

## Web resources and literature on CHWs:

National Community Health Advisor Study (Univ. of Arizona, 1998)

<http://crh.arizona.edu/publications/cha>

CHW National Workforce Study for HRSA/BHPr released May 2007

<http://bhpr.hrsa.gov/healthworkforce/reports/chwstudy2007.pdf>

Massachusetts Dept. of Public Health CHW Report to the Legislature "CHWs: Improving HealthCare and Public Health" presented January 2010

<http://bit.ly/b4R74Y>

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<http://content.healthaffairs.org/cgi/content/abstract/29/7/1338>

Proceedings of CHW research agenda conference published October 2007

<http://bit.ly/b0ZAub>

"Advancing Community Health Worker Practice and Utilization: The Focus on Financing" National Fund for Medical Education, 2006

<http://bit.ly/aHzgK5>

Community Health Worker National Education Collaborative (funded by U. S. Department of Education thru the University of Arizona)

<http://www.chw-nec.org>

Minnesota Standard CHW Curriculum

[http://www.mnchwalliance.org/PurchaseCHW\\_Curriculum.asp](http://www.mnchwalliance.org/PurchaseCHW_Curriculum.asp)

Texas CHW Certification Program

<http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/mch/chw.shtm>

Ohio CHW Certification Program:

<http://codes.ohio.gov/oac/4723-26>

American Public Health Association - 2009 Policy Statement on CHWs:

<http://www.apha.org/advocacy/policy/policysearch/default.htm?id=1393>

2008 briefing papers on CHWs from the National Conference of State Legislatures:

<http://bit.ly/994emf>

<http://bit.ly/an2mfQ>

AHRQ 2010 Community HUB Model Manual "Connecting Those at Risk to Care"

<http://bit.ly/kMKdS8>

CDC 2011 Policy Brief: "Addressing Chronic Disease through Community Health Workers: a Policy and Systems-Level Approach"

<http://bit.ly/kdZrUz>

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National CHW provider classification for billing:

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Systematic reviews of CHW literature:

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Swider SM. Outcome Effectiveness of Community Health Workers: An Integrative Literature Review. *Pub Health Nurs* Jan-Feb 2002 19 (1):11-20

Viswanathan M, Kraschnewski J, Nishikawa B, Morgan LC, Thieda P, Honeycutt A, et al. Outcomes of community health worker interventions. Rockville, MD: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality; 2009. Report No.: 09-E014.

Brownstein JN, Bone LR, Dennison CR, Hill MN, Kim MT, Levine DM. Community Health Workers as Interventionists in the Prevention and Control of Heart Disease and Stroke. *Am J Prev Med* 2005;29(5S1):128-133.

Oregon House Bill 3650 (2011):

<http://www.leg.state.or.us/11reg/measpdf/hb3600.dir/hb3650.intro.pdf>

Rhode Island Senate Bill 481 (2011):

<http://www.rilin.state.ri.us/PublicLaws/law11/law11172.htm>

Texas House Bill 2610 (2011):

<http://www.capitol.state.tx.us/tlodocs/82R/billtext/html/HB02610F.htm>

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