



THE PROGRESS REPORT

The Colorado Health Foundation's newsletter provides updates highlighting programs, policy issues and events related to our mission to improve the health of Coloradans.

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Colorado Health Symposium: Join us Online



In just over a week and a half, approximately 600 people will gather in Keystone to dive into a discussion about health inequity. Find your seat at the table by joining the online conversation for the sold-out [2017 Colorado Health Symposium](#), Aug. 2-4.

[Follow the conversation on Twitter](#) and [watch the Symposium live stream](#). Online viewers can ask questions via YouTube, Facebook or Twitter using #17CHS. Follow @HealthSymposium on Twitter for live coverage and pictures.

Read more about the Symposium in a [recent blog by Foundation President and CEO Karen McNeil-Miller](#).

You won't want to miss these speakers who have recently been in the news:

Wednesday, Aug. 2 at 10 a.m.: [Jay Want](#)

Thursday, Aug. 3 at 10:30 a.m.: [Theo Wilson](#)

Thursday, Aug. 3 at 12:45 p.m.: [Eric Liu](#)

Friday, Aug. 4, morning session: [Flobots](#)



Join Our Team

The Foundation is hiring an associate program officer. The position closes Friday, July 21. [Apply or share...](#)



Destination Health

Join the Center for African American Health for a fun run and activities this Saturday, July 22. [Learn more ...](#)



In Good Health

Read the Foundation's blog, which is designed to share perspectives, personal stories and what we are learning. [Read...](#)

Medicaid Expansion Report Shows Positive Economic Impact in Colorado



An independent analysis released last year, [Assessing the Economic and Budgetary Impact of Medicaid Expansion in Colorado: FY 2015-16 through FY 2034-35](#), reveals that Medicaid expansion in Colorado has had, and will continue to have, a significant and positive effect on the state economy.

Findings from the report show that in two years since implementation, Colorado's Medicaid expansion added 31,074 jobs, increased economic activity by \$3.8 billion and raised average annual household earnings by \$643. Projections out to fiscal year 2034-35 show the significant and positive effect of expansion on Colorado's economy

will continue. [Read the report](#) and join the #Medicaidexpansion conversation on Twitter.

BUILD Health Challenge Learning Report Released



Population health is the result of interconnected social, environmental and physical conditions. With the changing landscape of health and wellness in the U.S., it is crucial for all sectors to come together and identify actionable strides towards improvement.

[Keys to Collaboration](#) is the latest report from the [BUILD Health Challenge](#) containing best practices and guidance for implementing such cross-sector collaborations in public health. [Read the report](#) and learn more about the BUILD Health Challenge's Learning Series.

Mark Your Calendar

[Colorado Health Symposium](#)

Aug. 2-4

[Public Health in the Rockies](#)

Oct. 4-6

[Next Grant Application Deadline](#)

Oct. 15
