





Health Services

## **Professional Certification-Community Telemedicine Worker**

Telemedicine aims to remove access barriers to medical specialist services and reduce waiting time, so that people can receive necessary medical services remotely, optimizing the reach of essential services and improving the health of communities in Puerto Rico. The community leader in telemedicine assists the physician remotely in the diagnosis, evaluation, and treatment of the patient.

## What will you learn?

Telemedicine harnesses the power of technology to deliver healthcare at a distance. The course prepares community members to become able to support telemedicine needs in their areas:

- Use of technology in healthcare
- Rules, Regulations and Risk Management
- Best Clinical Practices
- Assessment
- Clinical Issues

## Requirements

- Currently residing in the following municipalities\*
- Currently unemployed or underemployed
- Low or moderate income
- Able to communicate in Spanish and English
- Computer literate
- Healthcare background is a plus. Nurses and healthcare professionals are encouraged to apply.

\*Geographic areas of priority attention in the recruitment of participants:

**Primary group**, residents from de: Maunabo, Yabucoa, San Lorenzo, Caguas, Aguas Buenas, Cidra, Comerío, Naranjito, Vega Alta, Vega Baja, Corozal, Morovis, Manatí, Barceloneta, Florida, Arecibo, Camuy, Hatillo.

**Secondary group,** residents from: Arroyo, Patillas, Guayama, Santa Isabel, Cayey, Aibonito, Barranquitas, Orocovis, Ciales, Jayuya, Utuado, Lares, San Sebastián, Quebradillas, Isabela.

Participants from the remaining municipalities may be considered once participants from the primary and secondary group are selected.

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