

# PHYSICIANS FOR A NATIONAL HEALTH PROGRAM

ANNUAL MEETING 2024

This is How We Win: Building Power for Health Justice

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16 VENUE SIX10, CHICAGO



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The City of Chicago is the traditional homelands of the Anishinaabe, or the Council of the Three Fires: the Ojibwe, Odawa, and Potawatomi Nations. Many other Nations consider this area their traditional homeland, including the Myaamia, Ho-Chunk, Menominee, Sac and Fox, Peoria, Kaskaskia, Wea, Kickapoo, and Mascouten. Native people are part of Chicago's past, present, and future and it is our responsibility to listen to Indigenous voices, to honor their rights, and to work together towards equity and inclusion.

Conference materials, including slides, will be posted at [pnhp.org/chicago2024](https://pnhp.org/chicago2024)

- 8:00 AM Registration // Lobby  
Light Breakfast // Second Floor Landing  
*No food or drinks (except water) are allowed in the Feinberg Theater*
- 9:00 AM General Session I // Feinberg Theater (FI 2)  
Welcome: Monica Maalouf, MD, and Winnie Lin, MD, co-chairs of PNHP-Illinois  
**Health Policy Update:** Adam Gaffney, MD, MPH  
**Exploring PNHP's Campaign on Medicare Advantage:** Shruthi Bhuma, M4, and Swathi Bhuma, M4
- 10:45 AM Break
- 10:55 AM General Session II // Feinberg Theater (FI 2)  
Message from **Rep. Jan Schakowsky**  
**Panel discussion: Reacting to the Election: What are the opportunities and challenges ahead for our health care advocacy:** Abdul El-Sayed, MD, DPhil; Alex Lawson, MPP; Wendell Potter; A. Taylor Walker, MD, MPH; moderated by Sanjeev Sriram, MD, MPH, and Emily Huff, M4  
**Announcements** from Claudia Fegan, MD, PNHP National Coordinator, and Savanna Gornisiewicz, M4
- 12:15 PM **Lunch** // Crown Family Great Hall (FI 9 – access via elevators)  
*Lunch seating is open, but feel free to join any of the themed tables [TBA]*  
**Announcements** from Shannon Rotolo, PharmD, PNHP Board Member
- 1:20 PM **Workshops I: Campaigns for 2025**  
*Select one workshop to attend; Feinberg Theater is on FI 2 and all others on FI 7*

**Growing Power within Medical Societies:** In this workshop we will discuss how to overcome previous barriers to building power and passing resolutions within Societies; as well as create template resolutions. *Eve Shaprio, MD, MPH; Shannon Rotolo, PharmD; Stephen Kemble, MD; and Donald Bourne // 722*

**Moral Injury: Let's Talk About It:** Learn how to talk and present on Moral Injury, as well as brainstorm different methods of disseminating the Survey. *Diljeet Singh, MD, DrPH; Carol Paris, MD; and Anand Habib, MD, MPhil // Feinberg Theater*

**A Toolbox for Building Local Power:** This workshop session will create a space for members to dive deep into their vision for building local power. Members will leave with the skills, strategies and a plan to dramatically grow the number of people involved in their chapters. *Toby Terwilliger, MD; Robel Worku; and Brooke Adams, M1 // 721*

**Making Legislative Action Real:** This workshop will outline some legislative priorities for the first half of 2025 for both the Medicare Advantage and Medicare For All campaigns. Our priority will be building delegations to approach our members of Congress with as much power as possible. *Ed Weisbart, MD; Stephan Ramdohr; and Dan Doyle, MD // 707*

2:35 PM Break

2:45 PM **Workshops II: Building Your Practical Skills**

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**Recruiting and 1:1: How to utilize your network:** This workshop will delve into how to grow your personal networks and practice realtime membership recruitment scenarios. *Andy Hyatt, MD; Jessica Schorr Saxe, MD; and Alankrita Olson, MD // 721*

**Tension is Part of Building Powerful Relationships of Accountability with our Legislators:** We will discuss the kind of relationships we want with our elected officials and strategies to build powerful and accountable relationships with our elected officials. *Hannah Willage; Belinda McIntosh, MD; and Lori Clark // Feinberg Theater*

**Building Powerful Coalitions:** Learn how to increase the power of your chapter by building relationships with other groups, and make a plan for how to expand your coalition in 2025. *Betty Kolod, MD; Brian Yablon, MD; and Alex Newell-Taylor // 722*

**Communicating Clearly and Effectively:** This workshop will explore how to break down complex topics like moral injury, how to share crucial PNHP campaign information with your colleagues, and how to use personal stories to make health policy issues both urgent and compelling. *Chiamaka Okonkwo, M4; Carol Paris, MD; Dixon Galvez-Searle; and Anika Thota // 707*

**Running Inclusive and Effective Meetings:** In this workshop, we will explore ways to prepare and execute meetings that help us reach our goals, with a focus on creating welcoming spaces and creating action-oriented agendas that encourage attendees to share power and workloads. *Zach Gallin, M4; Jenn Sugijanto, M4; and Morgan Moore // 711B*

4:00 PM Break

4:10 PM **General Session III // Feinberg Theater (Fl 2)**

**Campaigns for PNHP's Future:** Ashley Duhon, MD, and Ed Weisbart, MD; and reports from workshops

5:00 PM **Social hour // Snacks available on Second Floor Landing**

Enjoy time with friends and colleagues on the landing, in the building lobby, or across the street in Grant Park

6:00 PM **Dinner // Crown Family Great Hall (Fl 9) – Open Seating**

Nicholas Skala Student Activist Award, presented by Dr. Alankrita Olson

Dr. Quentin Young Activist Award, presented by Dr. Susan Rogers

**Keynote Speaker: Rep. Pramila Jayapal**