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Sally Fox Room Waterbury State Office Complex 3.5 CEUs pending for qualifying professions

FOUNDATIONS FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKER SUPERVISION AND SUPPORT

This training focuses on the important role of the supervisor for support, advocacy, and sustainability of the CHW role and workforce. Topics covered will include systems thinking, upholding the roles and boundaries of the CHW workforce, staff development including performance reviews, and supervisor action steps for developing their teams.

Hosted by the Center for Health and Learning with funding from the Blueprint for Health.

This training is for Supervisors of Blueprint-funded Community Health Workers.



James Figueiredo, M.Ed. Executive Director

James Figueiredo leads CWI's multidisciplinary team, providing training and technical assistance for healthcare systems, health departments, and educational institutions. He has over 3 decades of experience working in the public health field throughout the United States and internationally. Today, his work is primarily focused on the professional development of community health workers (CHWs) and CHW Supervisors. James is a chapter author for the 3rd Edition of the Foundations for Community Health Workers textbook. James is currently serving as Committee Chair for a Boston Public School establishing the first state-approved CHW Core Competencies training program.



Marilyn Gardner, RN. BS Director of Clinical and Cross-cultural Education

As Director of Clinical and Cross-cultural Education, Marilyn develops and coordinates CWI's cross-cultural and clinical courses. Her work includes relationship-building in marginalized and under-resourced communities to better understand both the strengths and challenges that communities face in accessing health and human services. Marilyn is a Registered Nurse with a Bachelor of Science degree in health care administration. She also has a graduate certificate from Suffolk University in health and human service management. She is a certified cultural competency trainer through the former National Asian Women's Health Organization as well as a certified Mental Health First Aid instructor. She is passionate about understanding more of what it means to communicate across the boundaries of culture and faith.

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