



CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY HEALTH FELLOWSHIP



CCHF Conference

March 28-30, 2019 - Cincinnati, Ohio

Selected Program Elements

<https://cchfconference.org/>

*"INSPIRED BY A VISION, FOCUSED
ON A MISSION, ROOTED IN
KINGDOM VALUES"*



Vision

We envision a movement of God's people who choose daily to promote healing in marginalized communities in the name of Jesus.

Mission

The mission of Christian Community Health Fellowship is to encourage, engage and equip Christians to live out the gospel through healthcare among the poor and marginalized.

Values

- **Supremacy of Christ:** Honoring the Lordship of Christ and submitting ourselves to His authority and person.
- **Prophetic Voice:** Challenging God's people to choose to go against the status quo; to be incarnational, sacrificial, and to enter into the suffering of the poor.
- **Wholistic Care:** Encouraging excellent, compassionate healthcare, ministering to spiritual, physical, and emotional needs of people and their communities.
- **Reconciliation:** Restoring right relationships to God, to one another, and to all of creation, addressing barriers that commonly divide, including race, social status, and economic oppression.
- **Justice:** Working toward God's kingdom, setting all things right for the oppressed, the forgotten, and particularly the marginalized in our health care system.
- **Partnership:** Listening to and working alongside churches, patients, our communities and one another.



Steve Noblett

Steve has been the Executive Director of CCHF since 2007. He has been involved in church planting and Christian leadership development in the U.S., the U.K., southern and central Africa, India, and Central America. In 1993 he founded City Builders Youth Organization, a youth-based Christian community development organization in urban Memphis. "There is no great field of need or opportunity than among the underserved. Christian healthcare to the poor is a major key in helping the church to break out of its bubble and reconnect the world with the message of Christ and His Kingdom." In addition to his work with CCHF, Steve and his wife, Victoria, continue to work with urban youth in a under-resourced area of Memphis. They have two grown daughters and a foster-son, all of whom love Jesus, and are committed to serving Christ by serving others.

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CCHF Organizational Directory

The list of clinics in this directory is only a partial list of the Christian clinics that make up the CCHF community. Over 300 Christian clinics serve under-resourced communities in the U.S. Hundreds of other ministries address health issues through screening, coaching and limited services. And thousands of other Christians are courageously living out the gospel while working in non-faith-based clinics.

www.CCHF.org features a more complete directory of clinics that serve medically underserved populations in a distinctively Christian way. Don't see your clinic in our directory? Our directory grows each week. Visit CCHF.org and tell us about your clinic so people across America can know what God is doing in your area.

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WORKSHOPS

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Breakout 1

THURSDAY, 10:30-11:30AM



Support Staff Are Missionaries, Too!

**Kathleen McGettigan
Sasha Rivera &
Cydmarie Torres**

Explore God's call on support staff. What does it mean to view self as a missionary, rather than viewing self as an employee supporting the mission? We will explore the unique contributions that missional support staff can offer to a broken and hurting world as they interact with patients.

ROOM 1



Bridges to Spiritual Care Conversations in the Exam Room

Bill Morehouse

How do we practically integrate faith-related inquiry and prayer in clinical encounters? This workshop addresses the message, mission, and motivation behind our mandate and shares some of the experience, tips, and guidelines that CCHF peers have to offer.

ROOM 2



Facing Trauma & its Impact on Us Individually, Collectively, & Systemically

Aaron Fisher

This session addresses the effects of trauma and the healing process, and looks at how traumatic events, community violence, and racial traumas impact both us and those we serve. It also considers the collective and systemic manifestations of trauma and our ability to provide care.

ROOM 3

Breakout 2

THURSDAY, 2:45-3:45PM



How to Effectively Treat Hepatitis C in Low-Resource Settings

**Dee Ann Bragg
Jennifer Sebes**

Learn how to cost-effectively and successfully treat Hepatitis C Virus (HCV) based on experience in two different clinical settings (one primarily uninsured, one with state-based insurance, offering strategies for implementing HCV treatment programs to better serve indigent populations.

ROOM 1



The Life of Solitude in the Life of Ministry

Chauncey Shillow

The Biblical discipline of solitude needs to be reclaimed in order to remain consecrated to God and to the vocation to which he has called us. Hear personal stories from an urban pastor on the need for maintaining a vibrant life of solitude in the midst of the public life of ministry.

ROOM 2



Understanding the Movement

Steve Noblett

Learn about the roots and direction of the movement of God's people to live out the gospel through healthcare among the poor. Identify opportunities and bottlenecks in this movement, and understand how to find your place as you seek to serve the purpose of God in your generation.

ROOM 3



Firearms and Community Violence... What Does That Have to Do with Us?

