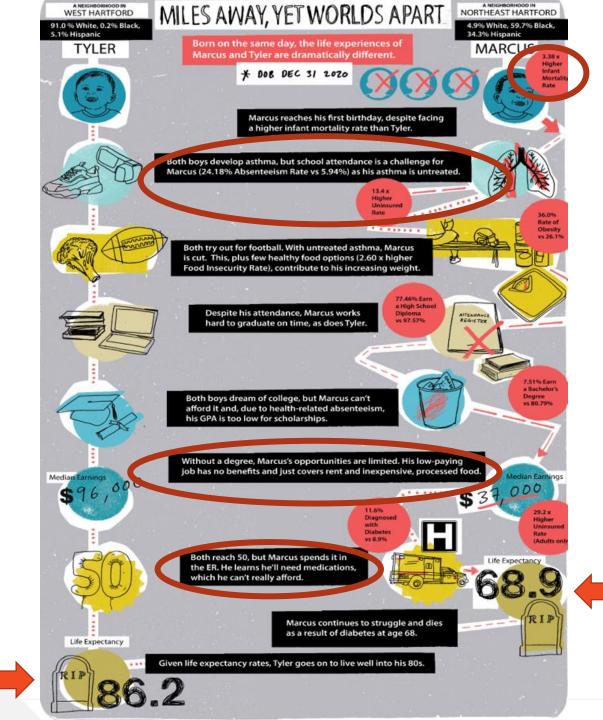


# Broker Academy Program





#### Eliminating health disparities in Connecticut: You can help us achieve true and sustainable health equity.



"Reducing health disparities is core to our mission at Access Health CT. We can only achieve that goal for all people in Connecticut by addressing social determinants of health, particularly those among communities of color. Join us in our mission-driven goal of health equity for all Connecticut residents, reaching across city lines, one neighborhood at a time."



James Michel





## **Broker Academy Overview**

- As part of our mission-driven approach to reduce health disparities, Access Health CT seeks to drive change within underserved communities by creating a Broker Academy Program – a learning institution for individuals from historically underserved communities
- The Program will create a pathway to license brokers (independent) by recruiting from, and building the skillsets of, those who live and work in underserved communities throughout Connecticut.
- By activating members of these communities to become licensed brokers, AHCT can build trust and rapport by meeting members of the community where they are.
- The objective is to reduce the uninsured rate and address health disparities in the State of Connecticut.



## **Broker Academy Program Details**

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**Free training** 

Zero out-of-pocket cost for training, testing, and exam



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Mentorship

**Professional development** 

**Program support** 



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### Timeline\*

CALEND	AR YEAR 2022	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Recruitment	Community-Based Organization Recruitment												
	Mentor Recruitment												
	Candidate Recruitment												
Training & Development	First Day of Class												
	In-Person or Virtual Classes												
	Pre-Licensing Certificate												
	Self-Study												
	Licensing Exam												
Placement	Placement												
	Apprenticeship												
	Open Enrollment												

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\*Tentative

## How We Come Together



#### Key Benefits for underserved Communities

Individuals have direct access to a trusted broker for underserved communities

Leading to healthier communities

Economic benefits to the communities

Reducing Health Disparities and the uninsured rate

Increase wellness and preventive health awareness

Increase health and health insurance literacy



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## **Community Engagement**

#### Recruitment

Engaging with Community organizations to recruit qualified candidates

#### Volunteer

Established Brokers for Mentorship at the end of training

#### Grants

To offset the cost of the training and development through grants



### For questions and or business inquires, email: AHCT.BPOKEPACCICEMY@Ct.gov

