



# The state of Ohio's health: 2019 Health Value Dashboard release

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## Agenda

- 10:30 a.m. **Welcome and opening remarks**  
**Amy Rohling McGee**, President, Health Policy Institute of Ohio
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- 10:40 a.m. **The Health Collaborative: Improving the health of Ohioans through community collaboration**  
**Craig Brammer**, CEO, The Health Collaborative and the Network for Regional Healthcare Improvement
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- 10:50 a.m. **Moving toward health value: Where we are now and how we can improve**  
**Reem Aly**, Vice President, Healthcare System and Innovation Policy, HPIO  
**Amy Bush Stevens**, Vice President, Prevention and Public Health Policy, HPIO
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- 11:20 a.m. **Improving healthcare value - Proven ideas states can deploy now**  
**Lynn Quincy**, Director, Healthcare Value Hub, Altarum
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- 11:55 a.m. **Moving upstream to improve population health**  
**Dr. Andrew Beck**, Attending Physician, Division of General & Community Pediatrics, Cincinnati Children's Hospital  
**Dr. Robert Kahn**, Executive Lead, Population and Community Health, Cincinnati Children's Hospital
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- 12:25 p.m. **Lunch and networking**
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- 1:00 p.m. **Population health: Impacts on underserved and marginalized populations**  
**Renee Mahaffey Harris**, President & CEO, The Center for Closing the Health Gap  
President, Ohio African American Health Disparities Coalition
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- 1:10 p.m. **A lasting impact on health outcomes**  
**Hilary Heishman**, Senior Program Officer, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
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- 1:40 p.m. **Activity break**
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- 1:45 p.m. **Panel: Achieving health value through upstream collaboration**  
**Moderator: Shaun Hamilton**, System Director, Community Health and Benefit, Premier Health
- **Meghan Cummings**, Executive Director, Women's Fund of the Greater Cincinnati Foundation
  - **Helen Jones-Kelley**, Executive Director, ADAMHS Board of Montgomery County
  - **Mike Moroski**, Director, Partnerships & Policy, Cradle Cincinnati
  - **Dr. O'dell Moreno Owens**, President and Chief Executive Officer, Interact for Health
  - **Brittnii Pina**, Quality Improvement Manager, Cincinnati Preschool Promise
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- 2:30 p.m. **Evaluation and closing comments**  
**Amy Rohling McGee**, President, Health Policy Institute of Ohio



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## Speaker biographies

### Craig Brammer

**CEO, The Health Collaborative and the Network for Regional Healthcare Improvement**

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Craig Brammer serves as President and CEO of the Network for Regional Healthcare Improvement representing more than 35 regional health improvement collaboratives and state-affiliated partners, all working toward the goals of better health, better care, and lower costs. In this role he is responsible for helping leaders set a shared strategic direction and execute on a broad agenda of improving health and healthcare in communities across the United States.

Craig is also the Chief Executive Officer of The Health Collaborative, one of the country's leading regional health improvement collaboratives based in Cincinnati, Ohio. In this role he leads a team of 70 health professionals focused on clinical informatics, population health and quality improvement.

He previously served on the leadership team at the Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology in Washington, D.C., where he focused on the intersection of technology and payment policy, and led a \$260 million federal technology innovation program. A Cincinnati native, Brammer is an assistant professor at the University of Cincinnati's Department of Biomedical Informatics and a senior scholar at AcademyHealth.

### Reem Aly, JD, MA

**Vice President, Healthcare System and Innovation Policy, Health Policy Institute of Ohio**

 @ReemAlyHPIO

Reem Aly is the Vice President, Healthcare System and Innovation Policy at the Health Policy Institute of Ohio. Aly leads work on healthcare system performance, payment alignment and telehealth and serves as HPIO's in-house legal counsel.

Prior to joining HPIO in June 2011, Aly worked as a consultant and administrative resident at Nationwide Children's Hospital. Aly also worked in the legal field at OCLC Online Computer Library Center, Inc. and Bricker & Eckler LLC. Aly holds a law degree and master's of health administration, as well as a bachelor of science in psychology and a bachelor of arts in international relations from the Ohio State University. Aly was named one of six inaugural recipients of AcademyHealth's

2013 Presidential Scholarship for the AcademyHealth Institute on Advocacy and Public Policy.

### Amy Bush Stevens, MSW, MPH

**Vice President, Prevention and Public Health Policy, Health Policy Institute of Ohio**

 @AmyStevensHPIO


Amy Bush Stevens is the Vice President, Prevention and Public Health Policy at the Health Policy Institute of Ohio. Stevens leads work on population health and also serves as HPIO's evaluation coordinator.

