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CHW coalition becomes the Indiana Community Health Worker Association (INCHWA))



2015

ISDH provides seed funding and INCHWA incorporates. Board is established to direct INCHWA. INCHWA develops a strategy to become the certifying body of CHWs in Indiana



2016

9 of 10 Regional Directors in regions. County Chairs are recruited to help represent the workforce. Education Committee is developed for the process of certifying CHWs.



2017

ISDH designated certifying body for CHWs in Indiana. INCHWA works with the Governor's Task force to define CHWs and the certification process for the state.



2018

OMPP Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning announces reimbursement for CHW. INCHWA updates the Certification process and has two vendors. INCHWA pilots Certification Training through a Department of workforce development demonstration project



2020

INCHWA moves online for training and certification. Mind Body Medicine groups offered. CHW role noticed nationally and by state



2021

CDC commits to CHW services. National dollars are committed to training and evaluation. The nation's goal is to increase CHWs by 150,000. Partner with OMH to build a CHW model for the state.



2022

Health Equity Council, in partnership with OMH and Purdue, starts.



2023

Working with FSSA on CHW reimbursement. Building CHWs into leaders. Expand CHW education on disability and Emergency Crisis Response.



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