

We exist to create an equitable culture of health through policy, system, and environment change by leveraging our assets in education, research, policy and community engagement in the Delta.

# **DPHI Awarded \$1.1 Million for Delta Initiatives**Supporting Health Advances for Rural Employees

(SHARE)

Worksite Wellness Initiative

DPHI, in partnership with Winrock International, will develop training curriculum for community health workers and clinic systems using the Total Worker Health model and provide workplace initiatives for policy and system change to support a healthy workforce in rural communities of Mississippi, Chicot, Phillips, and St. Francis counties.

# Community Leaders Empowered with Adaptation and Response (CLEAR)

Community Technical Assistance

DPHI, in partnership with Winrock International, will provide technical assistance to leaders in Hamburg, Lewisville, Camden, Norphlet, and Stephens to address the outcomes of their needs assessment. DPHI will support strategies to improve health, economic development and public spaces such as parks, community centers, and to build a culture of health.

#### **DPHI Community Resiliency Toolkit**

DPHI, in partnership with the Arkansas Community Foundation, is providing technical assistance for community preparedness and resiliency to rural mayors in an effort to prepare for public health emergencies and the overall wellness of their communities. DPHI will provide training on best practices during a public health emergency and preparedness strategies for future resurgence.

## DPHI delivers more than 5,700 COVID-19 Vaccines to Delta Communities







**Covid-19 vaccination events funded by the Arkansas Minority Health Commission** 

### DELTA COMMUNITY CHAMPIONS OF HEALTH INITIATIVE

In partnership with the Arkansas Department of Health, DPHI will provide technical assistance to the communities of Marked Tree, West Memphis, Blytheville, Marvell and Jonesboro by establishing a community-based program with a primary goal to empower and provide leadership training to Delta Community members on prevention measures against COVID-19 and capacity building to address upstream factors that contribute to health disparities.

### CONGRESSIONAL HEALTH POLICY FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

Fellows collaborate with the Congressional office of the First District of Arkansas to serve as health policy liaisons and provide evidence-based policy recommendations for positive health impact in Delta Communities.



If you are interested in building a culture of health in your community please contact:

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Inspiring Healthy Communities



#### **SERVICES:**



**Preventive Care** 



**Health Screenings** 



**Mental Health** Screenings



**Health Education** 



Telehealth Services



Children and Women Health



Referral to local healthcare providers and

The Delta Care-A-Van is a mobile medical unit used to improve the quality of health through health services and education in rural communities in the Mississippi Delta Region.

The Delta Care-A-Van makes regular stops in communities throughout Arkansas and the Delta to provide preventive health services free of cost.

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