David Chen

Healthcare systems and community organizations can significantly impact harm reduction of gun and community violence exposure. We'll review Violence Interruption & Hospital Violence Intervention Programs and explore how a Christocentric hermeneutic interprets their efficacy.

ROOM 4



I'm Not A Behavioral Health Provider, But My Primary Care Patient Needs One

Casey Clardy

Many care team members and PCPs find themselves ill-equipped, under-trained, and unsure of how to best identify, treat, and manage behavioral health concerns within the fast-paced nature of primary care. Learn to effectively deliver brief interventions and adopt practical treatment strategies.

ROOM 5

Bridges to Spiritual Care Conversations in the Exam Room – Dr. Bill Morehouse

As healthcare workers, the subject often comes up about how to integrate faith-related inquiry and prayer in clinical encounters. Should it be part of our regular job descriptions and training? Where do “bridges” exist in clinical encounters that lend themselves to broaching spiritual care conversations? How will we ever find time to incorporate “non-medical” material like this with all the demands being placed on exam room visits? With which patients should we “cross the bridge” by initiating spiritual conversations? How do we go about it when we feel it is appropriate to proceed? This workshop addresses the message, mission, and motivation behind our mandate and shares some of the experience, tips, and guidelines that CCHF peers have to offer.

Audio: <https://cchfconference.org/workshops2/2019/2/5/bridges-to-spiritual-care-conversations-in-the-exam-room>

Website links to Presentation PDF, PPT and handouts: <http://hb-health.org/talks/>



JONATHAN BROOKS

Jonathan Brooks, a.k.a. "Pastah J" is the Senior Pastor at Canaan Community Church in West Englewood, Illinois. Once a thriving community, it is now notorious for its decline. Brooks was raised in Englewood and returned with his wife and two daughters with a hope of restoration and a vision to live out the gospel through planting his family roots back into his childhood community. He is author of "Church Forsaken: Practicing Presence in Neglected Neighborhoods". Jonathan is living missionally in one of the toughest neighborhoods in America.

PLENARY 1

THURSDAY
7:00 - 9:00PM



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Plenary 1 - Jonathan Brooks – Video: <https://cchfconference.org/2019plenaries>

Website: <https://www.pastahj.com/>

CCHFTalk with Dr. Bill Morehouse 1) http://cchftalk.libsyn.com/cchftalk_208

2) http://cchftalk.libsyn.com/cchftalk_209

May 13/20, 2019 - Drs. Joey Patrick and Danny Pike talk with Dr. Bill Morehouse of Grace Family Medicine in Rochester, New York on the two-session topic of Integrated Spiritual Care.

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Breakout 4

FRIDAY, 1:00-2:00PM



	Collaborating with Pharmacists to Extend Clinical Services in Chronic Disease Management.	Catherine Harrington Jacintha Cauffield	Delve into the collaboration story between the Pharmacy School at Palm Beach Atlantic University (PBAU) and the Community Health Center (CHC) of West Palm Beach, an indigent care clinic started by the First Baptist Church. PBAU pharmacists staff the Chronic Disease Clinic under a collaborative practice agreement with the CHC medical director.	ROOM 1
	Building Bridges from Clinic to Community	Mark Dal Corso	Examine the concepts of Community Oriented Primary Care (COPC) and Community-Centered Health Homes (CCHH). Learn how public health students have created systematic ways for patients to learn about community resources, empowering them to improve their health outcomes.	ROOM 2
	You Don't Belong Here: How to Live on Mission with God	Nathan Cook	While common in American Christianity, waiting for confirmation to a specific calling has no basis in the Biblical concepts of mission and calling. This session will offer a definition for missional living and help people to overcome the inertia that keeps them serving systems of the world rather than building God's kingdom.	ROOM 3
	Support Staff Are Missionaries, Too!	Kathleen McGettigan Sasha Rivera & Cydmarie Torres	Explore God's call on support staff. What does it mean to view self as a missionary, rather than viewing self as an employee supporting the mission? We will explore the unique contributions that missional support staff can offer to a broken and hurting world as they interact with patients.	ROOM 4
	Evidence Based Approach to the Impact of Spirituality on Health	Jonathan Wilson	Examine the current evidence surrounding the effect of spirituality on health and gain practical tools that empower you to address spiritual health in your patients through integrated approaches. This workshop is helpful for providers and support staff at all levels.	ROOM 5
	The Christian Health Center in Training Future Practitioners for a Changing and Diverse Society: Offering a Paradigm Shift in Healthcare Delivery	Cornelius Pitts	As clinical instructors, our job is to mentor healthcare students to find their own paths to enhancing health literacy, as well as bringing medical hope and compassion to disenfranchised neighborhoods. This workshop will present concepts through which training of future healthcare professionals can be fostered.	ROOM 6
	Clinical Care Quality Initiative - A Successful Intervention by a Free or Charitable Clinic	Stephanie Garriss	Explore how one charitable clinic that is overwhelmingly staffed by volunteer providers, undertook an extensive quality improvement process for clinical care. In doing so this clinic improved rates of vaccinations and cancer screenings.	ROOM 7
	Doing Medicine, Becoming Community	Elizabeth Redican Emily Burton	This session explores how transparency, confession and humility bring freedom and life by allowing us to rest in God's strength. These are essential for authentic community, where we no longer try to prove ourselves to each other, but rather proclaim God's goodness together. The result is contentment in all aspects of our lives, including our work.	ROOM 8
	Understanding the Impact of Trauma and Adverse Childhood Experiences on Addiction and Recovery	Elizabeth & Greg Delaney	Trauma and adverse childhood experiences are both causes and effects of addictive behaviors. This session will explore the impact of trauma in childhood experiences (ACEs) on substance use disorder. Participants will discover the ACE study, trauma informed care, and ways faith-based solutions can assist individuals dealing with these issues.	D BALL
	Church Forsaken - Practicing Presence in Neglected Neighborhoods	Jonathan Brooks	Loving our neighbors means loving our neighborhoods. In this interactive session, Pastah J discusses missional living as being fully present in our local communities, offering good news for forgotten people and places in practical ways.	E BALL

