



## Call for Proposals

# 15th Annual Latino Health Equity Conference: *Nuestra Salud, Nuestro Poder: Cultivating Reproductive Justice*

15th Annual [Latino Health Equity Conference](#) (LHEC) | Presented by [Familias en Acción](#)

May 22, 2024

1000 NE Multnomah St, Portland, OR 97232

(in-person only)

Welcome to Familias en Acción's 15th annual Latino Health Equity Conference, a vibrant intersection of knowledge, advocacy, and cultural celebration. Under the banner of "**Nuestra Salud, Nuestro Poder: Cultivating Reproductive Justice**," we invite you to join us in exploring the intersection of reproductive health and the holistic well-being of our vibrant Latino/a/e communities.

In the rich tapestry of Latino/a/e health, the concepts of **reproductive health** and **reproductive justice** play pivotal roles. Reproductive health addresses the physical, mental, and social dimensions of an individual's reproductive system, ensuring access to quality healthcare. On the other hand, reproductive justice, echoing the voices of women of color activists, transcends individual health, grappling with societal, economic, and political factors. This conference is not just an acknowledgment of these issues, but a call to action. Join us in shaping this narrative, advocating for change, and fostering a future of inclusivity and justice.

**Submissions are due February 26, 2024 by 5:00 pm.**

### **Section 1:**

**Is the presenter available to present in-person in Portland, OR on May 22, 2024?**

Yes

No



## **Section 2: Questions About Your Proposal**

Familias en Acción is seeking breakout session presentations that showcase results and outcomes of research, projects, programs, services, advocacy, and community engagement efforts around the intersections of reproductive health/justice and Latino/a/e health.

*Example topics include:*

- Access & barriers to reproductive healthcare in Latino/a/e communities, rural communities
- Policy challenges related to delivery of reproductive health services
- Maternal health disparities in our region
- Teen pregnancy and comprehensive sex education programs
- Immigration status and its impacts on healthcare access
- Reproductive rights and advocacy efforts
- Gender and sexual identity Inclusivity in reproductive health services

Breakout sessions will be 75 minutes, including 10 minutes for attendee evaluation at the end. Please design your proposal for a **65 minute presentation** (this should include time for Q&A).

**What is your content focus area? Please check all that apply.**

- Reproductive Health (services, access to care, research, new data)
- Reproductive Justice (advocacy efforts, policy, projects/programs)
- Community engagement regarding reproductive health and justice
- Latino/a/e family health and resilience (related to reproductive health)

**What is your presentation format?**

- Lecture
- Activity
- Storytelling/Healing Circle
- Other



If you selected "Other" above, please describe.

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How would you categorize the content of your presentation?

- Research
- Policy
- Clinical/Care Delivery
- Program/Project Delivery
- Other

If you selected "Other" above, please describe.

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What is your presentation language?

*We have workshops in English and Spanish at the conference. If you would like to be considered for either workshop language, choose the third option below.*

- English
- Spanish
- Present in English or Spanish

### **Section 3: Presentation Title & Description**

#### **Presentation Title**

Title should be descriptive and engaging, avoiding acronyms and exclamation points. Please limit the presentation title to 50 characters.



### **Presentation Description**

Please provide a narrative description of your session concept. Include details about what reproductive health/justice topic(s) your presentation will address, how you will engage the audience, what attendees will learn, and any calls-to-action. (300 words or less)

How will your presentation help deepen the audience's understanding of reproductive health and reproductive justice and its intersections with Latino/a/e health at this conference? (300 words or less)

### **Section 4: Learning Objectives**

**List a minimum of three action-oriented objectives that attendees will take away from your presentation.** Potential action verbs include: *Access, Develop, Identify and Implement.*

Objective 1:

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Objective 2:

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Objective 3:

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Objective 4 (optional):

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## **Section 5: Contact Information**

A few notes for presenters:

- Presentations should have no more than (2) Presenters.
- We request one Lead Presenter to be designated as the primary point of contact. Please enter their information below.
- Only the Lead Presenter will be notified regarding the status of your submission.

**First & Last Name:**

**Email:**

**Job Title:**

**Organization:**

### **Professional/Personal Background**

*A short bio of 3-4 sentences that includes professional role, current and former work experience in your topic field, and anything else the selection committee should know about you.*

### **Continued Engagement**

If your proposal is not selected for a breakout session, would you be interested in a short video submission sharing your perspective on the conference topic? This will be used throughout the conference.

- Yes
- No



## **Section 6: Final Submission**

To submit your final proposal to Familias en Acción for review, please click the "Submit" button.

For questions regarding the process and online submission form, contact: Rachel at [rachel@familiasenaccion.org](mailto:rachel@familiasenaccion.org)