

Registration Open!

Registration Open until May 2 or until class is full



Community Health Worker Certificate Program

The Michigan Community Health Worker Alliance (MiCHWA), in collaboration with Alpena Community College and Thunder Bay Community Health Service, Inc., is launching a MiCHWA Community Health Worker (CHW) Training Program in Alpena, MI. Individuals who successfully complete the program will receive a certificate of completion signed by MiCHWA. Successful completion of the program does not guarantee employment but does enhance your employability in the community health worker profession.

When: In-class sessions on Wednesdays, May 16-August 22, 2018 from 8:30am to 5:00pm, including independent study hours to total 126 training hours. The training graduation will be on August 22nd. There will be no class on July 4th due to the holiday.

Where: Alpena Community College, WCCT #104, 665 Johnson St, Alpena, MI 49707

Commitment: 126 Training Hours (in-class sessions, homework, exams, independent study) + 40 Internship Hours (*if not employed as a CHW*)

Cost: \$1,130 per student

*Fee includes participant access to MiCHWA CHW Registry for one year

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DESCRIPTION

The curriculum is designed to train front-line health workers to provide culturally responsive services in Michigan communities. Each of the 8 core competencies are presented in modules that promote the development of skills needed to become gainfully employed as a community health worker and enhance the knowledge base of those already employed. The internship consists of field experiences in local agencies where the focus is for the student to apply and integrate their course work into practice. Students currently employed in a CHW role will complete internship at their place of work.

TRAINING PRE-REQUISITES

- High School Diploma or GED
- Good oral and written communication skills
- Basic computer skills
- Independent work in community setting
- Interview with instructor

**If not employer sponsored*

We will not conduct a drug screen or background check; however, most employers require both