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There are several opportunities to connect with other public health professionals, expand your knowledge and experience, and open up new opportunities.

- Missouri Public Health Association
 MOPHA Missouri Public Health Association Membership
- Ozarks Public Health Institute
 Ozarks Public Health Institute Missouri State
- Midwestern Public Health Training Center (MPHTC)
 Midwestern Public Health Training Center A Member of the Public Health Learning Network (mphtc.org)
- Heartland Center
 Heartland Center Heartland Center for Population Health & Community Systems Dev. | For Population Health and Community Systems Development (heartlandcenters.com)
- NACCHO
 NACCHO

Podcasts

- MCH Bridges
 - MCH Bridges: The Official AMCHP Podcast (buzzsprout.com)
- Public Health on Call
 Public Health On Call Podcast | Johns Hopkins | Bloomberg School of Public Health (jhu.edu)
- Share Public Health
 Share Public Health on Apple Podcasts
- The NACCHO Podcast Series
 The NACCHO Podcast Series (libsyn.com)



1 in 3 Missouri Homes Have Elevated Radon Results

Radon is a naturally-occurring colorless and odorless gas that is found throughout Missouri. Radon can build up in any home or building, whether it has a basement, is sealed or drafty, or is new or old. Elevated radon levels are associated with an increased risk of lung cancer. Learn more here: https://health.mo.gov/living/environment/radon/

The DHSS, Bureau of Environmental Epidemiology offers free radon kits to Missouri residents. Order your kits here: https://states.aelabs.com/#/mo



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I hear a lot of MCH-related organizations talk about AMCHP- what does that stand for and what is it?

AMCHP stands for Association of Maternal and Child Health Programs. The mission of AMCHP is to advance the health of women, children, youth, families, and communities by strengthening governmental public health and deepening community partnerships through a health equity lens.

AMCHP supports its members and the broader public health community by disseminating best practices; advocating on their behalf in Washington; providing technical assistance; convening leaders to share experiences and ideas; and advising states about involving partners to reach our common goal of healthy children, healthy families, and healthy communities.

Learn more about AMCHP here:

https://amchp.org/

MCH Innovations Database:

https://amchp.org/mch-innovations-database/

Learning Modules:

https://amchp.org/modules/

PULSE Newsletters:

https://amchp.org/pulse-newsletters/

Membership:

https://amchp.org/member-benefits/



REMINDERS

- April, 2023 (FFY 23) Invoicing tool/DH-38 due May 15th
- Save the Date, MCH HUDDLE (virtual), May 25th 9am-11am
- DNCs will be working with you to complete on-site visits April-June



Something to Think On

"Your present circumstances don't determine where you go; they merely determine where you start."

-Dr. Lauren Fogel Mersy

