

# COVID-19 Health Equity

## TA COLLABORATIVE OVERVIEW

The COVID-19 Health Equity Technical Assistance (TA) Collaborative is a CDC-funded initiative created to support recipients of [CDC-RFA-OT21-2103: National Initiative to Address COVID-19 Health Disparities Among Populations at High-Risk and Underserved, Including Racial and Ethnic Minority Populations and Rural Communities](#), which is administered by CDC's Center for State, Tribal, Local, and Territorial Support. This two-pager provides an overview of the TA services and introduces the providers.

### TA PROVIDERS

#### **Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO)**

ASTHO's mission is to support, equip, and advocate for state and territorial health officials in their work of advancing the public's health and well-being. Learn more at [www.astho.org](http://www.astho.org).

#### **National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO)**

NACCHO's mission is to improve the health of communities by strengthening and advocating for local health departments. Learn more at [www.naccho.org](http://www.naccho.org).



#### **National Network of Public Health Institutes (NNPHI)**

NNPHI's mission is to support national public health system initiatives and strengthen public health institutes to promote multi-sector activities resulting in measurable improvements of public health structures, systems, and outcomes. Learn more at [www.nnphi.org](http://www.nnphi.org).

#### **CDC's Office of Minority Health and Health Equity (OMHHE)**

CDC OMHHE's mission is to advance health equity and women's health issues across the nation through CDC's science and programs, and increase CDC's capacity to leverage its diverse workforce and engage stakeholders toward this end. Learn more at [www.cdc.gov/healthequity](http://www.cdc.gov/healthequity).

#### **TA Resources**



These TA Providers are available to offer expertise and tools to assist with key areas of need, including:

- Identifying and/or applying best and promising practices for addressing COVID-19 disparities
- Strengthening capacity for grant activities
- Advancing the science and practice of health equity
- Planning or implementing evaluation activities



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## At-A-Glance TA SERVICES



## COVID-19 Health Equity TA SITE



The various types of TA are designed to help recipients connect with peers, build capacity, and leverage evidence-based practices as they implement OT21-2103 activities. Examples include:

- Live workshops, webinars, and small group learning labs
- Online courses
- Practical tools
- Briefs with strategies and health department examples
- Web-based resource library of evidence-based practices
- Peer-to-peer engagement such as the health equity learning collaborative and online forum
- TA request system for individualized assistance including expert consultation and coaching

Browse technical assistance (TA) resources, trainings, and events at this one-stop-shop website for OT21-2103 grant recipients:

[\*\*BROWSE RESOURCES\*\*](#)



This overview is compiled by the COVID-19 Health Equity TA Collaborative:



If you are a OT21-2103 recipient, please contact your Project Officer with questions and use the TA Request System to submit any requests.

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