



GPHAP News - October 7, 2024

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Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI) Open School for the Health Professions

The Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI) Open School is an interprofessional educational community that offers students, trainees, professionals, health systems, and institutions of higher learning the skills and support network to become leaders in health care. Whether you are a student; a health care professional; a leader of a hospital, health system, or non-profit organization; or a faculty member of an institution of higher learning, there is a set of virtual courses that is appropriate for your needs that can be taken anytime, anywhere.

Register as a student to take the courses for free. These can count as GPHAP co-curriculars. For a course, just upload the certificate onto the GPHAP Canvas site; no 250-word reflection needed. You can follow the steps mentioned below to get started.

I am a student or a resident. How do I get access to the Open School?

New user - Create an account:

1. [Create your account at IHI.org](#)
2. You will then be prompted to provide an email address for your school or institution (it may be different from the email you use as your login username) and your year of graduation or end of your residency.
3. After creating your account, you may go to the [Education Platform](#). Please note: you will have to log out and log back in to access your courses. You will be prompted to log in with your newly created credentials and begin to access the Open School catalog of courses.

Existing Open School user - Update an existing account:

1. Go to [My Account](#)
2. On the "About Me" tab update the Students and Residents section by clicking on the pencil icon
3. Under "My Details" update Primary Role by clicking the pencil icon
4. After updating your account, you may go to the [Education Platform](#). Please note you will have to log out and log back in to access your courses.

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GPHAP Newsletter Archives Available

We'd like to announce that past newsletters can now be found on the GPHAP website!

For your convenience, you can access the newsletter archives by navigating to the "News and Events" section and selecting "Newsletter Archives" from the dropdown menu. Stay updated with all the latest happenings and insights from GPHAP!

Website: [GPHAP Newsletter Archives](#)

Accessing Library Resources Off-Campus

The University of Chicago Library offers multiple ways to access online journals and databases when you're off-campus:

1. Use links from the Library website
2. Install the Proxy It! bookmarklet
3. Utilize LibKey Nomad with FindIt! service
4. Configure Google Scholar for UChicago Library links
5. Connect via Campus Virtual Private Network (cVPN)

These methods route you through IT Services' proxy server, allowing authentication and access to resources limited to the University network. Choose the option that best suits your needs for seamless off-campus research.

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Upcoming Events

Fireside Chat with Dr. Catina Latham : Monday, October 7, 2024 | 5:00 PM | Booth 455 | Register [Here](#)

Dr. Catina Latham, acting director of the Healthcare team at the Government Accountability Office (GAO), will share insights on the future of government healthcare programs in an election year. As the leader of the Health Care Team, Dr. Latham plays a critical role in congressional oversight of Medicaid and other health care programs. This fireside chat is particularly valuable for students interested in the impact of Medicaid and government policies on healthcare providers, suppliers, and entrepreneurs.

Hosted By: Chicago Booth Healthcare Initiative

War, AIDS, Gaza: Effective Activism Across Generations: Thursday, October 10, 2024 | 5:00 p.m. CST | Bond Chapel (next to Swift Hall) | Register [Here](#)



The Institute of Politics Speaker Series presents a panel discussion featuring Congresswoman Barbara Lee (D-CA), ACT UP early member Peter Staley, and Dr. Rami Nashashibi, Executive Director of the Inner-City Muslim Action Network (IMAN). Moderated by Katie Benner of the New York Times, this event will explore organizing strategies, reflect on decades of activism, and discuss the relationship between activists and political parties. Topics will include movement politics, activism, the Palestinian conflict, and public health.

Hosted By: Institute of Politics, University of Chicago

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Previously Listed Events

2024 Student Experiences in Global Health & Social Development: Tuesday, October 15, 2024 | 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM | International House, 1414 E 59th St. Chicago, IL | [Register Here](#)



Join the Center for Innovation in Global Health and the Susan and Richard Kiphart Center for Global Health and Social Development at the University of Chicago for student presentations on global health and development research, internships, and other learning experiences from the past academic year and the summer of 2024. A reception and poster session will follow the oral presentations.

Hosted By: Center for Innovation in Global Health and the Susan and Richard Kiphart Center for Global Health and Social Development at the University of Chicago

Autumn 2024 Michael M. Davis Lecture Series: Tuesdays, October 1 - November 19, 2024 | 12:30 PM CDT | In-person and Online Streaming | [Register Here](#)

Each academic quarter, the Center for Health Administration Studies (CHAS) hosts the Michael M. Davis Lecture Series, which provides a platform for renowned policy experts, researchers, and commentators at the University of Chicago to explore the intersection of health policy and the broad needs of vulnerable populations. The 2024 Autumn Quarter Davis Lectures will occur from October 1st to November 19th (Tuesdays at 12:30 p.m. CDT).

Upcoming Lectures:

October 8, 2024: "Losing Public Health Insurance & Its implications"

Speaker: Sebastian Tello Trillo, PhD, MA, Associate Professor of Public Policy and Economics, Frank Batten School of Leadership and Public Policy, The University of Virginia. Lecture attendance in-person (lunch provided) and online streaming options are available.

Hosted By: Center for Health Administration Studies (CHAS), University of Chicago

12th Annual Research Symposium: Intersections of Policy, Innovation, Healthcare and Financialization for Kidney Disease

Wednesday, October 16, 2024 | 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM | David Rubenstein Forum, University of Chicago, 1201 E. 60th St., Chicago, IL 60637 | [Register Here](#)

This symposium will explore the current state of kidney disease in America, focusing on the intersections of policy, innovation, healthcare, and financialization. The event will highlight research on how neighborhood factors and structural health disparities impact chronic kidney disease outcomes, particularly among racial and ethnic minorities and economically disadvantaged populations. Key topics will include:

- The impact of neighborhood segregation on health outcomes
- Disparities in kidney disease treatment and care quality
- Access to kidney transplants across different demographic groups
- The role of Medicare in studying kidney disease patterns
- Innovative approaches to addressing structural health inequities in kidney care

Join us for a day of insightful presentations and discussions on this critical health issue.

Hosted By: University of Chicago

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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>

Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health: The Forums and Voices in Leadership

<https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/covid-19-women-and-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** feed @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. Contact Laura Botwinick for the link to join.