## RI College is Celebrating CHWs with a Training Opportunity!



## CHW Older Adults & Dementia Training

August 24- October 5th 2024

Six Weeks, Saturdays, In-Person at Rhode Island College \$350 Stipend for Completion!

Please join The Office of Healthy Aging and Rhode Island College for this specialized training for Community Health Workers who are interested in serving older adults in the state of RI. This training targets CHWs who are already certified or who are working toward CHW certification.

All participants who successfully complete the full training will receive a \$350 stipend and RI College (RIC) certificate of completion. **You could then apply for your RICB Specialty in Older Adults Endorsement**, a useful credential to have!

The training is provided by RIC and includes:

- Building Holistic Relationship with Older Adults (35-hours) a RICB Specialization
- Dementia Competent Practice: Promoting Dignity & Person-Centered Care (5-hours).

The training will be delivered over a six-week period: 5 in-person sessions and 1 online session. Morning and lunch refreshments will be provided. Classes will meet on Saturdays from 9am - 3pm.

## Schedule:

- August 24, 2024 9am 3pm in-person at RIC
- August 31, 2024 & September 7, 2024 no in-person classes; participants complete online work
- September 14, 2024 9am 3pm in-person
- September 21, 2024 9am 3pm in-person
- September 28, 2024 9am 3pm in-person
- October 5, 2024 9am 3pm in-person

In support of building the CHW Workforce in the field of aging, this training program will support applications and fees for certifications for the CHW and Older Adults Specialization.

Please submit your application by August 20th. You will receive confirmation of your acceptance by the 21st. If you have questions, please contact Tonya Glantz (401-456-4626; tglantz@ric.edu).





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