Church Forsaken - Practicing Presence in Neglected Neighborhoods – Jonathan Brooks

Jonathan Brooks was raised in the Englewood neighborhood on the south side of Chicago. As soon as he was able, he left the community and moved as far away as he could. But through a remarkable turn of events, he reluctantly returned and found himself not only back in Englewood but also serving as a pastor ("Pastah J") and community leader. In this session, Jonathan will rediscover that loving your neighbors means loving you're neighborhoods.

Audio: <https://cchfconference.org/workshops2/2019/2/15/ethics-of-providing-spiritual-care-cmpsm>





Book: <https://www.amazon.com/Church-Forsaken-Practicing-Neglected-Neighborhoods-ebook/dp/B07HGJH9DV>

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Breakout 5

FRIDAY, 2:30-3:30PM



	Moving Your Clinic From a Dream to a Reality	Alan Keister	Join us as we talk about our journey to starting a clinic and expanding the clinic, within four years. We will share the collaborative relationships, successes, and failures of our personal journey and most importantly, how to build the perfect team.	ROOM 1
	Faith in Work: Lessons from a Faith-Based Vocational Fellowship	Matthew Allen	The 5280 Fellowship is a multidisciplinary faith-based vocational fellowship to help professionals apply the gospel in their work. Dr. Allen will help participants explore key learnings as they apply to our work as health care professionals and to the health care profession in general.	ROOM 2
	Missional Collaboration	Kim Swyden	Passing on the mission within the CCHF community by training and challenging the next generation of medical disciples is our responsibility. Our workshop explores strategic collaborations with advanced health schools, and shows how clinics like Ministries of Jesus are imparting a passion for global missions to the next generation.	ROOM 3
	Human Trafficking 101: Caring for the Least of These	Shantae Rodriguez Kristin Moltz	Human Trafficking, AKA modern day slavery, is the 2nd largest growing criminal activity worldwide. Sadly, many victims have been treated in our hospitals and clinics and gone unrecognized. We providers, have unique opportunities to offer much needed aid to these voiceless victims and to empower survivors.	ROOM 4
	Case Management: A New Frontier with Free Mobile Clinics	Rachel Bardgett	Good Samaritan Health Services in Tulsa is a national model for mobile health ministry. This session shares how charitable and mobile health clinics can add case management to effectively assist in compliance, chronic disease management, and tracking health statics.	ROOM 5
	Getting to the Soul of the Issue: Testimonies from Inner City Nurses	Kayla Davis Emily Lee	This session explores spirituality for nurses working in inner city Chicago. Stories and testimonies from our patients and nursing staff will be shared, along with how our patients have positively impacted our spiritual life and spiritual growth.	ROOM 6
	Our Home on Mission	Kali & Danny Luecke	A "thin space" is a place where heaven feels closer. We want our homes to be thin spaces, places where people meet God. He has given us incredible tools for facilitating those encounters - our homes and dining room tables. Learn how to use hospitality and our homes to live missionally.	ROOM 7
	Addressing Health Disparities Through Spiritually Integrated Interventions in Psychotherapy and the Community	Carlos Fayard Byron Rivera	This workshop presents a multidisciplinary approach to address gaps in care, particularly for unauthorized Latino patients. The Latino community experiences significant health disparities due to structural and cultural barriers such as status, language and fear.	ROOM 8
	"I Was a Stranger and You Welcomed Me." The Biblical Imperative to Love the Refugee. The Jericho Road Experience in Buffalo, NY	Myron Glick	Throughout the Bible God's heart for strangers and refugees is clear. God's people should stand with those who are most vulnerable. Dr. Glick and his team will share about experiences working with refugees, asylum seekers and undocumented neighbors at Jericho Road, Buffalo.	D BALL
	Proclaiming Good News Along the Real Life Continuum	Bill Morehouse	The Real Life Continuum is a helpful model that is easily modified in the medical setting to address patients' spiritual health. This session shares tools to assess spiritual development so that we provide interventions that affirm the Holy Spirit's work in our patients.	E BALL

