

University of Delaware

# SHIP QUARTERLY MEETING

November 2025



# Meet the Team



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# Agenda

**Welcome & Meet the Team**

**Delaware Division of  
Public Health**

**SHIP Coalition  
Insights & Statistics**

**SHIP Multi-solvers Updates**

**SHIP Website Update:  
Programming Page**

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**SHIP Newsletter:  
Accepting Submissions**

**PHC: Empower & Engage  
The Public Health Exchange**

**Guest Speaker:  
Dr. Debra Berke from  
Wilmington University**

**SHIP Giveaways!**

**Takeaways & Questions**

# Our Partnership with the Delaware Division of Public Health (DPH)



# SHIP Coalition Insights & Statistics



**133 Total  
Coalition Members**



**59 New Members  
Since Fall 2024**



**Priority Health Outcome Primary  
Group Membership:**

- Avoidable injury: 28
- Chronic disease: 50
- Maternal and infant health: 10
- Mental health: 23
- Premature death: 19

# SHIP Coalition Insights & Statistics

## *Vital Condition Lens:*



Basic needs (Housing, Food, Medicare):

34



Meaningful Work Life & Lifelong Learning:

32



Basic Needs (Physical and Mental Health Services):

42



Reliable Transportation & Humane Housing:

24

# SHIP Coalition Insights & Statistics

*Successful initiatives this year:*

- Monthly Newsletter
- Social Media Platforms
- On-Going Basic Needs Resources Page
- Statewide Programming Page by Priority Health Outcome
- SHIP Speaker Series
- Health Literacy Training
- Trauma-Informed Approach Training
- At a Glance Interview Series (coming soon!)
- Several partner projects with CHAMG, Mariposa Arts, Nurses & Neighbors, HAAD

# SHIP Coalition Insights & Statistics



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## *Social Media Insights*



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**207 Followers**



delawareship\_org

**110 Followers**



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**257 Followers**

# SHIP Multi-solvers Updates



## Basic Needs for Health and Safety:

Expand state Medicaid coverage to include federally allowable supports for social needs (housing, food); coverage of evidence-based services such as community health workers; tobacco cessation supports, etc.

# SHIP Multi-solvers Updates



## Basic Needs for Health and Safety:

Increase access to health care services for physical and mental health (e.g., community health workers, telemedicine, school-based health centers, increase providers, etc.)

# SHIP Multi-solvers Updates



## Humane Housing:

Coordinate affordable housing developments with proximity to comprehensive services.

# SHIP Multi-solvers Updates



Meaningful Work and Wealth:

Increase the minimum wage (\$15/hr.) and index to median wage growth.

# SHIP Multi-solvers Updates



Lifelong Learning:

Increase access to high-quality early childhood education.

# SHIP Multi-solvers Updates



## Reliable Transportation:

Increase the widespread availability of reliable public transportation that is affordable, frequent, and convenient within and between communities.

# SHIP Website Update: Programming Page

We're excited to introduce a new section on our website dedicated to Programming Resources.

This page offers up-to-date information and links for various programs across the state of Delaware. This resource hub is designed to connect our community with reliable, accessible support, whenever it's needed.

Programs are organized by priority health outcome and county.

You can visit the SHIP Website at [www.delawareship.org](http://www.delawareship.org)



# Legislative Updates

Let's open the floor for any legislative updates from the coalition. Please feel free to share any recent developments, proposed bills, or advocacy efforts your organization is involved in.



# SHIP Newsletter: Accepting Submissions

Want to be featured in the next  
SHIP Newsletter?

Email us submissions at  
[info@delawareship.org](mailto:info@delawareship.org)

Deadline for December Submissions:  
November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Accepting:

**Upcoming Community Events**

**Coalition Member Spotlights**

**Ongoing Basic Need  
Resources/Programs**

**Legislative Updates**

**Article Reads around Delaware**

# PHC: Empower & Engage The Public Health Exchange

Join us for a half-day event bringing students, faculty, community partners, and state leaders together. We hope you'll join us as we explore innovation, community engagement, and health equity in Delaware.

When: Wednesday, November 19, 2025

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 pm.

Where: Audion, STAR Tower at University of Delaware  
(100 Discovery Blvd. Newark, DE 19713)

Registration Link:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdsOc\\_RwKQRCgFLhPeBo\\_cTEwfVBgEd7vls4LwjuAv9STXkHA/viewform?usp=header](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdsOc_RwKQRCgFLhPeBo_cTEwfVBgEd7vls4LwjuAv9STXkHA/viewform?usp=header)

**Partnership for Healthy Communities**

## EMPOWER & ENGAGE THE PUBLIC HEALTH EXCHANGE

Join us for a dynamic half-day event bringing together students, faculty, community partners, and state leaders. Through speakers, a diverse panel, and networking, we'll explore innovation, community engagement, and health equity in Delaware.

**EVENT HIGHLIGHTS**

- 1 Inspiring keynote from a public health leader
- 2 Interactive panel on the future of public health innovation
- 3 Exclusive networking with students, professionals, and community partners
- 4 Career-boosting insights and professional development opportunities

**19 NOVEMBER 2025**

**9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.**

**100 DISCOVERY BLVD.  
NEWARK, DE 19713**

**SCAN TO REGISTER**

**ghc-info@udel.edu**

# CHAMG Report Release: Promoting Health Equity Through Advocacy for Data-Driven Policies and Practice Changes

*Prepared by: Community Health Advocacy Mobilization Group (CHAMG)  
on behalf of the Delaware Division of Public Health (DPH)*

## Purpose of the Report:

- Demonstrates how data at the census tract level and community engagement can guide equitable health solutions.
- Focuses on 52 high-need census tracts in Delaware.
- Aims to reduce health disparities and improve outcomes for those at risk of chronic health conditions.

## Next Steps:

- Coalition members are encouraged to read, share, and discuss the report.
- Disseminate through newsletters, social media, and community networks.
- Provide feedback on key messages and potential actions inspired by the report.

## Available:

- In your inbox (emailed out yesterday – let us know if you did not receive it)
- The SHIP Platforms (Google Drive and Microsoft Teams)

Please Welcome  
Guest Speaker:

Dr. Debra Berke  
Wilmington University



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**SHIP & DPH  
GIVEAWAY!**

# Questions?

## **Email**

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# Thank you!