

# UNDERSTANDING CHRONIC DISEASE AND THE CHW'S ROLE



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**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 10 A.M. TO NOON**

Familiarize yourself with chronic diseases! In this session, CHWs will discover the ins and outs of these conditions, from the most common ones to effective tools and skills that can make a real difference in the lives of clients.

## COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Understand the four (4) most common chronic diseases,
  - Cardiovascular Disease (Hypertension)
  - Diabetes
  - HIV
  - Cancer
- Using listening techniques and motivational interviewing to form an active partnership with clients
- Discuss language barriers when communicating with those diagnosed with chronic diseases

*This training will be presented by IPHI's CHW Trainer Joy Sharp.*