

CCTST Community Engagement Speaker Series

“Improving Infant Mortality Through Community Collaboration”

*Transforming Maternal & Child Health Through Community
Engagement*

Community Awards Dinner

October 2, 2014 5:30-8:30 PM

Kingsgate Marriott Ballroom 151 Goodman Street, Cincinnati, OH 45219

Please RSVP by Sept. 26th at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/2014CCTST-SS>
or to Jen Van Oss at ctsa@cchmc.org

*Building Blocks for Healthy Babies, Healthy
Families, & Healthy Communities*

Community Forum & Coffee Hour

October 3, 2014

8:30-10:00 AM

Community Action Agency (CAA)

GL Robinson Conference Hall

1740 Langdon Farm Road, Cincinnati, OH 45237

Please RSVP by Sept. 26th at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/2014CCTST-SS>
or to Jen Van Oss at ctsa@cchmc.org

*Engaging Partners & Communities in
Improving Child & Maternal Health: Lessons
from New York*

Presentation & Panel Discussion

October 3, 2014

12:00-2:00PM

CCHMC MERC Auditorium 620 Oak Street

*CCHMC Red Shuttle available for employees

Please RSVP by Sept. 26th at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/2014CCTST-SS>
or to Jen Van Oss at ctsa@cchmc.org to reserve a boxed lunch



Mario Drummonds, MS, LCSW, MBA

Executive Director/CEO, Northern Manhattan Perinatal Partnership, Inc. (NMPP)

Mr. Drummonds is the Executive Director/CEO of the **Northern Manhattan Perinatal Partnership, Inc.**, a Harlem-based maternal and child health (MCH) agency working to improve the health status of pregnant and parenting women in Northern Manhattan. NMPP is the grantee agency for the **Central Harlem Healthy Start Program**. He has thirty years of experience in program administration and planning in which he brings to the table experience with child welfare theory, practice and policy development, maternal and child health, social marketing, information technology, and public policy development. Mr. Drummonds has traveled the nation assisting other Healthy Start projects and state governments to develop sustainability strategies and plans, worked with them to prepare their competitive Healthy Start applications and lectures on the theory and practice of building a public health social movement locally to decrease racial disparities in birth outcomes by building MCH Life Course Organizations. He is a member of the faculty at HRSA's Quality Institute and a faculty member at the **National Healthy Start Association Leadership Institute**. Mr. Drummonds received an award from the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services in 1996 for his work in reducing infant mortality in Central Harlem. In 2014, Mr. Drummonds was nominated and selected to be a member of the **Secretary's Advisory Committee on Infant Mortality (SACIM)** by Secretary Burwell and President Obama. In March 2010, President Obama appointed Mr. Drummonds to his Childhood Obesity Task Force to help shape national policy to address this public health crisis. NMPP's birth outcome model is being replicated in three cities across the United States, including Cincinnati, through the Kellogg Foundation funded Best Babies Zone initiative managed by UC Berkeley. Mr. Drummonds completed his graduate education at Columbia University within the Schools of Social Work and Business Administration in 1980. Mr. Drummonds graduated from the Johnson & Johnson/UCLA Health Care Executive Program in the summer of 2004 at the John E. Anderson Graduate School of Management at UCLA.