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Region V Infant Mortality Webinar Series

Presenters for August 18, 2021

Dannai Wilson



Dannai Wilson is the Program Manager of Maternal and Child Health at the Allegheny County Health Department. She has served Southwestern Pennsylvania in the areas of business, social services, and public health for nearly twenty-five years. The last eleven years with the Health Department focusing on initiatives designed to improve health and well-being and eliminate racial disparities in mortality. Some of those initiatives are evidence-based home visiting programs including Nurse Family Partnership and Healthy Families America. Her department also exists to end racial disparities and uphold equity for all through effective collaboration with community members and organizations. Her team convenes multiple groups around breastfeeding, home visiting, and infant mortality to ensure the public is involved at every stage of the process. She was recently appointed to the Governor's Maternal Mortality Review Committee and serves on the Board of Directors for Just Harvest, Healthy Start, Inc, The Children's Cabinet, Footbridge for Families, Black Women's Policy Agenda, and Southwest Area Health Education Center (AHEC). She also dedicates her time to other advisory committees at the state and local level including PA Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System (PRAMS), Women's Health Activist Movement Global (WhamGlobal), The Pittsburgh Study (Infant and Toddler Cohort), University of Pittsburgh Office of Child Development, and Black Environmental Collective. She is a Carlow University alumna. She received a bachelor's degree in Communications and a master's degree in Organizational Leadership. She is a Pittsburgh native. Mrs. Wilson is a military wife, mother, and grandmother. She often imagines a Pittsburgh where ALL residents experience and benefit from what this great City has to offer.



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Rose Anderson-Rice



Rose Anderson-Rice serves as Deputy Director with Generate Health STL, whose mission is to advance racial equity in pregnancy outcomes, family well-being, and community health. As Deputy Director, Rose is responsible for leading and managing a comprehensive array of collaborative initiatives and community engagement efforts. She holds a Master of Science in Public Administration and Policy Analysis and B.S. in Elementary Education. She is an engaging leader with experience working to improve conditions affecting the quality of life of Moms, babies, and family units in the St. Louis region. For over 25 years she has strategically worked in the nonprofit sector which brings with it unique opportunities and challenges. Rose is passionate about equitable access to resources that ensure children and their families can thrive in life. Rose is an experienced trainer/facilitator and engages the community using a strengths-based approach. She serves as part-time Adjunct with St. Louis Community College Florissant Valley.

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