



TACHC Weekly Wrap-Up

The Heartbeat of Texas Community Health Centers

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UPCOMING EVENTS

[Superior Healthplan FQHC Days](#)

Superior Healthplan is hosting FQHC Days across the state. The goal of the sessions is to ensure FQHCs are informed of Superior's key processes, upcoming quality programs and have the opportunity to give feedback to the health plan. **Go here for the schedule.** For more information, contact Superior's **Ambar S. Qureshi** 361.994.5620

[Join TACHC at Clinical Directors' Institute 2015](#)

We're excited to invite you to this year's **Clinical Directors' Institute, Focusing Care by Expanding Your Vision**, on **July 17th and 18th in Frisco, TX**. We will use diabetes as a lens to look at improving care, with the understanding that lessons learned from diabetes care can apply to other chronic conditions. We will expand our definitions of health and patient-centered care to better understand the realities of our patients' lives and better meet their needs. **Full agenda and registration information.** Make your \$149/night reservation by **June 15th** at

TACHC 15 Clinical Director Institute - Guest Room Block or by calling 1-888-627-8116.

Outreach & Enrollment Conference

TACHC invites all health center Outreach and Enrollment staff and supervisors to attend this year's conference with a theme of ***Putting the "Outreach" in Outreach and Enrollment***. The conference will focus on effective outreach strategies to targeted populations to educate them on health insurance options and how to enroll. Contact **Sonia Lara** for more information. **CLICK** or call 512-733-6767 to reserve your guest room rate of \$120/night by September 2nd.

CLINICAL AFFAIRS

Adult Safety Net and VFC Programs Expand Formularies

See Group Purchasing for more information.

Billers, Coder, and Provider ICD-10 Readiness

Registration is now open for our last in-person ICD-10 training before the transition in October! Join us on Saturday, **July 18th, in Frisco, Texas, for a full-day or half-day session**, depending on your individual needs. The morning will be tailored for billers and coders, while the afternoon will include more information for providers. **Please find the agenda and registration information at this link.**

POLICY

Federal Appropriations Update, Thanking Your Members of Congress & National Health Center Week (NHCW)

TACHC has an **update for members** on the remaining federal appropriations work that Congress must finish for our FY16 funding. The memo also includes information and tools/templates for thanking your Member of Congress for the tremendous victory in the passage of H.R. 2 which contained \$7.2 billion in mandatory health center funding and NHCW. **Click for the Board Resolution Template. Click for the Local Media Release Template.** Contact **Andrea Abel** for more information.

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

Volunteer Management Webcast Now Available

Miss last week's volunteer management and civic engagement webcast? **You can see it here!** Watch the recording for tips on volunteer recruitment and management, as well as how to incorporate civic engagement and advocacy into your volunteer program. Contact TACHC Civic Engagement Director **Courtney Weaver** with any questions!

GROUP PURCHASING

Adult Safety Net and VFC Programs Expand Formularies

DSHS Immunization Branch has expanded the **Adult Safety Net (ASN) Program formulary** to now include Menveo, Menactra (meningococcal), Zostavax (zoster) and Varivax (varicella). More information on the attached memo.

DSHS Immunization Branch has also expanded the Texas Vaccines for Children (VFC) Program to include Gardasil 9. More information on VFC is available here. There is more information available at www.txpeds.org.

R&R

TACHC R&R Salary & Benefits Compensation Survey!

In an effort to provide useful information for Compensation and Benefits planning, TACHC R&R distributed a compensation and benefits salary survey on 6/2/2015 to Executive and Human Resources staff, please make sure your center is participating! **Please complete the survey by June 19th.** Please direct any questions to the Recruitment & Retention Department at 512-329-5959.

NEWS

Don't miss out. Follow TACHC on **facebook** and **twitter**.

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