



Partnering with PURPOSE
 APRIL 13-16 | OAKLAND, CA

Dear State/Jurisdiction Health Agency Leader,

On behalf of the Association of Maternal & Child Health Programs (AMCHP) and its local, state, and national partners, it is our pleasure to encourage you to consider inviting and financially supporting youth and young adult leaders (including students), family leaders, community-based organizations (CBOs), community-rooted partners, and representatives of tribal entities involved with your MCH efforts to attend the upcoming AMCHP Annual Conference which will be held in-person and virtually from **April 13th – 16th, 2024 in Oakland, California.**

AMCHP strives to exemplify the [Jemez principles](#) of democratic organizing, "nothing about us without us." Community members, family leaders, youth, and young adults are often not involved, integrated, or prioritized regarding the various policies and programs that impact their peers and families. We are committed to providing a space and audience so their perspective is recognized and integrated into MCH priorities. Each year, AMCHP's conference brings together more than 1,000 MCH leaders, researchers, and practitioners to share the latest ideas, evidence, and wisdom in maternal and child health. The presence of these individuals allows us to learn from them and enhances the richness of the conference experience.

Our AMCHP 2024 theme, *Partnering with Purpose*, focuses on how people who work in maternal and child health (MCH) have the power to be intentional about who we partner with and how we can engage with partners to make a positive impact on children and families. Our theme calls us to admit that we cannot know or do everything on our own and recognize that we can do more by working together. Inviting and providing financial support to youth and young adult leaders, family leaders, CBOs, and representatives of tribal entities to attend the upcoming AMCHP Annual Conference is a concrete way in which you can demonstrate your commitment to partnering with purpose.

Please visit our conference [registration page](#) and consider making the financial investment to send youth and young adults, family leaders, CBOs, and representatives of tribal entities from your state or jurisdiction to the conference in-person or virtually. Supporting these individuals to attend the conference will increase your program's capacity for youth and community engagement and leadership development. It will be a meaningful step toward building and sustaining trusting relationships with these groups in your state. We hope you can consider supporting this opportunity.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact conference@amchp.org.

Sincerely,

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 AMCHP Board President

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Anticipated Costs for Supporting Youth, CBOs, Family Leaders, and Tribal Entities to Attend Conference

	Virtual	In-Person (One Day)	In-Person (Full Conference)
Conference Registration Family Leader; Student / Youth; Community Based Organization / Tribal Government Rate	\$295 (\$265 Early Bird)	\$365 (\$245 Early Bird)	\$525 (\$500 Early Bird)
Student / Youth Presenter Rate	\$265 (\$245 Early Bird)	\$365 (\$245 Early Bird)	\$500 (\$445 Early Bird)
Flight & Ground Transportation	-	\$,1000.00	\$1,000.00
Lodging (\$219/night) & Meals (\$74/day minus meals provided)	-	\$558.00	\$885.00
Time off work (\$300/day)	\$900.00	\$900.00	\$1,200.00
Childcare (\$150/day)	\$450.00	\$450.00	\$600.00
Estimated Total	\$245-\$1,645	\$1,803-\$3,273	\$2,330-\$4,210