

# CDU NEWSLETTER

A monthly newsletter brought to you by the Wyoming Department of Health,  
Communicable Disease Unit

Monthly Theme: Women's History

MARCH 2023

## TOP NEWS



**March is Women's  
History Month**



**Wyoming Communicable  
Disease Conference is back!**



**Annual CDU 340B  
Recertifications**



**New CDU Outreach Staff**

**Quick Fact:** [Elizabeth Gooking Greenleaf](#) was born in Cambridge, Massachusetts Colony in 1681. She is widely regarded as the first female pharmacist in the United States. In 1727, Elizabeth opened her apothecary and was the first female to perform a role that previously was only held by men. She did all of this while having and raising 12 children.





# CDU NEWSLETTER

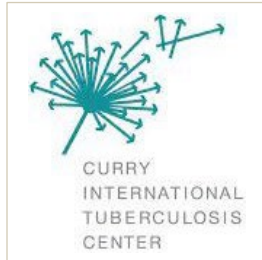
MARCH 2023



Florence Seibert

## Curry International Tuberculosis Center Training Opportunities

---



July 11th Tuberculosis Nursing Workshop - Seattle  
July 12th Focus on LTBI – Seattle  
July 13-14 Tuberculosis Clinical Intensive – Seattle

<https://www.currytbcenter.ucsf.edu/trainings>

## National Coalition of STD Directors (NSCD) Engage

---



NSCD is a national public health membership organization representing health department STD directors, their support staff, and community-based partners across 50 states, seven large cities, and five US territories.

Annual Meeting: NSCD Engage  
May 15th-19th 2023  
Sheraton New Orleans

<https://website.eventpower.com/23NCSD-ENGAGE/Register>

## Annual CDU 340B Recertifications – Coming Soon

---



Annual 340B recertification are coming up in April or May. Each subrecipient under CDUs 340B designation must meet the following criteria to be recertified each year for 340B STD and TB Office of Pharmacy Affairs Information System (OPAIS) accounts:

- OPAIS account information must be complete, accurate, and correct.
- The sub-recipient meets all 340B Program eligibility requirements.
- The sub-recipient will comply with all requirements and any accompanying regulations including, but not limited to, the prohibition against duplicate discounts and diversion
- The sub-recipients maintains auditable records (reporting) pertaining to compliance with the requirements.
- The sub-recipient acknowledges its responsibility to contact CDU as soon as possible if there is any change in 340B eligibility and/or breach by the sub-recipient.



Joyce Rivera

# CDU NEWSLETTER



MARCH 2023

## Harm Reduction



Wyoming Harm Reduction Learning Collaborative Meeting

Meets every other Tuesday, 10-11a

Contact Tanagra at [melgarejo@harmreduction.org](mailto:melgarejo@harmreduction.org)

Intermountain West Harm Reduction Coalition meeting

This group is comprised of harm reductionist in the intermountain area and they are currently planning an Intermountain Harm Reduction Conference which is tentatively scheduled for 2024 in Salt Lake City.

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of every month

Contact Marjorie Wilson at [marjorie@idahoharmreductionproject.org](mailto:marjorie@idahoharmreductionproject.org)

## The Wyoming Equality Healthcare Access Project (WEHAP)



Is working to identify & remove the barriers that stand between equitable healthcare and LGBTQ+ Wyomingites of all races, genders, and documentation status.

This group meets the first Thursday of every month from 6-7p.

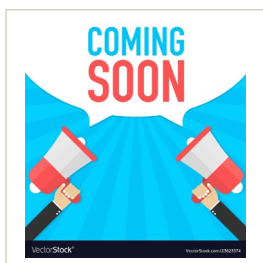
Contact Andrea at [andreas@wyomingequality.org](mailto:andreas@wyomingequality.org)

## CDU Outreach Contract Staff



CDU has been establishing Outreach contracts for several years to expand prevention, testing, and treatment across the state. We are overjoyed to announce that the final three Outreach contracts have now been executed and the position have been filled. Please join us in welcoming Catherine Kimmel at Wind River Cares, Sarah Hays at Wyoming Equality, and Rachel Williams at UW Student Health Services to our outreach team!

## Upcoming Events



- |  |                                       |
|--|---------------------------------------|
| March 21st-25th                        | LGBTQ+ Health Awareness Week          |
| March 24 <sup>th</sup>                 | World TB Day                          |
| April                                  | STD Awareness Month                   |
| April 23-29                            | Medical Laboratory Professionals Week |
| April 26 <sup>th</sup>                 | Administrative Assistants Day         |
| May 15 <sup>th</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup> | NCS D Engage                          |
| June                                   | PRIDE                                 |
| June 12th-15th                         | TB Conference – Atlanta               |
| June 27 <sup>th</sup>                  | National HIV Testing Day              |



# CDU NEWSLETTER



Rosalind Franklin

## MARCH 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	1	2 Wyoming Equality Healthcare Access Meeting 6-7p	3	4
5	6	7 Wyoming Harm Reduction Learning Collaborative Meeting 10-11a	8 International Women's Day  Monthly WY HIV Case Manager Meeting 1-2pm	9	10 National Women and Girls HIV/AIDS Awareness Day	11
12 Daylight Savings	13	14	15 Monthly CDU Outreach Contract Staff Meeting 10-1130a	16 Intermountain West Harm Reduction Coalition meeting 10-11am	17	18
19	20 Spring Equinox  National Native HIV/AIDS Awareness Day	21 Wyoming Harm Reduction Learning Collaborative Meeting 10-11a  CDU Monthly Webinar 2-3 PM	22	23 WY TB Advisory & Cohort Meeting Day 1	24 World Tuberculosis Day  WY TB Advisory & Cohort Meeting Day 2	25
26	27	28	29	30 Doctor's Day	31	1

Wyoming Department of Health  
 Communicable Disease Unit  
<https://health.wyo.gov/publichealth/communicable-disease-unit/>  
 122 West 25<sup>th</sup> Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor West  
 Cheyenne, WY 82001

[Subscribe online](#)  
[Unsubscribe online](#)

Shawna Pena  
 CDU Manager  
[shawna.pena1@wyo.gov](mailto:shawna.pena1@wyo.gov)  
 (307) 777-7529

Leslie Fowler  
 Prevention Program Manager  
[leslie.fowler@wyo.gov](mailto:leslie.fowler@wyo.gov)  
 (307) 777-3562

Reginald McClinton  
 Surveillance Program Manager  
[reginald.mcclinton@wyo.gov](mailto:reginald.mcclinton@wyo.gov)  
 (307) 777-8939

Shelley Hood  
 Treatment Program Manager  
[shelley.hood1@wyo.gov](mailto:shelley.hood1@wyo.gov)  
 (307) 777-5856