

# HEALTH EQUITY & SOCIAL JUSTICE CONFERENCE 2020

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Friday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020

*Hosted by DePaul University's Master of Public Health  
Program and the Center for Community Health Equity*

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## **\*\*CALL FOR ABSTRACTS\*\***

Join us for the 13<sup>th</sup> annual Health Equity & Social Justice (HESJ) Conference! The conference will take place on Friday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, this year's conference will be held virtually.

HESJ 2020 will focus on the Chicago public health/health care community's response to current events, primarily the pandemic and racial justice. The conference planning committee will give priority to abstracts for skill-building workshops and roundtable discussions from community partners and community-based organizations. Our intent is to use the conference to bring together community voices, share best practices, and provide a forum for organizations in the Chicagoland area to engage in lively, solution-oriented discussions at a time when many of us are separated by remote work. Please join us!

We are now accepting submissions for:

1. Skill-Building Workshops (90 minutes)
2. Roundtable Discussions (90 minutes)
3. Oral Presentations (20 minutes)
4. Poster Presentations (5 minute pre-recorded presentations)

## Submission Requirements

Your submission should include:

- Your name, organizational affiliation, and contact information
- Title of the presentation
- Preferred format (skill-building workshop, roundtable discussion, oral, poster)
- Population(s) addressed
- 250-word abstract
- Three (3) learning objectives. For example: By the end of this presentation, participants will be able to –
  1. List various core competencies for community members' equitable involvement in research.
  2. Describe effective training methods in research for immigrant community members.

### Submission and Review Timeline

- Proposals must be submitted via email to [mph@depaul.edu](mailto:mph@depaul.edu) by 5:00PM on Friday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020.
- Submitting authors will receive notification of acceptance by 5:00PM on Friday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020.
- Abstracts for oral presentations will be grouped together by conference organizers to create thematic sessions.

*\*\*Please direct conference questions to [mph@depaul.edu](mailto:mph@depaul.edu).\*\**

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For information about last year's conference, please visit  
<https://healthequitychicago.org/2019/08/05/health-equity-social-justice-conference-2019/>

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