

The Close the Gap Network

Collaborative Workshop



Close the Gap Idaho is offering a series of trainings for advocates interested in closing Idaho's health insurance coverage gap and supporting the Healthy Idaho Plan. The Healthy Idaho Plan is a one-of-a-kind, homegrown solution that could help the 78,000 Idahoans who fall into the coverage gap access health care. The Healthy Idaho Plan would save our state and counties millions of dollars.

Organizations and individuals are encouraged to attend all of the available Close the Gap training workshops. Advocates who attend 3 or more workshops will be identified as leaders for our 2016 Healthy Idaho Plan Advocacy Day.

Special trainings are available for communities, special populations and associations throughout Idaho upon request.

For details on the following workshops, please email Christine Tiddens at ctiddens@ccidaho.org.



Close the Gap Network Meeting

August 28, 10:30-12:30 pm

Downtown Boise Public Library

Join us for a steering committee report back and a Network action planning session. Come ready to share what you or your organization can do to help the Close the Gap effort.

Local Meetings In Your Area

Throughout the fall—Upon Request

Not in Boise? Request an update and action planning session in your area. Some meetings will be in person and some will be over webinar.

Non-profit Advocacy and Lobbying Webinars

September-December (online)

The Idaho Asset Building Network is offering general advocacy trainings throughout the fall and winter and are encouraging participation from Close the Gap advocates. This is a great opportunity to get solid training to support the Healthy Idaho Plan.

Close the Gap Coalition Training with Robb Gray

Thursday, October 29

Robb Gray, the Director of State Engagement and Partnerships at the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, will lead a Close the Gap Network planning meeting and training. Robb has worked in a variety of states on the coverage gap issue and has an extensive background in coalition organizing.

Advocacy Training with Marcia Avner and Healthy Idaho Plan Advocacy Day

January 2016 (Date to be Determined)

Partnering with the Idaho Asset Building Network, CTG advocates are invited to a training with national grassroots advocacy expert Marcia Avner. Training attendees will be invited to attend meetings with legislators to share support for the Healthy Idaho Plan.



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