

Federation of State Physician Health Programs

FSPHP Insights

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ALL IN: Wellbeing First for Healthcare Publishes its Collective Impact Update

ALL IN: Wellbeing First for Healthcare, a national coalition led by the **Dr. Lorna Breen Heroes' Foundation**, published it's collective impact update making it safer for 1.4 Million licensed and 274,000 credentialed health workers to seek mental health care! In 2 years, the coalition has engaged 10% of hospitals across the country since they expanded into credentialing efforts! Congratulations to this amazing collaborative for making this possible!!

Read the <u>Impact Update Press Release</u>. Visit the <u>Wellbeing First Champion Challenge Webpage</u>.



ACPH 2025 Registration Opens 6/2/25

The American Conference on Physician Health[™] (ACPH) is a joint scientific conference sponsored by the American Medical Association, Mayo Clinic and Stanford Medicine and is dedicated to advancing professional satisfaction and reducing burnout. This year's theme, "Inspire, innovate, implement: Systemic solutions to strengthen physician well-being," focuses on creating sustainable improvements in the health care environment.

Dates: September 11-13, 2025

Location: Boston, Massachusetts

Register at <u>https://www.physician-wellbeing-conference.org/</u> Hotel room block now open at <u>Travel details - ACPH : ACPH</u>

DISCOUNT RATE FOR FSPHP MEMBERS! FSPHP has negotiated a special discounted rate of \$725 for FSPHP Members. Email <u>ssavage@fsphp.org</u> to receive the FSPHP Member Discount Code.

FSPHP LEADERSHIP TO PRESENT

- Dr. Michael Baron FSPHP President
- Dr. Chris Bundy FSPHP Chief Medical Officer
- Dr. Lisa Merlo FSPHP Research Committee Co-Chair

Each will present on topics relevant to Physician/Professional Health Programs.



Licensing, Credentialing Moves that Support Well-Being on Upswing

Physician well-being is taking center stage as licensing and credentialing processes evolve to remove stigmatizing language that once discouraged doctors from seeking mental health care. The AMA reports significant progress, with more medical boards and hospitals adopting policies that focus on current impairments rather than past treatments. These changes aim to create a safer environment for physicians to access the support they need without fear of professional consequences.

Read more about this positive shift here.



Now Accepting Applications for PEER[™] & ETA[™]

The Performance Enhancement and Effectiveness Review[™] (PEER[™]) Program and the FSPHP Evaluation and Treatment Accreditation (ETA)[™] Program have been launched! Applications for both programs are now open!

The <u>PEER™</u> program is a structured review process designed to empower Physician Health Programs (PHPs) and other safetysensitive professional health programs to use the <u>2019 FSPHP</u> <u>Physician Health Program Guidelines</u> as a practical tool for identifying opportunities to optimize performance and effectiveness in alignment with best practices among PHPs.

To learn more about PEER[™], to purchase the *FSPHP*-*Performance Enhancement and Effectiveness Review (PEER[™]) Criteria and Metrics* V2.0, and/or to apply for this assessment, please go to: <u>https://www.fsphp.org/peer-program</u>

The **FSPHP-ETA™** program accredits evaluation and treatment providers serving healthcare professionals, enhancing both the evaluation process and treatment experience.

This accreditation ensures compliance with objective standards developed over four years, promoting consistency and quality among providers specializing in safety-sensitive professionals, including medical students, residents, and career physicians. Programs with expertise in healthcare professional treatment can apply for **FSPHP-ETA™** accreditation.

Learn more, purchase the accreditation standards, or apply at: <u>https://www.fsphp.org/fsphp-eta-</u>.



Committee Interest Submissions Due June 2nd!

<u>FSPHP committees</u> play a vital role in shaping our community and advancing our mission. We need passionate members like YOU to get involved!

✤ <u>SUBMIT YOUR INTEREST TO JOIN A COMMITTEE NOW</u> Email <u>ssavage@fsphp.org</u> with questions.

COMING UP!

Membership Committee Monday, June 2 at 1pm Eastern

Public Policy Committee Wednesday, June 4 at 2pm Eastern

Program Planning Committee Wednesday, June 4 at 3pm Eastern

OPEN FORUM LEADERSHIP SERIES

August 27, 2025 at 12-1pm Eastern Time November 19, 2025 at 12-1pm Eastern Time

REGIONAL MEMBER MEETINGS

Northeast Region - Thursday, October 9, 2025 Southeast Region - Tuesday, October 14, 2025 Western Region - Tuesday, October 21, 2025 Central Region - Friday, November 14, 2025 *All meetings will be held virtually.* Become a Regional Member Meeting Sponsor!



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