Prior to joining HPIO, Stevens served as the Program Evaluator at the Community Mental Health and Recovery Board of Licking and Knox counties and as a program evaluation trainer and coach with local prevention coalitions through the Ohio Domestic Violence Network. As an independent consultant, Stevens partnered with numerous public health organizations and prevention coalitions in rural Ohio to conduct community assessments, strategic planning and program evaluation.

Stevens began her research and evaluation career at Wilder Research Center in Minnesota, and at the Institute for Policy Research at Northwestern University. She holds master's degrees in public health and social work from the University of Minnesota and a bachelor's degree in religion from Kenyon College.

### Lynn Quincy, MA

**Director, Healthcare Value Hub, Altarum**

 @LynnQuincy

Lynn works on a wide variety of health policy issues, focusing primarily on the areas of consumer protection, strategies that provide better value for our healthcare dollar and health insurance reform at the federal and state levels. In 2015, with funding from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Lynn launched the Healthcare Value Hub, a new center that helps advocates and others address high healthcare costs, lack of transparency and uneven quality.

Prior to joining Altarum, Quincy held senior positions at Consumers Union, the policy and advocacy arm of Consumer Reports, Mathematica Policy Research, Inc., the Institute for Health Policy Solutions and Watson Wyatt Worldwide (now Willis Towers Watson). She holds a master's degree from the University of Maryland.

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### Andrew Beck, MD, MPH

**Attending Physician, Division of General & Community Pediatrics and Division of Hospital Medicine, Cincinnati Children's Hospital**

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Dr. Beck strives to improve population health outcomes by focusing on the identification and mitigation of key social, economic, and environmental determinants of health. He sees patients as a primary care and hospitalist pediatrician.

For his efforts, he has been recognized with the Cincinnati Children's Junior Faculty Award for Service and Advocacy and has been recognized by the Cincinnati Business Courier as a member of the region's 40 under 40.

Dr. Beck attended Yale University and University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. He completed his residency in pediatrics at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center. He obtained a Master's of Public Health at Harvard School of Public Health.

### Robert Kahn, MD, MPH

**Executive Lead, Population and Community Health, Cincinnati Children's Hospital  
Associate Chair of Community Health, UC Department of Pediatrics**

 @DocRob64

Dr. Kahn is a Professor of Pediatrics and serves as Associate Chair for Community Health in the Department of Pediatrics at UC College of Medicine, and at Cincinnati Children's Hospital. Dr. Kahn directs the hospital's community health strategic plan which seeks to help ensure Cincinnati's 66,000 children are the healthiest in the nation through strong community partnerships. The goals of the initiative are to reduce infant mortality and disparities in avoidable admissions and to improve health at school entry and 3rd grade reading proficiency.

Dr. Kahn's research interests lie at the intersection of poverty and child health, examining what leads to worse health and where we might intervene most effectively in partnership with families and community agencies. His research focuses on health equity and common pediatric conditions through clinical, quality improvement and population health lenses.

Dr. Kahn attended Princeton University, Vanderbilt College of Medicine and completed residency and fellowship at Boston Children's Hospital. He's been at Cincinnati Children's since 1999.

### Hilary Heishman, MPH

**Senior Program Officer, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation**

 @hilaryheishman

Hilary Heishman joined the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) in 2011. A senior program officer, her work to develop strategies and grants for the Foundation's Transforming Health and HealthCare Systems strategy focuses on connecting and aligning health care, public health and other systems to enable people to live healthier lives. She also supports grantmaking to help communities have more capability to improve health. She is program officer for Data Across Sectors for Health, 100 Million Healthier Lives, Health Leads, the Social Interventions Research & Evaluation Network, and other RWJF grantees.

Previously, Heishman was in the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Public Health Prevention Service. She has worked with the Northwest Center for Public Health Practice and the Washington State Department of Health's Public Health Improvement Partnership. Heishman served in the Peace Corps in Ghana, where she taught biology then coordinated HIV/AIDS prevention programs country-wide.

