



Help Bring Hearing & Vision Care to Your Community! Call for Community Health Workers (CHWs)

We're excited to share a unique opportunity for Community Health Workers (CHWs) to help improve hearing and vision care access in underserved communities.

Why this matters:

- Only 18% of adults who need hearing care actually receive it.
- Untreated hearing and vision loss are linked to falls, depression, cognitive decline, and higher health care costs.
- Older adults with both hearing and vision loss face even greater health challenges.

We're launching a pilot program to train CHWs on how to recognize and respond to hearing and vision concerns in their communities—and we need your help!

We're looking for 5 CHWs to participate in this short, paid pilot.

What's involved?

- Participate in a CHW training program—complete it at your own pace [approximately 3 one-hour trainings]
- Respond to feedback surveys
- Join one virtual focus group

You will be compensated \$500.00 for your time on this project.

Interested or want to learn more?

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Thank you for the important work you do—together we can make hearing and vision care more accessible to everyone.



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