County Hospital, it remains at the forefront of new therapies and innovations in healthcare while never neglecting those in need. The John H. Stroger, Jr. Hospital of Cook County today continues to maintain the strong commitment of the Cook County Health & Hospitals System to the healthcare needs of Cook County's underserved population, while also offering a full-range of specialized medical services for all segments of the community.

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://cookcountyhealth.org/locations/john-h-stroger-jr-hospital-of-cook-county/>

Address 1969 W Ogden Ave., Chicago, IL 60612

Phone 1-(312)-864-6000



Section 2

ChicagoCHEC Academic Partners





Northeastern Illinois University

Sector: Academic Institution

5500 N St. Louis Ave, Chicago, IL 60625

CONTACT INFO

Website <http://www.neiu.edu/>

Phone 1-(773)-583-4050

E-mail info-desk@neiu.edu

MISSION

Northeastern Illinois University, as a public comprehensive university with locations throughout Chicago, provides an exceptional environment for learning, teaching, and scholarship.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Undergraduate education• Graduate education• Student support services• Student research services• Project Success to recruit and retain African American Students | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• McNair Scholars program to increase attainment of doctoral degrees by students from underrepresented segments of society• Proyecto Pa'Lante, to offer support services for Latino students who demonstrate academic potential but do not meet the general University admissions requirements |
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Northeastern Illinois University Center of Health

Sector: Academic Institution
5500 N St. Louis Ave, Chicago, IL 60625

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://www.neiu.edu/academics/our-centers-and-programs/center-of-health>
E-mail centerofhealth@neiu.edu

MISSION

The Center of Health's mission is to promote the ongoing pursuit, lifestyle and advancement of health by engaging, motivating, challenging and celebrating the health victories of students, faculty and staff.

SERVICES & PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research and Statistical Services Core• ADDA Achieves - Virtual Study Halls, Curricular Development• Center of Health CREW – Student Organization• Annual Women in Science Conference• Math Modeling Workshops | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The HORIZON – center sponsored webinars, panels, etc.• Summer Data Camp Challenge – encourage applied, scientific exploration of NEIU Student Behavior Survey, 2008-2020 |
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Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center of Northwestern University

Sector: Clinical Cancer Center/Galter pavilion
675 N St.Clair Street, 21st Floor, Chicago,
IL 60611

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://www.cancer.northwestern.edu/>
Phone 312-908-5250
E-mail cancer@northwestern.edu

Additional Chicagoland Locations:

Academic campuses in Evanston and downtown Chicago, as well as associated hospitals and health centers throughout Chicago/Illinois including Northwestern Memorial Hospital, Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago, Shirley Ryan Ability Lab and Jesse Brown VA Medical Center.

MISSION:

The Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center of Northwestern University is committed to being a national leader in the battle to overcome cancer. To this end, the Lurie Cancer Center is dedicated to: scientific discovery, advancing medical knowledge, providing compassionate state-of-the-art care, and training the next generation of clinicians and scientists.

SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Clinical trials• Patient services (on-site pharmacy, accessibility resources, discounted lodging, financial assistance)• Palliative care services• Clinical Cancer Center• Specialty Cancer Programs• Cancer Survivorship Institute• Pediatric cancer programs• New Patient Orientation | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Supportive oncology team<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Clinical psychologists○ Nutrition Services○ Psychiatry team○ Financial counseling○ Health learning center○ Gilda's Club on-site support programs○ Nurse navigators○ Fertility preservation program navigator○ Social workers○ Coordinator of supportive oncology education |
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SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

Research Training

Summer Research Opportunity Program

The Summer Research Opportunity Program (SROP) is a seven-week remote competitive research experience at Northwestern University for sophomores and juniors from colleges and universities across the United States. All fields of research at Northwestern are open to SROP participants including the social sciences and humanities, physical sciences, chemical and biological sciences, technology, math and engineering fields. Those belonging to groups that have been traditionally underrepresented in graduate education (e.g., certain racial and ethnic minorities, women in STEM, first-generation college students, etc.) are encouraged to apply

- **Contact:** Big Ten Academic Alliance SROP Program Manager
1819 S Neil Street, Suite D, Champaign, IL 61820
srop.coordinator@btaa.org or call (217)-300-0386.

