



MARYLAND Department of Health

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BHA CULTURAL AND LINGUISTIC COMPETENCY TRAINING

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The Behavioral Health Administration (BHA), in collaboration with the University of Maryland Training Center, will be hosting a series training sessions on cultural and linguistic competence (CLC) and culturally and linguistically appropriate services (CLAS) standards.

There will be four in-person training sessions offered during September and October 2019. These sessions will include interactive discussions and learning about the importance of data driven approaches, the use of such approaches to address disparities, disproportionality and cultural competence, and the use of the CLAS standards in self-assessment as well as in assessing and addressing the behavioral health needs of all individuals served in the Maryland's Public Behavioral Health System.

There is no cost to the participant, however you must commit to attendance in both trainings. Please see the attached letter that outlines the dates, times and locations. Please feel free to share with your colleagues.

Click here to access [Invitation letter to CLC-CLAS in-person trainings 9.3.19](#)

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