Heishman received a BA in biology from the University of Virginia and a MPH in community oriented public health practice from the University of Washington. She is a West Virginian by birth.

### Shaun Hamilton, MPH

**System Director, Community Health and Benefit, Premier Health**

Shaun Hamilton is a native Texan and a graduate of Sam Houston State University in Huntsville, TX. There he earned his Bachelor of Science in health education. He then earned his Master's of Public Health from Wright State University Boonshoff School of Medicine in 2013.

Shaun began his career at Premier Health as Manager for the Injury Prevention Center in 2005. He received the Dayton Business Journal Health Care Hero Award in 2008. Shaun was awarded Top 40 business leaders under 40 at the age of 26. Shaun completed the Leadership Dayton program in 2010.

In 2011, Shaun became the Manager for Supplier Diversity at Premier Health where he championed supplier diversity and has propelled Premier Health's efforts from "start up" to reflect national best practices. In 2014, Shaun became the System

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Director of Community Health and Benefit. In this role, he leads Premier's community health strategic plan to make communities healthy in Southwest Ohio through the community health needs assessment process.

### **Meghan Cummings**

**Executive Director, Women's Fund of the Greater Cincinnati Foundation**

Meghan Cummings is the Executive Director of the Women's Fund of The Greater Cincinnati Foundation. She brings a broad perspective of leadership and fundraising through her experience with non-profit organizations, a corporate charity and a community foundation. She is passionate about addressing poverty and equity issues by igniting public will and inspiring individuals, companies and foundations to collaborate in new ways.

Cummings is a past president of the Greater Cincinnati Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals and has worked extensively on the chapter's diversity and inclusion efforts including the creation of a diversity pipeline program called New Faces of Fundraising. She was named to the 2014 class of the Cincinnati Business Courier's Forty under 40. She currently serves as the Chair of the Board of Directors for Beyond Civility, a non-profit dedicated to helping citizens and civic leaders explore the barriers and bridges to effective dialogue.

### **Helen Jones-Kelley, JD**

**Executive Director, ADAMHS Board of Montgomery County**

Helen Jones-Kelley is a licensed attorney. She earned her Juris Doctor from the University of Dayton School of Law, her Bachelor of Science in secondary English education from Miami University in Oxford, Ohio and received graduate training there in the fields of sociology and gerontology.

She currently serves as the executive director of the Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services for Montgomery County, Ohio. Before moving to that position, she was Special Assistant to the President of Central State University where she was responsible for External Relations and assisted as interim General Counsel and University Secretary to the of Trustees. Jones-Kelley is also a member of the faculty for Georgetown University's Center on Juvenile Justice Reform and is engaged with implementation of its Cross-Over Youth Practice Model.

Jones-Kelley is currently on the Governing Board of the Dayton Foundation where she chairs the Marketing Committee, co-chairs the Parity, Inc. Steering Committee, chairs the Education Linkages Committee for the Central Area Links, Inc., serves on the Special Wish Foundation Advisory Board, the Miami Valley Catholic Education Council, Montgomery County's Family and Children First Council and the University of Dayton Law School Advisory Board. She is also a member of the Dayton Chapter of the Links, Inc. and of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority. In 2003, Ohio Supreme Court Chief Justice Tom Moyer, appointed her to co-chair the Advisory Council on Children, Youth and Families where she completed a six-year term.

She has received several honors over the course of her career, including being selected as one of the "Ten Top Women" in Dayton in 1996 and one of the Ten Top African American Women in 2002. She was featured in Essence Magazine in June, 1997. In 1999, she was honored by the YWCA of Dayton as a "Woman of Influence" and received their Lifetime Achievement Award in 2007.

### **Mike Moroski, MA, MBA**

**Director, Partnerships & Policy Manager, Cradle Cincinnati and Cincinnati Public School Board Member**

Mike Moroski is an elected representative of the Cincinnati Public Schools Board of Education, and the Partnership & Policy Manager at Cradle Cincinnati. He is also an adjunct instructor at Cincinnati State and a volunteer mentor at Oylar School and Rothenberg Academy.

Presently, Mike serves as a trustee for Camp Joy; a camp that specializes in helping people grow through experience-based learning. The camp focuses on children with lack of access to resources, children in foster care, and children with serious health concerns.

