

# Partnership for a Healthy Durham Quarterly meeting

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Wednesday, October 18, 2023  
12 – 1:00 pm, Zoom

The meeting will be livestreamed on the [Partnership Facebook page](#) if the meeting exceeds the 100-person capacity.

## AGENDA

### I. Welcome

Jess Bousquette, Overall Partnership Co-Chair, Durham County Department of Public Health

### II. Partnership committee updates

Partnership committee co-chairs

### III. The Duke Endowment Grant/Healthy People Healthy Carolinas Update

Krista Kicsak, Physical Activity, Nutrition, and Food Access Specialist

### IV. Navigating COVID-19 in the Winter of 2023

Dr. Jeff Jenks, Durham County Department of Public Health, Medical Director

Liz Stevens, Durham County Department of Public Health, Deputy Health Director

Lindsey Bickers Bock, Durham County Department of Public Health, Health Education and Community Transformation Director

### V. Medicaid Expansion

### VI. Announcements

- Email announcements to Bria Miller at [briamiller@dconc.gov](mailto:briamiller@dconc.gov) to share in a post meeting wrap-up

If you are not part of a committee, please consider joining one of the following. Contact Bria Miller at [briamiller@dconc.gov](mailto:briamiller@dconc.gov) or visit [www.healthydurham.org](http://www.healthydurham.org) for more information.

- **Access to Healthcare-** Increase access to medical and dental care for Durham County residents
- **Communications-** Improve internal and external communications and branding
- **Health and Housing-** Examine the relationship between housing and health
- **Mental Health-** Increase access to mental health services and public awareness of mental illness
- **Physical Activity, Nutrition, and Food Access-** Address risk factors such as food access and physical activity
- **Systemic Equity Action Team-** reviews, provides feedback, and proposes ideas and ways to center and highlight Racial Equity Principles throughout the Partnership

**Mission:** The Partnership for a Healthy Durham is committed to collaboratively improving the health and well-being of its community, and those who live in it, using racial equity principles.

**Vision:** All people of Durham have an equitable opportunity and ability to enjoy safety and good physical, mental and social health.

**Racial Equity Principles:** Cultivate community power and leadership, transform inequitable systems using justice and accountability, operationalize internal equity, connect our humanity, admit language and history matters



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