

Application Announcement: Virtual Community Ambassador for AAMC CHARGE

Are you interested in demonstrating your expertise, building relationships, and pioneering a platform? The AAMC Collaborative for Health Equity: Act, Research, Generate Evidence (CHARGE) is looking for five Virtual Community Ambassadors to enrich our coworking health equity space for community members. These individuals will be responsible for co-facilitating discussions, events, and collaborations in the virtual community.

Who We Are

The [AAMC Collaborative for Health Equity: Act, Research, Generate Evidence \(CHARGE\)](#) cultivates the health equity community by advancing collaborative research, policy, and programmatic solutions to health and health care inequities.

The vision of AAMC CHARGE is an equitable and just society in which academic health centers and their multisector and community partners:

- Prioritize health equity research, action, and policy change.
- Partner with communities, families, patients, and sectors outside health care to address the many factors that contribute to a community's health.
- Advocate for structural changes that address the root causes of health inequities.

Why Us, Why Now

The [AAMC CHARGE virtual community](#), part of the AAMC Communities network, is committed to creating and amplifying opportunities for learning, engagement, and collaboration that help eliminate inequities in health & health care and cultivate the next generation of health equity scientists. Ambassadors will:

- Receive reimbursement up to \$1,000 for a professional development opportunity of their choice that relates to the AAMC CHARGE mission.
- Receive a special Virtual Community badge in the network.
- Gain virtual management and engagement skills.
- Build relationships with colleagues and other health equity stakeholders.
- Be a part of growing a virtual community.
- Drive conversations about health equity and justice.

How You Will Make an Impact

- Post at least four times a month (new threads, shared files, replies, etc.)
- Reply to any unanswered threads and/or threads with less than two replies.

- Actively engage in monthly half-hour calls for a programming pulse check and to share tips/resources/challenges.
- Participate in program evaluation activities (e.g., complete quarterly, end-of-term surveys).

Selected ambassadors must attend a mandatory 1-hour orientation during the first week of December. We will poll for availability after the positions are filled.

Estimated time commitment: 2-3 hours per month for six months

Before the application deadline closes, you must:

- [Become a member](#) of AAMC CHARGE.
- [Join the Virtual Community](#) (specify AAMC CHARGE when you register).

Important Dates

Date	Event
Monday, October 25, 2021, at 9 a.m. ET	Application opens
Thursday, November 18, 2021, at 5 p.m. ET	Application closes
Week of Monday, December 6, 2021*	Mandatory orientation for selected ambassadors
Thursday, June 30, 2022	Ambassadors' term ends

*exact date TBD

How to Apply

If you are interested in applying to be a Virtual Community Ambassador for AAMC CHARGE, please [complete the online application form](#) by **November 18, 2021, at 5 p.m. ET.**