



VII MOLA LATINX 2023  
HEALTH SYMPOSIUM

IV MEDICAL SPANISH SUMMIT

## Bridging the Gap Through Connections

## *Cerrando la brecha a través de conexiones*

Rush University Chicago  
Armour Academic Center  
600 S. Paulina St  
October 13th - 14th, 2023

### CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES:

- **Identify** issues and barriers experienced by our Latinx community that lead to gaps in both health equity and the overall healthcare experience.
- **Propose** strategies in healthcare practice that pursue equity through innovations in medicine and education for health professionals.
- **Utilize** the unique skills, experiences, and assets of Latinx communities, such as multilingualism, cultural diversity, protective health behaviors, and connectedness, to overcome structural barriers and improve Latinx health outcomes, effectively bridging the gap.
- **Apply** strategies to increase the representation of Latinx individuals in healthcare, research, and education careers through connections and collaboration that improve health outcomes for the Latinx population



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# Symposium Day 1

Friday, October 13, 2023, 3:00 - 9:00 PM CT

Registration Opens at 2:30 PM CT | 5th Floor

Attendees can select from one of three events from 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM CT

## IV Annual Medical Spanish Summit Academic Kick Off

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Location: Room 971

**Becoming a Medical Spanish  
Ambassador Workshop  
(60 minutes)**

3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Location: Room 975

**Lightning-Style Medical Spanish  
Presentations:  
Improving curriculum & training**

3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Location: Room 994

### ASSETS

StructurAI SolutionS for DivErSe  
Cancer TrialS (Assets) for Cook  
County Series

## ACADEMIC POSTER & NETWORKING SESSION

5:00 PM - 9:00 PM CT

Location: Room 550

Join us Friday, October 13th, for passed hors d'oeuvres and beverages for our Academic Poster & Networking Session Event of the 2023 MOLA Latino Health Symposium. Attendees and judges visit each poster presenter to hear the presenters discussing their scholarly work, ask questions about the presentations, and network with fellow Hispanic/Latino/a/x scholars.



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# Symposium Day 2

Saturday, October 14, 2023, 7:00 AM - 5:00 PM CT

Registration Opens at 6:30 AM CT | 5th Floor

Breakfast Plenary Hosted by MOLA's International Health Graduate Committee

7:00 AM - 8:30 AM CT | Location: Room 500 Dining Room

**Understanding the International Medical Graduate Experience in the United States**

## OPENING PLENARIES

Location: Room 500

**VII LATINO HEALTH SYMPOSIUM OPENING PLENARY**

8:30 AM - 10:00 AM CT

**IV MEDICAL SPANISH SUMMIT OPENING PLENARY**

10:00 AM - 11:30 AM CT

## Breakout Track Session 01

11:30 AM - 1:00 PM CT

Attendees can select from one of four tracks:

### CANCER

Leveraging community to increase early detection and improve cancer outcomes

11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Location: Room 539

### LGBTQ Health

Utilizing inclusive and safe language when addressing LGBTQ health

11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Location: Room 540

Communications Panel

*Let Our Voices*

*Be Heard*

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Location: Room 971/975

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Track A

11:30 AM 1:00 PM

Location: Room 976

## NETWORKING LUNCH

1:00 PM - 2:00 PM CT

## Breakout Track Session 02

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM CT

Attendees can select from one of three tracks:

Chronic Diseases &  
Mental Health

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM  
Location: Room 539

Immigration Health &  
Wellness

Furthering Health Equity  
2:00 PM - 3:30 PM  
Location: Room 540

Medical Spanish Summit  
Track B

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM  
Location: Room 976

## CLOSING CEREMONY

3:30 PM - 5:00 PM CT

Location: Room 976