



GPHAP News - April 3, 2023

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GPHAP Event - Mental Health in Illinois - Sameer Vohra



The GPHAP Brown Fellows and a student from the Harris School of Public Policy Studies planned an event called *Mental Health in Illinois*, which was held at Harris on March 23, 2023. We were honored to have as the guest speaker, Dr. Sameer Vohra, Director of the Illinois Department of Public Health, to provide opening remarks. Dr. Vohra is an alumnus of Harris and GPHAP.

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Upcoming Events

April 3 - 5, 2023 **World Health Week Lectures and Events** | See all activities and register at this [link](#).

The Susan and Richard Kiphart Center for Global Health and Social Development Celebrates World Health Week with three days of events on the theme of **Building Health Equities**. The event starts Monday evening and will focus on the role neighborhoods, policies, and organizations play in shaping health (in)equities and health outcomes in Chicago and in

Invitation to GPHAP Alumni/Student Event Sent to Your Email

Look for the invitation to the Alumni/Student Reception and Networking event that will be held on **Tuesday, April 25th** to meet and mingle with GPHAP students and alumni! The reception will be held at Smith & Wollensky restaurant in downtown Chicago in the Bridgeview Room from **5:30 PM - 7:30 PM**. Please [RSVP](#) so we have an accurate count for catering.

communities around the world. Each event will highlight scholars, practitioners, and advocates working in locally and internationally.

Tuesday, April 4, 2023 | 12:30 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

Lobbies on the Menu: The Food Industry Against Public Health in Contemporary France | Davis Lecture Series and World Health Week Series
Daniel Benamouzig, PhD

Tuesday, April 4, 2023 | 5:30 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

The Opioid Crisis Redux: What Can and Is the Government Doing? | IOP
Rahul Gupta, President Biden's Office of National Drug Control Policy Director
Angie Craig, Minnesota Congresswoman
Beth McCann, Denver District Attorney
Eric Eyre, Pulitzer Prize winning journalist

Wednesday, April 5, 2023 | 12:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

Incivility is Unethical | MacLean Lecture Series
Pringl Miller, MD '97, FACS Founder and Executive Director Physician of Just Equity

Thursday, April 6, 2023 | 11:00 AM CST | [Register Here](#)

Scaling Access: Innovations in Healthcare Deserts | MATTER
Shivang Dave, CEO and Co-founder of PlenOptika
Stephanie Gutendorf, Homeward SVP of Market Strategy and Development
Jay Bhatt, Executive Director of Deloitte Health Equity Institute

Tuesday, April 11, 2023 | 12:30 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

Can We Treat the Afflictions of American Health Care with Policy Changes Alone? | Michael Davis Lecture Series
Martin F. Shapiro, MD, PhD, MPH

Wednesday, April 12, 2023 | 12:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

Tales from the Trenches: Stephanie Tilenius, CEO & Founder of Vida Health | MATTER
Stephanie Tilenius, CEO of Vida Health

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Previously Listed Events

Thursday, April 13, 2023 | 5:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

Optimism in the face of inequality... | Bowman Society Lecture Series
Dr. Thomas Fisher, MD, MPH, Emergency Medicine Physician at UChicago Medicine

Wednesday, April 19, 2023 | 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM CST | [Register Here](#)

Can Data Deliver? Harnessing Data-Driven Solutions for Urban Challenges | UIC Urban Forum
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Recorded Lectures

Many of the lectures listed in the GPHAP Weekly Digest are recorded and archived for later listening. You can look back to see if there are recent lectures that interest you, and they can count as GPHAP co-curriculars. Here are links to archived lectures.

CHAS Michael Davis Lectures

<https://chas.uchicago.edu/events/mdl/>

MacLean Center for Clinical Medical Ethics lectures

<https://www.youtube.com/user/MacLeanCenter>

Harvard School of Public Health Forum lectures

<https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/>

Bowman Society Lectures

<https://pritzker.uchicago.edu/resources/bowman-society>

MATTER Health Events

<https://matter.health/events>

Health Affairs Podcasts - an hour's worth of content

<https://www.healthaffairs.org/podcasts>

KHN's 'What the Health?' - an hour's worth of content

<https://play.acast.com/s/khns-what-the-health>

COVID-19, Women and Health

<https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/covid-19-women-and-health/>

The Pandemic's Toll on Children's Mental Health

<https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/the-pandemics-toll-on-childrens-mental-health/>

GPHAP Social Media

GPHAP has a [Facebook Group](#) for Current Students and Alumni. Go to Facebook and search for The UChicago Graduate Program in Health Administration & Policy or click

on: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/gphap/>

There is a [LinkedIn Group](#) for GPHAP Alumni, and **current students are welcome to join**. Click on this [link](#) or go to LinkedIn and search for "GPHAP" and Request to Join. The site is a great source for updates on GPHAP Alumni. **Job Opportunities** also are posted there by the GPHAP Office and by GPHAP Alumni.

GPHAP has a **Twitter** Page. Please follow @UCgphap.

GPHAP's **Website** is: <https://gphap.uchicago.edu>

Join the **WhatsApp GPHAP Social Group**. Students can reach out to see who is going to GPHAP events or to provide info about other activities.

WhatsApp Social Group: <https://chat.whatsapp.com/invite/BYMEUqshxH1K6xpID5OmAk>

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