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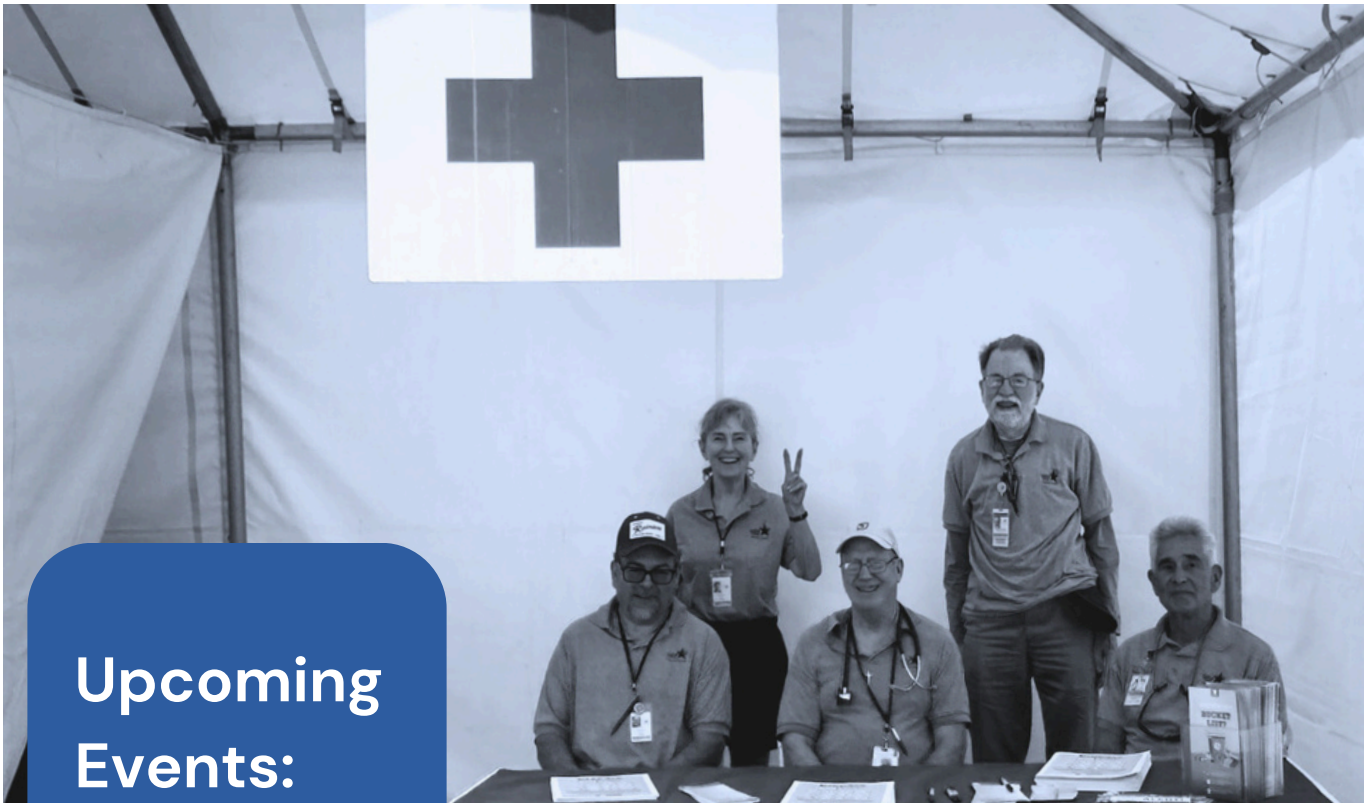
The mission of the Pierce County Medical Reserve Corps is to utilize dedicated volunteers to improve the public health, safety, preparedness, and emergency response capabilities in Pierce County.

Volunteers building healthy, strong, prepared communities.

Mosaic Festival @ Wright Park

27-28th July 2024

A special thank you to (pictured) Merna Brein, Richard Trombley, Patrick Plumb, Tedd Wilkinson, Steven Hale, (un-pictured) Kenneth Cheng, Deb Seguin, Marcella Bighill, Mark Moser, Julie Powers, Nick May, Verna Lilly, Audrie Shagren, Dale Powers, and Jessica Hodgeson for participating in last month's Mosaic Festival, as well as to all our dedicated volunteers.



Upcoming Events:

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

ADDITIONAL TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES



***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.

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

14th August, 2024 10 am – 1 pm

28th August, 2024 1 pm – 4 pm

<https://www.nationalnursesunited.org/ce-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/ce-classes/the-fight-for-reproductive-justice>

The Biology of Inequality: The Health Impacts of Social Environments

28th August, 2024 9 am – 12 pm

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

CLINICAL VOLUNTEER CONTACT HOUR OPPORTUNITY WITH PLU SCHOOL OF NURSING

MRC has a great opportunity for our clinical volunteers to earn **CNEs**. 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 mrc@tpchd.org and request the promo code. We will send you the instructions with the promo code.

MRC VolunteerHub Sign-in:
pcmrc.volunterhub.com

***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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