

The Oregon Reproductive Health Program



Newsletter

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Welcome Malika Edden!!

The RH Program is happy to welcome Malika Edden as our new Health Education Coordinator! Malika most recently worked at the Multnomah County Health Department in the Adolescent Sexual Health Equity Program. One of the projects she focused on before leaving was working closely with staff at the local detention center to implement a 14-hour gender empowerment and sexual health curriculum in which all youth participated.

Malika started her sexual health career at the age of 17 as a Teen Council volunteer through Planned Parenthood of the Great Northwest and the Hawaiian Islands. She later worked for them as a Health Educator for 6 years, and has been providing sexual and reproductive health education for over 15 years. Malika moved to Oregon to acquire her Masters in Social Work and is pleased she stayed. She feels lucky to have joined such a strong team and is excited to expand our educational services. Please contact her (malika.p.edden@state.or.us or (971) 673-0099) if you are looking for specific educational resources that can better support your work.

When Malika isn't working she can be found eating good food with friends, laughing, traveling, or curled up on the couch with her two cats that she lovingly refers to as "the management." Malika's first day was February 29th.

**TRAININGS
&
EDUCATION**

March Webinar: CCare Eligibility Database

(March 16, 9:00-10:00)

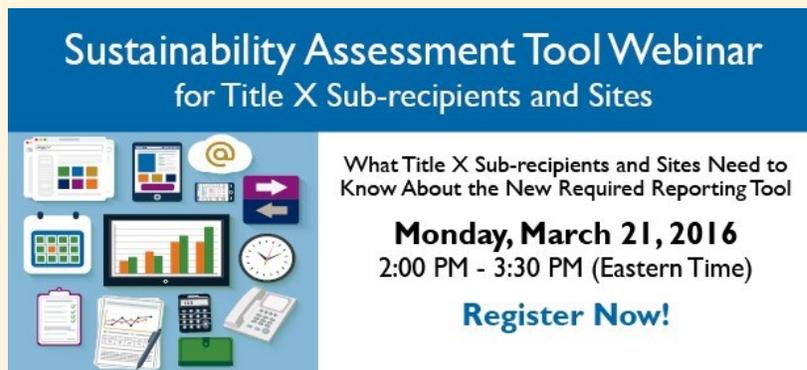
Just a reminder that the next RH Program webinar is scheduled for next Wednesday, March 16th at 9:00. The webinar will cover the CCare Eligibility Database - how to locate current clients, add new clients, etc. We strongly recommend any staff that enroll clients into CCare attend the training, especially new staff. Click [here](#) to register now!

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Title X Sustainability Assessment & Webinar

(March 21, 11:00-12:30)

OPA is requiring all Title X-funded sites to complete a Sustainability Assessment to help determine the sustainability of the Title X network in key areas. OPA will host a webinar titled *The Sustainability Assessment Tool Webinar: What Sub-recipients and Sites Need to Know About the New Required Reporting Tool* on March 21, 11:00-12:30 to explain the assessment. To register for the webinar click the image below.



The graphic features a blue header with the text "Sustainability Assessment Tool Webinar for Title X Sub-recipients and Sites". Below the header is a collage of icons representing various data and communication tools, including a calendar, a bar chart, a clock, a smartphone, a laptop, a calculator, a telephone, and a document. To the right of the icons, the text reads: "What Title X Sub-recipients and Sites Need to Know About the New Required Reporting Tool", "Monday, March 21, 2016", "2:00 PM - 3:30 PM (Eastern Time)", and "Register Now!" in blue.

The good news is that the Sustainability Assessment will REPLACE the Outreach & Enrollment Data Collection survey required of Title X agencies the last two years as Outreach & Enrollment data will be included in the assessment.

The Sustainability Assessment will be completed via SurveyMonkey and is due April 30th. We will send additional guidance, a copy of the Sustainability Assessment questions, and a cheat sheet soon.

For trainings conducted by other organizations check the External Webinar Resources section of our website:

<https://public.health.oregon.gov/HealthyPeopleFamilies/ReproductiveSexualHealth/Resources/Pages/Training.aspx#external>

Training: Nexplanon Insertion/Removal

(Milwaukie April 29, 2:00)

Merck will conduct a training on the insertion and removal of Nexplanon in Milwaukie on April 29th at 2:00. The training is available to all prescribing providers. See the **attached** invitation and follow the instructions for registering.

Required Webinar for Reproductive Health Coordinators

This year's second required RHC webinar will be used to share some exciting news, and we've scheduled three different times to tune in. Click [here](#) to register for the webinar that fits your schedule.

- Tuesday, April 12th 10:00-11:00,
- Tuesday, April 12th 11:30-12:30, or
- Wednesday, April 13th 9:00-10:00.

All RH Coordinators are required to attend one webinar.

Spanish Health Care Interpreter Training

Linfield College Online and Continuing Education is offering a fully-online Spanish Health Care Interpreter Training program. Approved by the Oregon Health Authority, this unique Spanish-specific training is suitable for beginning and experienced interpreters. The program includes interpreting skills and knowledge, ethics, anatomy, physiology and medical terminology taught from a cross-cultural perspective. Extensive oral practice in Spanish and English with instructor feedback is included for preparation for national exams. Students will also receive an official ACTFL proficiency rating that may be used to meet language proficiency requirements for Oregon qualification and national exams.

Get all the program and registration information [here](#), and if you have questions email enrichment@linfield.edu.

RESOURCES

Technical Assistance Support for Title X Clinics

The National Training Center (NTC) for Management and Systems Improvement (MSI) is offering sustainability technical assistance (TA) to Title X clinics April through August 2016. The NTC MSI conducted a TA Needs Assessment in December 2015 and is using its results to develop TA for the Title X network. The goal is to support the Title X network in making health systems improvements to ensure long term sustainability of their programs. To learn how to access the TA and what topics will be covered attend one of three webinars (to register click on a date):

March 17, 12:00-1:00,

March 23, 8:00-9:00, or

March 24, 10:00-11:00.

Please note that these webinars are separate from the March 21st webinar on the Sustainability Assessment Survey conducted by OPA.

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