Previously, Mike served as the Executive Director of UpSpring (the only nonprofit in the southwest Ohio region that exclusively serves the educational needs of children experiencing homelessness), as a teacher at Moeller High School, and as Assistant Principal at Purcell Marian High School. He is a former member of the Southwest Ohio Region Workforce Investment Board, and the City of Cincinnati's Human Advisory Committee.

Mike earned his MA at Xavier University and his MBA in not-for-profit administration at the University of

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Notre Dame. Mike received the Jefferson Award for his dedication to affordable housing preservation and his commitment to reducing barriers for those returning from prison; earned Xavier University's highest honor for a young graduate, the Magis Award, for his service to the City of Cincinnati; was named to the Business Courier's 40 Under 40 Class of 2011; received The Human Rights Campaign's Ally Award for his public defense of marriage equality which cost him his job at a Catholic school; and was awarded the Outstanding Young Alumnus Award by his high school alma mater, Marist High School.

Mike and his wife Katie live in downtown Cincinnati with their two cats Eddie & Rosie, and their English Bulldog Biggie.

### **O'dell Moreno Owens, MD, MPH** **President and Chief Executive Officer, Interact for Health**

Dr. O'dell Moreno Owens is the president, chief executive officer and a board member of Interact for Health and InterAct for Change. He joined Interact as president in October 2016.

Dr. Owens holds both an MD and a master's of public health from Yale University Medical School, where he also completed a residency in obstetrics and gynecology. Owens completed a fellowship in reproductive endocrinology at Harvard Medical School and served as a clinical instructor in reproductive endocrinology.

After returning to his native Cincinnati in 1982, Owens established an in vitro fertilization program at the University of Cincinnati Medical Center. He achieved Cincinnati's first successful conception and delivery as well as the first pregnancy from a frozen embryo.

In recent years, Dr. Owens has served as the Hamilton County Coroner, Cincinnati State Technical and Community College President and Medical Director/Interim Health Commissioner of the Cincinnati Health Department.

Dr. Owens is currently on the board of the Cincinnati Fire Foundation, the Carl H. Lindner Jr. Family Center for Conservation and Research of Endangered Wildlife (CREW) at the Cincinnati Zoo and the Cincinnati Preschool Promise; and is the longest-tenured member and former lead director of the U.S. Bancorp Board of Directors. For eight years, Dr. Owens has chaired the annual CET Action Auction, which supports Cincinnati's public television programming. He

previously was Chair of the boards of the University of Cincinnati and the Cincinnati Board of Health and has served on the boards of the Greater Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport, the Cincinnati Red Cross, the Fine Arts Fund (now ArtsWave) and the National Underground Railroad Freedom Center.

### **Brittnii Pina, MS** **Quality Improvement Manager, Cincinnati Preschool Promise**

Brittnii Pina has worked throughout early childhood education (ECE) as a teacher, peer mentor, administrator and adjunct professor. She loves the ECE profession and is passionate about supporting preschool providers and teachers in their everyday work. Brittnii holds a Bachelor of Science in social sciences with a concentration in criminal justice and psychology from Tennessee State University, and a Master's of Science in early childhood education leadership and advocacy from the University of Dayton.

Brittnii decided to get involved in the early childhood education profession because of her innate desire to help others. Initially, she wanted to work with rehabilitating juvenile delinquents. This career path required additional training and education and like most recent college graduates, Brittnii needed to find work immediately to support herself and begin repaying student loans. Brittnii sought employment with an organization that provided direct services to disadvantaged people in her community, and they learned Brittnii had completed a sufficient amount of child psychology coursework to qualify as a pre-k teacher. Brittnii gladly accepted this teaching position knowing she could be proactive with influencing children's pathways to life in a positive manner at a much earlier age.

Now, Brittnii works as the Quality Improvement Manager for the Cincinnati Preschool Promise (CPP). In this role, she supports preschool providers throughout Cincinnati with meeting Step Up To Quality standards. Brittnii decided to join the CPP team because of their mission to expand access to quality preschool. Being a part of the CPP team continues to fulfill her desire to proactively improve the lives of others. Brittnii believes it is more cost efficient to teach early than to rehabilitate later. Providing a child with quality preschool will prepare both parents and children for kindergarten readiness, and most importantly, develop the child's learning skills that will be utilized throughout life.



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