



Montgomery Township Health Department
in Cooperation with
One Montgomery, Montgomery Mosaic, and the Montgomery-Rocky Hill Municipal Alliance
present
“Improving Access and Understanding of Healthcare in Montgomery”
A Community Forum on Fairness and Health Equity
Wednesday, April 3, 7:00-9:00 PM
Montgomery Municipal Building, 2261 Route 206, Belle Mead, NJ

AGENDA

- 7:00 pm Welcome and Introductions *Mayor Sadaf Jaffer*
- 7:10-7:20 Opening Activity by The People’s Project of Montgomery High School
- 7:20-8:15 Panel Discussion: What are the Barriers to Good Health, and Initiatives to Help
Video: Equity Vs. Equality (RWJF, 2 minutes)
Moderator: Kerry Anne McGeary, PhD, Senior Program Officer, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
Panelists:
- Rev. Tim Wolf, Pioneer Family Success Center Depression and Barriers to Care
 - Paula Gutierrez, Director of Diversity & Inclusion, PROUD Family Health Center, RWJBarnabas Health
 - Joanna Moore, Zufall Health Center—Language, Medicaid, and Access to care
 - Dr. Rachana Kulkarni, American Heart Association-- Cultural barriers to Health Care
 - Sejal Dave Sharma, RWJUH Somerset, Director of Business Development--Asian Outreach Initiatives to improve access to care
- 8:15-35 Facilitated Conversations and Listening Session:
- Tables will ask 3 discussion questions and collect your stories about a time you couldn’t do what you needed to stay healthy, and what stood in your way. Are things getting better? Worse?
 - Please write your comments on the blue 3X5 cards provided so we can compile for our report.
- 8:35-45 What the 2018 Community Health Assessment says about Barriers to Care & Emerging Issues.
Stephanie Carey, Health Officer
- 8:45-9 This is the Beginning: What’s Next? Share your stories. How to engage your neighbors. Developing programs: Chai Chat, Hep B Free, and Community Resources Directory *Devangi Patel, Health Educator*
- This program contains mature themes and may not be suitable for children under 12*



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