



Friends!

Public Health Institute of Metropolitan Chicago (PHIMC) is proud to host our inaugural *Youth Health Conference: My Health, My Voice, Authentically Me*, on **Saturday, May 31, 2025 from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.**

PHIMC recognizes young people's voices as central to shaping strategies, practices, and policies that will impact their lives. The 2025 Youth Health Conference will amplify and engage young people and their champions across Chicago in strategic conversations around health-related topics, including substance use prevention and education, mental health, LGBTQIA+ health, HIV prevention and education, and justice involvement. Attendees will experience student-led learning, real conversations, and fresh insights on delivering quality health services to young people. This conference is free and open to the public, and will be held in Chicago.

PHIMC envisions systems that impact how we live, work, and play as compassionate, affirming, and racially equitable, supporting health and well-being for all people. For 30 years, PHIMC has worked alongside partners throughout Illinois, including nonprofit organizations, community-based organizations, cross-sector government agencies, and other institutions, to bridge gaps, leverage resources, and address oppressive policies that hurt people. PHIMC currently leads three programs connected to youth health: The Alliance, the Next Generation Wellness Network, and the School Health Access Collaborative (SHAC). The Youth Health Conference will build on the work of these programs and empower youth across Chicago on issues related to social drivers of health. Please find enclosed more details about PHIMC's youth programming, and our other initiatives for health justice.

We invite you to sponsor the *2025 Youth Health Conference: My Health, My Voice, Authentically Me*. **We offer sponsorship opportunities at the \$1,000, \$2,500, and \$5,000 levels, as well as in-kind donations. We are also offering two exclusive sponsorships at the \$10,000 level - act fast!** We expect to engage 200 young people and adult allies. Each sponsor will be recognized in event marketing materials distributed to more than 5,000 people before, during, and after the event.

**We ask that sponsorship agreement forms be submitted to [youthhealthconference@phimc.org](mailto:youthhealthconference@phimc.org) no later than May 22, 2025.**

PHIMC is committed to deconstructing racist systems, preventing trauma, ending the HIV epidemic in Illinois, and ensuring our team is collectively moving the needle to achieve health equity and find our way to justice. We hope that you will consider joining us. If you have any additional questions or need to contact us, please email [youthhealthconference@phimc.org](mailto:youthhealthconference@phimc.org).

Sincerely,

Karen A. Reitan  
President & CEO

Dr. Dan'iel Kendricks  
Chief Program Officer



## Youth Health Conference Sponsorship Agreement Form

COMPANY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

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I/we agree to sponsor the *2025 Youth Health Conference* at the following level:

☐ **ADVOCATE - \$5,000 - ONLY 2 AVAILABLE!**

Company logo and personal message on a dedicated slide at conference  
Company logo and personal message on two dedicated social media posts  
Exhibit table throughout the conference, includes two chairs  
Company logo in the Whova Conference App, used by all conference attendees  
Company logo on conference website  
Press release mention going out to at least 50 Illinois journalists  
Acknowledgment in email communications about the conference to 5K subscribers  
One live mention at the conference

☐ **ALLY - \$2,500**

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☐ **PROMOTER - \$1,000**

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☐ **SUPPORTER - OTHER AMOUNT: \$\_\_\_\_\_**

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☐ **COLLABORATOR - IN-KIND DONATIONS -**

*e.g., providing a discount for goods/services or promoting the conference through our networks*

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**YOUR GENEROSITY IS GREATLY APPRECIATED!**