CURE Program

A summer research program at the Lurie Cancer Center of Northwestern University for underserved college students interested in pursuing careers in the biomedical sciences. It is funded by a grant from the National Cancer Institute (NCI). Each year the Lurie Cancer Center accepts 12 college students to work alongside top cancer researchers in state-of-the-art laboratories. The scientists act as mentors and work with students on nationally funded laboratory research projects during the eight-week summer program. Students are introduced to the basics of cancer biology and receive career guidance through weekly focused seminars presented by faculty members. At the end of the CURE program, each trainee is required to prepare a brief written summary and to give an oral report of his or her project to fellow CURE students and faculty mentors. Note: Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, the program is currently not accepting applications.

- **Link:** <https://www.cancer.northwestern.edu/research/education-training/summer-research/cure.html>
- **Contact:** Gina Kirsammer, PhD, CURE Program Director: CUREprogram@northwestern.edu

Education

EvanSTEM

Northwestern in partnership with the City of Evanston, Evanston Public Library, Evanston/Skokie School District 65, Evanston Township High School District 202, McGaw YMCA, Family Focus and Youth and Opportunity United (Y.O.U.) helped launch EvanSTEM, a program that seeks to coordinate partnerships and programs to build relationships with underrepresented students along STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) pathways to and through high school into college and career.

- **Link:** <http://www.district65.net/Page/1151>
- **Contact:** Kirby Girolami Callam. Project Director, EvanSTEM. (847) 859-8059, callamk@district65.net

Evanston Cradle to Career

Evanston Cradle to Career is a collaborative partnership of more than 40 organizations and 150 community members who aim to be a catalyst for change by addressing systems that affect and undermine children and families in Evanston.

- **Link:** <http://evanstonc2c.org/>
- **Address:** 2010 Dewey Ave, Evanston IL 60201. **Phone:** 847.920.7605

NU-Chicago STAR Partnership

Northwestern University has partnered with the City Colleges of Chicago to offer a Northwestern Star Scholarship Award to talented students who attend a Chicago Public School and go on to complete an associate's degree at a City College.

- **Link:** <https://undergradaid.northwestern.edu/types-of-aid/scholarships-grants/northwestern-scholarships.html#Star>

- *Contact:* Kimberley Lindsay, Associate Director, Transfer Coordinator, 847-491-7344, Kimberley.lindsay@northwestern.edu

Health

Women's Health Research Institute (WHRI)

A unique community of researchers, clinicians, students and advocates affiliated with Northwestern University dedicated to improving women's health by advancing the field of sex-based biology.

- Monthly research forums; paid summer positions for undergraduate students interested in oncofertility laboratory research; science education summer academies for high school females in Chicago; mentoring program between female high school girls and science graduate and medical students
- *Link:* <http://secrtt.com/about-institute.htm>
- *Address:* 303 E Superior Street, Suite 10-121, Chicago Illinois 60611. *Phone:* 312-503-1385

Center for Audiology, Speech, Language, and Learning

○ *Adult Cognitive Screenings*

Free community screenings give participants a baseline of their overall cognitive health. Confidential 20-minute cognitive screenings involve answering written and verbal questions that are commonly used by allied health professionals to gauge brain health through memory, speech, and other related indicators. Please contact us at 847-491-3165 if you would like to host a screening event or register for an upcoming screening.

○ *Hearing Screenings*

Free hearing screenings conducted by the clinic are held in various locations throughout the year. Call 847-491-3165 if you would like to host a screening event or register for an upcoming screening.

○ *Youth Speech-Language Screenings*

Schools and daycares often invite speech-language pathologist teams to assess speech-language development.