Proclaiming Good News along the Real Life Continuum

We have much in common as people created in God's Image, but our life experiences and perceptions of who we are and who God is may vary greatly. As believers called and commissioned to "proclaim the good news of the Kingdom" in the course of our daily lives and work, we need to tailor what we say and do within the context of our own faith understandings and the relationships we're able to develop with those around us. This session will help us develop tools to assess where we and others are in our spiritual growth and development so that we may articulate good news in ways that are appealing, simple, direct, and helpful.

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Breakout 7

SATURDAY, 9:00-10:00AM



	Magnifying Impact Beyond the Exam Room: A Closer Look at Population Health Strategy	Benjamin Preyss Emily Lupo	When clinical care is not enough... This session reviews principles of population health, and shares Lawndale's progressive pop health program: team-based management, mobile transitions of care, and analytics for identifying patients who will benefit most from clinical resources.	ROOM 1
	How Neighborhoods Make us Sick: An Honest Look at Social Determinants and What We Can Do About It.	Veronica Squires Breanna Lathrop	Poverty, unemployment, inadequate housing, food insecurity, racial injustice and oppression cause physical changes in the body. Loving our neighbor includes creating social environments in which people can be healthy. Learn how clinics, non-profits, and individuals can make a meaningful impact.	ROOM 2
	Relationships, Dating, and Friendships in Peak Years of Training	Andrew Kim Esther Kim	We are no experts, but we will share stories from our journey that may give you ideas on how to maintain relationships better during your training years. God did not create us to be alone. He gave us one another and His Word. Lets explore and learn from one another.	ROOM 3
	Health in Rural America	J.D. Miller	Health in rural America is different than in urban America. This session will look at some of these differences, and stories will be shared from experiences of working in rural America.	ROOM 4
	Sacred Rhythms to Sustain You & Your Call to Healthcare Among the Poor	Diane Steward	You are passionate about serving the poor, but the work is hard and stressful. Christ loves you and longs for you to know Him intimately. This interactive workshop will explore four sacred rhythms and offer short experiences of each to equip you to make them part of your rhythms of life.	ROOM 5
	All I Really Needed to Know About Missional Medicine I Learned in Genesis 1	Morgan Wills	In this interactive format, Dr. Wills draws from Genesis 1 and its many echoes, as well as 20+ years as a clinician and leader at a clinic for uninsured immigrants and refugees to illumine simple, foundational truths that can keep us integrated, missionally effective, and professionally relevant.	ROOM 6
	A Root Out of Dry Ground: Identifying Future Leaders In Our Midst & Helping Them Grow	Paul Propson	Where do future leaders come from? They are all around us! How do we recognize those future leaders hiding in plain sight? We will look at successes, failures, surprises and miracles from our work at Covenant Community Care for lessons in identifying and investing in future leaders.	ROOM 7
	Ethics of Providing Spiritual Care	Bob Mason	You'd like to care for the whole person - medical, emotional, and spiritual. Is it ethical? Does it violate the professional/patient relationship or take advantage of the vulnerable patient? This session will examine these issues drawing from a number of sources including peer reviewed studies and Joint Commission guidelines.	ROOM 8
	Facing Trauma & Its Impact on Us Individually, Collectively, & Systemically	Aaron Fisher	This session addresses the effects of trauma and the healing process, and looks at how traumatic events, community violence, and racial traumas impact both us and those we serve. It also considers the collective and systemic manifestations of trauma and our ability to provide care.	D BALL

How Neighborhoods Make Us Sick – Veronica Squires and Brianna Lathrop

Buildings with mold trigger asthma and other respiratory conditions. Geographic lack of access to food and healthcare increases childhood mortality. Community violence traumatizes residents. Poverty, unemployment, inadequate housing, food insecurity, racial injustice and oppression cause physical changes in the body, resulting in disease and death. Our neighborhoods are literally making us sick. But there is hope. Loving our neighbor includes creating social environments in which people can be healthy. This session will help audience members understand how clinics, non-profits, and individuals can make a meaningful impact.

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PPT: <https://www.dropbox.com/s/xz20mo7iws3kbrt/2019%20CCHF%20Annual%20Conference%20Presentation.pptx?dl=0>

Book: <https://www.amazon.com/How-Neighborhoods-Make-Sick-Communities/dp/0830845577>

Website: <https://letsmakehealthyneighborhoods.com/>