THS CONNECTICUT Office of Health Strategy

Community Health Worker Advisory Body (CHWAB)

January 4, 2023



CHW Advisory Body Meeting Agenda

- 1. Welcome & introductions
- 2. Public Comment
- 3. Meeting Summary Review and Approval of November 2023 Minutes
- 4. Guest: Luz Rivera, Sparkler
- 5. Community Health Worker Association of CT Update
- 6. Train the Trainer Discussion
- 7. Marketing and Outreach Update
- 8. DPH Update
- 9. General Questions
- 10. Next Steps
- 11. Adjourn



Welcome and Introductions



Interim Chair Rachel Rusnak, MPA

Office of Health Strategy

Laura Morris

Practitioner & Licensing, DPH

Kim Barry CHW Employing Agency

Thames Valley Council for Community
Action

Appointment: August 1, 2022

Stephen Fran Thung Healthcare Provider

Bridgeport Hospital Appointment: August 18, 2023

Mildred Landock Community Health Worker

Lead CHW
YNHH-Project Access
Appointment: October 17, 2019

Erika Lynch
Rep of Regional Community College

Workforce Development Gateway Community College

Vacant Community Health Worker

Nilda Paris Community Health Worker

Director, CT Center for Patient Safety Appointment: October 17, 2019

Derricia Parker Community Health Worker

Outreach and Enrollment Manager StayWell Health Center Appointment: October 17, 2019

Vacant Community Health Worker

Adriana Rojas Healthcare Employer

Project Manager for CHW Pilot Program
Community Health Center, Inc.
Appointment; October 25, 2019

Milagrosa Seguinot

Executive Director
CHW Association of Connecticut
Appointment: October 17, 2019

Liza Estevez Community Health Worker

Manager, Patient Navigation
Yale New Haven Health
Appointment: November 11, 2021

Fernando Morales Community Based CHW Training

Southwest AHEC Appointment: April 1, 2021

Public Comment



Review and Approve November 2023 Meeting Summary



Guest Speaker: Luz Rivera, Sparkler





Community Health Worker Association of CT Update





Train the Trainer Update





Marketing and Outreach Update



DPH Update



General Questions





Looking Forward – Next Steps

Next Meeting: March 2024



Adjourn