- *Link:* <https://nucasl.northwestern.edu/>

- *Address:* 2315 Campus Drive, Evanston, IL 60208. *Phone:* 847-491-3165

Other

Northwestern Bluhm Legal Clinic Center on Wrongful Convictions

The Center on Wrongful Convictions is dedicated to identifying and rectifying wrongful convictions and other serious miscarriages of justice. To date, the Center has exonerated more than forty innocent men, women and children from states around the country. To get help from the Center, community members can mail them a request to review their case as long as it meets two pieces of criteria (1) actual innocence, and (2) that the case is in post-conviction status.

- *Link:* <http://www.law.northwestern.edu/legalclinic/wrongfulconvictions/assistance/>

- Center on Wrongful Convictions
Northwestern Pritzker School of Law
375 East Chicago Avenue
Chicago, Illinois 60611
○ *Phone:* 312.503.8576

NU Center for Civic Engagement

The mission of NU's Center for Civic Engagement is to facilitate engaged student learning while promoting a lifelong commitment to social responsibility and active citizenship. To do this, the Center's website allows local organizations and community members to know how and who to collaborate with at Northwestern University. The center also offers venues for community members to subscribe to the civic engagement email digest; host an undergraduate or graduate student intern; be a site for a student volunteer group; host students for a field experience at your organization; attend an event at Northwestern.

- *Link:* <https://engage.northwestern.edu/>
- *Contact:* engage@northwestern.edu or visit in person at 1813 Hinman Avenue on the Northwestern Evanston campus. *Phone:* 847-467-3047

Northwestern/Evanston Skilled Trades Training Program

Teaches community members skills through an apprenticeship program in the University's Facilities Management Division. Program hires six individuals per year for this apprenticeship.

- *Link:* <http://www.northwestern.edu/communityrelations/about/our-partnerships/northwestern-evanston-skilled-trades-training-program.html>
- *Contact:* Martha Logan at 847-448-8041 or mlogan@cityofevanston.org

Northwestern University Student Volunteer Request

Makes visible community-based volunteer opportunities available to Northwestern University students. Community members can also post available volunteer opportunities on the website.

- *Link:* <https://www.northwestern.edu/lead-engage/community-engagement/connect-community-partners/index.html>
- *Contact:* 847-491-2350 or visit Norris Center, 3rd Floor, Suite J, on the Northwestern Evanston campus.

NU Neighborhood and Community Relations

Every month, they provide a catalogue of on-campus events and opportunities open to the public. These include special performances from world-renowned musicians, family-friendly events for children, Big 10 athletics, and lectures in the humanities and sciences. They also have a newsletter available that you can subscribe to.

- *Link:* <https://www.northwestern.edu/communityrelations/>
- *Contact:* engage@northwestern.edu or visit in person at 1800 Sherman Ave, Suite 7-100, Evanston, IL 60208. *Phone:* 847-491-2484.



Center for Health Equity Transformation

Sector: Clinical Cancer Center/Galter pavilion
625 N. Michigan Ave, Suite 1100, Chicago,
IL 60611

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://www.feinberg.northwestern.edu/sites/chet/>
Phone 312-503-0691
E-mail healthequity@northwestern.edu

About Us:

The Center for Health Equity Transformation is a joint center between the Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center of Northwestern University and the Institute for Public Health and Medicine.

MISSION:

To lift health for all by exposing root causes of health inequities and serving as a hub that pushes boundaries in research, education, workforce development, and community engagement.

Health equity is the prioritization of historically marginalized and disenfranchised groups in order to extend and provide the fair and just opportunity for access and use of quality health and non-health social services (e.g. housing, education, etc.) that are usually given to privileged persons without discrimination, racism, and additional undue burdens that create and sustain obstacles to health.

