

# Poverty's Impact On Colorado's Health

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## Agenda

- 9 a.m.      **Welcome**  
Karen McNeil-Miller, *President and CEO, Colorado Health Foundation*
- 9:15 a.m.    **How Does Poverty Impact Health?**  
Erik Wallace, MD, FACP, *Associate Dean for Colorado Springs Branch, University of Colorado School of Medicine*  
Robin Harland, *Medical Student, University of Colorado School of Medicine*
- 10 a.m.      **Break**
- 10:15 a.m.   **Economic Resiliency in Colorado Communities**  
Maribel Cifuentes, *Portfolio Director, Colorado Health Foundation*  
Laura Blomquist Rodriguez, *Senior Manager - Strategy & Analytics, Colorado Office of Economic Development & International Trade*  
Natalie Wood, *Senior Policy Analyst, The Bell Policy Center*  
Ryan Stevens, *Director of Economic Development, City of Cañon City*
- 11:15 a.m.   **Lunch**
- 12 p.m.      **Keynote: How Poverty Impacts Community and Family**  
Michael Patrick MacDonald, *Best-selling Author and Community Activist*
- 1 p.m.       **Listening Lab**
- 2 p.m.       **Stories of Impact**  
Karen McNeil-Miller, *President and CEO, Colorado Health Foundation*  
Lyndsey Williams, *Director, Food Bank Network of the San Luis Valley*  
Nicole Francis, *Director, Starpoint Children's Services, Fremont County Family Resource Center*  
Chaer Robert, *Manager of Family Economic Security, Colorado Center on Law & Policy*  
Patience Kabwasa, *Director of Programs, Colorado Springs Food Rescue*
- 3 p.m.       **Closing Remarks**

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