

New Mexico Opioid TeleECHO™ for Community Health Workers and Peer Support Workers

New Mexicans are Dying of Opioid Use Disorder

“The 93,000 drug overdose deaths of 2020 represent a horrifying increase of 30% from the previous year. Effective tools for treatment are being underutilized and stigma provokes punishment rather than treatment.”

Dr. Nora Volkow, director, National Institute of Drug Abuse

You Can Help!

Fall Cohort:

Oct. 21, 2021 through Feb. 3, 2021
Thursdays 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. MT

Participants receive:

- Up to 20 CHW CEUs certified by the New Mexico Department of Health (NMDOH).
- Input on real patient cases from addiction specialists and peers.
- Participation in a close community of virtual learners with access to treatment guidelines, tools, and patient resources.



Training provided at NO COST!

Register here by Oct. 15, 2021

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<https://hsc.unm.edu/echo/partner-portal/programs/nmchw-pws/>

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**Join this statewide no cost training and be a part of the
solution to the opioid epidemic.**

This teleECHO program is a weekly, online training for
Community Health Workers (CHWs), Peer Support Workers and Patient Navigators.
Connect on your computer or smartphone using Zoom.

What is this program?

- 12 Weeks of Core Curriculum designed to meet the NMDOH CHW Core Requirements
- Weekly, 1.5 hour, virtual teleECHO sessions on Thurs, 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. MT,
- Oct. 21, 2021 through Feb. 3, 2021.
- Participants will have the opportunity to present a de-identified patient/client case and receive recommendations from the network.

What is the curriculum?

Topics include:

- Opioid Use Disorder 101
- Pain Management 101
- Stigma and Language
- Scope of Practice: Your Role in Addressing Opioid Use
- Harm Reduction
- Stimulant Use Disorder
- Medication Assisted Treatment
- Overdose Reversal
- Supporting Friends, Family and Survivors
- Self Care and Boundaries
- Motivational Interviewing
- Linking to Care and Community Resources

**The Fall Cohort Starts
Oct. 21, 2021**

Reserve your spot today!