RESEARCH CATEGORIES

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cancer Health Equity• Diversity in Clinical Trials and Prevention• Patient Navigation Quality Improvement for the Medically Underserved | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Womxn's Reproductive and Maternal Health• Healthy Aging• Food Insecurity and Sustainability• Education and Training |
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University of Illinois Cancer Center

Sector: Cancer Center

818 S. Wolcott, 4th floor, Chicago, IL 60612

CONTACT INFO

Website <https://cancer.uillinois.edu/>
Phone (312)413-5598
E-mail N/A

Additional Chicagoland Locations:

Mile Square Health center locations throughout Chicago/Illinois. Click [here](#) to view locations.

<http://hospital.uillinois.edu/patients-and-visitors/mile-square-federally-qualified-health-center/locations>

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Our Cancer Center philosophy and execution functions under five cores: Education, Community, Clinical Science and Services, Basic Sciences and Shared Resources. These cores underlie our priorities. Our clinicians and researchers, of whom make up our highly distinguished faculty, not only train our future healthcare providers, but are breaking new ground in the process with continual research on cancer. The Office of Community Engaged Research and Implementation Science (OCERIS) of the University of Illinois Cancer Center also facilitates this value of education through community screenings and prevention opportunities, by embedding themselves within the groups of people who most need our care. Our labs and hospital facilities are stocked with state-of-the-art technology, allowing our clinicians to treat their patients and our researchers to seek out cancer's demons, using the basics of science and modern medicine. Finally, our Shared Resources are plentiful, providing our Cancer Center with the many tools needed to conduct innovative clinical trials that are in their earliest stages, and develop novel pharmaceuticals that are changing the way cancer is treated. Mile Square offers our patients an opportunity for primary health care and cancer screening as needed, under the umbrella of the Federally Qualified Health Care Systems. Our mission of serving the underserved is carried throughout, with our partnership to the UI Health Mile Square Health Centers as a way to maintain that connection. Within this context, we are building a model to provide our constituents with access to the best healthcare possible. Ultimately, our goal is to develop a bench to community model of care that translates the science of cancer into the welcoming arms of a community that cares. The combination of our laboratory research, clinical trials and patient care enables our Cancer Center teams to actively translate knowledge gained, into an improved quality of life for persons and families impacted by cancer.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS CANCER CENTER SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clinical trials • Cancer treatment • Survivor empowerment network support group • Cancer patient support group • Pain management • Palliative care • Pastoral services | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cancer genetics • Childhood cancer survivorship clinic • Fertility preservation • Radiation oncology • Surgical oncology • Clinical research • Population health research | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Therapeutics research • Chemoprevention research • Cancer biology research • Community-engaged research • Implementation science • Medical school education |
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The University of Illinois at Chicago

Sector: Cancer Center

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MISSION

- To create knowledge that transforms our views of the world and, through sharing and application, transforms the world.
- To provide a wide range of students with the educational opportunity only a leading research university can offer.
- To address the challenges and opportunities facing not only Chicago but all Great Cities of the 21st century, as expressed by our Great Cities Commitment.
- To foster scholarship and practices that reflect and respond to the increasing diversity of the U.S. in a rapidly globalizing world.
- To train professionals in a wide range of public service disciplines, serving Illinois as the principal educator of health science professionals and as a major healthcare provider to underserved communities

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

Research

As Chicago's only public research university, real-world problems are solved through innovation and discovery. Research at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) is re-shaping educational policy; developing cleaner, more sustainable energy; helping to make sense of today's vast amounts of computer-generated data; and driving economic development by moving research to practical application. Outstanding programs range from the creation of new medical diagnostic techniques to turning carbon dioxide into fuel.

Education

UIC is made up of 15 colleges dedicated to the discovery and distribution of knowledge, with research strengths in the areas of computer science, sustainability, bioengineering, health sciences, psychology and education. UIC features 15 academic colleges, 83 bachelor's, 93 masters and 64 doctoral degree programs.

Health

A part of UIC, UI Health includes a hospital, 22 outpatient clinics, and 12 Mile Square Health Center facilities. It also includes the seven UIC health science colleges: the College of Applied Health Sciences; the College of Dentistry; the School of Public Health; the Jane Addams College of Social Work; and the Colleges of Medicine, Pharmacy, and Nursing.



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