#### Pierce County Medical Reserve Corps Newsletter | August 2024



#### Volunteers building healthy, strong, prepared communities.

Mosaic Festival @ Wright Park 27-28th July 2024 A special thank you to Jessica Hodgeson, Merna Brein, Richard Trombley, Patrick Plumb, Tedd Wilkinson, Steven Hale, Kenneth Cheng, Deb Seguin, and Marcella Bighill for participating in the first aid booth we hosted at last month's Mosaic Festival, as well as to all our dedicated volunteers.



#### Unleashed @ **Stadium Bowl** 4th August, 2024

8 am - 1 pm

MRC volunteers will keep an eye on the participants as they race and provide basic medical care if needed to raise money for the Kindred Souls Foundation.

## **MRC Board Meeting**

5th August, 2024

5 pm - 6 pm

Monthly leadership board meeting hosted over Zoom and/or EOC (Check VolunteerHub for more information) All are welcome to listen and discuss MRC plans and operations.

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- Upcoming volunteer events
- MRC-PLU School of Nursing Training Opportunity
- Additional CE Opportunities • Homelessness Providers Toolkit and other community resources

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# + ADDITIONAL + TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES



CLINICAL VOLUNTEER CONTACT HOUR OPPORTUNITY WITH PLU SCHOOL OF NURSING

MRC has a great opportunity for our clinical volunteers to earn **CNE**s. We have partnered with PLU School of Nursing to offer access to their online classes at no charge. If you are interested in taking advantage of this offer please e-mail <u>mrc@tpchd.org</u> and request the promo code. We will send you the instructions with the promo code. \*\*\*The following National Nurses United CE courses are free to members and are only offered to direct-care and staff RNs for 3-hour credits.

### Al 101: What to know about Al in healthcare and its effects on patient advocacy

14th August, 2024	10 am - 1 pm
28th August, 2024	1 pm - 4 pm

<u>https://www.nationalnursesunited.org/ce-</u> classes/ai-101-what-to-know-about-ai-healthcare

### The Fight for Reproductive Justice

20th August,	2024	10 am - 1 pm
26th August,	2024	1 pm - 4 pm

https://www.nationalnursesunited.org/ceclasses/the-fight-for-reproductive-justice

### The Biology of Inequality: The Health Impacts of Social Environments

https://www.nationalnursesunited.org/ce-classes/biology\_ inequality-health-impacts-social-environments

# MRC VolunteerHub Sign-in: <u>pcmrc.volunterhub.com</u>

\*\*\*Underlined contents have hyperlinks attached to them on PDF and Instagram versions of this newsletter (These links will not work on JPEG or PNG versions)

# Homelessness Providers Toolkit

- Prevent and manage communicable diseases.
- Help people access treatment for substance use disorder.
- Improve behavioral health.
- Help people find relief from extreme weather and poor quality air.
- Find resources for families.

# **Public Health Providers Resources**

Washington State Department of Health Public Health System Resources and Services

## **General & Patient Community Resources**

- DSHS BHA Community Resources
- Community Health Care Patient Resources
- Pierce County Local Resources

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