NACDD and CDC Fireside Chat
Identifying Patients with Undiagnosed Hypertension
February 23, 2016
3:00-4:00PM EST

Register: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6922951091506318337

NACDD, in coordination with CDC’s Division for Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention and Million Hearts®, is proud to launch the first Fireside Chat of 2016. Fireside Chats will provide a new, interactive format for state health agencies to hear from content experts on a number of issues pertaining to cardiovascular health and 1305 priority areas. The first Fireside Chat will highlight innovative strategies on identifying patients with undiagnosed hypertension. Speakers will include Hilary Wall, Senior Health Scientist and Million Hearts® Science Lead at CDC’s Division for Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention; Dr. Ian Brissette from the New York State Department of Health; and Dr. James Schultz from Neighborhood Healthcare in San Diego, California. We will be live streaming as the speakers present on their experiences, engage in informative dialogue, and we will also open the lines to allow for questions and perspective from the audience. Contact Julia Schneider, jschneider@chronicdisease.org, with questions.

Objectives for the Fireside Chat
- Provide an interactive, unique format for adult learning.
- Highlight the state health department role in providing technical assistance to healthcare partners on identifying patients with undiagnosed hypertension.
- Identify various data sources and algorithms to identify undiagnosed hypertension.
- Learn about the successes and challenges from a community health center who collaborated with their local health agency to identify and follow up with undiagnosed patients.

Resources
- In advance of the Fireside Chat, we invite you to watch the February 18, 2016, Public Health LIVE event, which will air at 9am ET at http://www.albany.edu/sph/cphce/phl.shtml, or you can watch a recording of
this event once it is posted to the above webpage. This event will feature how the New York State Department of Health worked on this topic with their Health Center-Controlled Network.

- Review the following article: Patients with Undiagnosed Hypertension: Hiding in Plain Sight. http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4596255/pdf/nihms725559.pdf

**Audience**

- State health agency staff including chronic disease directors, epidemiologists and evaluators, 1305 leads, domain 3 or health system leads, cardiovascular health, health IT and quality improvement staff.
- Health systems partners including provider practices, community health centers, quality improvement organizations, and EHR vendors.

**Technology**

- We will be using GoToWebinar to live stream this event. We will not be using slides.
- The event will be recorded and housed on NACDD’s CVH website http://www.chronicdisease.org/?page=CVHWebinars

**Speaker Bios**

**Ian Brissette, Ph.D.**  
**Director, Bureau of Chronic Disease Evaluation and Research**  
**New York State Department of Health**  
Ian Brissette, PhD is a Research Scientist at the New York State Department of Health and Director of the Bureau of Chronic Disease Evaluation and Research. His Bureau is responsible for overseeing public health surveillance, performance measurement and evaluation programs that support chronic disease prevention programs administered by the Department. He is also co-Director of the New York State Coverdell Stroke Program. Dr. Brissette has worked in the New York State Department of Health as a research scientist and program evaluator for 13 years.
His expertise is in the application of social science theories and research methods to the practice of public health. Prior working in public health, he was a faculty member at the Psychology Department at Rutgers University in New Brunswick. Ian received his PhD in Health Psychology from Carnegie Mellon University and completed post-doctoral training at the Cancer Institute of New Jersey.

Jim Schultz, MD, MBA, FAAFP, DiMM
Chief Medical Officer, Neighborhood Healthcare

Dr. Jim Schultz has served as the Chief Medical Officer for Neighborhood Healthcare since 2001. Dr. Schultz is a Family Physician who splits time between active patient care and administrative duties. He sees patients in the office at Neighborhood Healthcare and as a very part-time hospitalist at Palomar Medical Center.

Dr. Schultz has been instrumental in growing clinic operations and improving patient access to specialty services. He has led the move to an electronic health record and practice management system and has led and helped implement a robust population health improvement system and teams. He also helped lead changes resulting in accreditation as Level 3 Patient Centered Medical Homes by the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA).

Dr. Schultz also serves as the Medical Director for the Council of Community Clinics and for Project Access San Diego. He is Volunteer Clinical Professor for the University of California, San Diego’s Department of Family and Preventive Medicine and is the co-lead faculty for the Family Medicine Residency Outpatient Gynecology Rotation.

Prior to joining Neighborhood Healthcare, Dr. Schultz served as the President and Medical Director of the Graybill Medical Group in Escondido and San Diego County. Dr. Schultz completed his family practice residency at Tallahassee Memorial Regional Medical Center a very long time ago. There he served as Chief Resident and was a Resident Director at the Florida Academy of Family Physicians for two years. He received his MD from the University of California, Los Angeles, and his MBA from California State University, San Marcos. He recently received his Diploma in Mountain Medicine and is working toward a Fellowship in the Academy of Wilderness Medicine.
Hilary Wall, MPH
Senior Health Scientist, Division for Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention
Science Lead, Million Hearts®
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Hilary Wall, MPH is a Senior Health Scientist in the Office of the Director for the Division for Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Hilary serves as the Science Lead for Million Hearts®, an initiative from the Department of Health and Human Services, co-led by CDC and the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services with the goal of preventing one million heart attacks and strokes by 2017. In that role, she provides oversight and scientific expertise to support areas including health care systems change, clinical quality measurement, and health information technology. Prior to coming to CDC in 2009, Hilary worked as an Epidemiologist for the Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention and Control Program at the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. She has also worked at the Yale Prevention Research Center leading and analyzing data for randomized controlled trials in cardiovascular disease and diabetes. Hilary has a Master of Public Health degree in Chronic Disease Epidemiology from the Yale School of Public Health.