



**Boston Public Health Commission
Community Health Education Center (CHEC)
Trainings for FY2016-2017**



Trainings Offered

The **Comprehensive Outreach Education Certificate (COEC) program** has expanded to 80 hours to meet anticipated certification requirements in Massachusetts for CHWs covering 10 core competencies and 18 hours of health knowledge modules.

Fall 2016 Winter & Spring 2017 COEC Program

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| • Client & Community Assessment | • Client Advocacy | • Outreach Day II |
| • Community Capacity Building | • Documentation Day I | • Professional Skills & Conduct |
| • Community Organizing | • Documentation Day II | • Public Health Concepts & Approach |
| • Cultural Responsiveness | • Effective Communication | |
| | • Behavioral Change | |
| | • Outreach Day I | |

Health Modules

Three-to-five hour sessions focusing on health facts and local referral resources so that CHWs can provide health information and referrals on a broad range of health topics to their communities.

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| • Adolescent Health | • Healthy Eating | • Parenting Skills |
| • Asthma | • HIV/AIDS | • Sexually Transmitted Infections |
| • Breast Cancer | • LGBT | • Substance Abuse |
| • Childhood Health | • Human Sexuality | • Women & HIV |
| • CPR | • Mental Health | |
| • Diabetes Prevention | • Promoting Community Preparedness | |
| • Domestic Violence | | |
| • Family Planning | | |

Skills Building Workshops & Specialized Health Seminars

Build CHW skills to help individual clients make changes to improve their health.

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| • Asthma Home Visiting (off-site) | • Presentation Skills & Techniques | • Train the Trainer |
| • Motivational Interviewing | • Supervisory Skills | |

Organizations Served

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| • ABCD, Inc. | • Cambridge Health Alliance | • DEAF, Inc. |
| • Beacon Health Options | • Casa Esperanza, Inc. | • Family Nurturing Center |
| • Boston Medical Center | • Codman Square Health Center | • Greater New Bedford Community Health Center |
| • Brockton Neighborhood Health Center | • Community Nurse Care Inc. | • Suffolk County District Attorney Office |

CHEC serves over **85** organizations across Massachusetts annually. Below is a partial list of organizations:

Number of Community Health Workers Trained

901 community health workers, supervisors and front-line health workers participated in trainings at BPHC's Community Health Education Center.

