

You're invited to the 7th Annual McMaster Health Advocacy Symposium. This year we will be hosting a series of free, online talks and panels!

HEALTH ADVOCACY IN HAMILTON

October 7, 2020 | 7:00pm-8:30pm

Learn about health activism taking place in the Hamilton area, related to issues including youth mental health, environmental justice, and sex worker rights. Speakers will share insights from their own journeys in activism, as well as strategies for organizing for change.

ANTI-BLACK RACISM IN HEALTHCARE

October 14, 2020 | 7:00pm-8:30pm

Hear how insights from critical race theory can inform our understanding and activism related to racism, equity, and justice in the context of health and healthcare. Panelists will share insights from research and personal experience.

PERSPECTIVES ON INDIGENOUS HEALTH

October 21, 2020 | 7:00pm-8:30pm

In The Final Report of the National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls, calls to justice included ensuring all care workers were educated about historical and ongoing processes of colonialism. In this panel, hear from folks involved with developing this education about their work, its tensions and its triumphs.

BLACK STUDENT ADVOCACY IN THE HEALTH SCIENCES: STORIES AND LESSONS

October 28, 2020 | 7:00pm-8:30pm

Presented in collaboration with the Black Medical Students' Association of Canada, this facilitated roundtable discussion will feature Black student leaders from across the health sciences discussing strategies for building sustainable movements, and lessons learned through advocacy intended to reimagine and remake health care spaces. **This event is open to BIPOC folks only.**