

MHEI PROGRAM

# Combating Disparities & Systemic Racism in Healthcare: An Introduction to the Issue

## VIRTUAL TRAINING

### WHEN

October 14, 2020 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

### PROGRAM FEE

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## Program Overview

In this one-hour webinar, Dr. Nicole Rochester provides an historical perspective of racism in healthcare up to, and including, our current environment. Disparities that are well documented in the literature and research will be explored and, the subsequent implications for the health and treatment of patients will be identified. Sources of implicit bias in the delivery of healthcare will also be noted along with strategies for suppressing its negative impact on healthcare delivery.

## Program Objectives

By the completion of this program the participant will be able to:

1. Recognize key aspects concerning the history of racism in healthcare
2. Identify evidence-based conclusions of studies identifying disparities
3. Identify implicit biases evident in healthcare delivery
4. Recognize at least two strategies for mitigating bias in healthcare delivery

## About the Speaker



Nicole Rochester, MD is the principal at “Your GPS Doc, LLC,” an innovative health advocacy and consulting company whose mission is to educate and empower patients and their family caregivers in order to facilitate the provision of appropriate and effective medical care. Prior to her current

work Dr. Rochester practiced as a community-based pediatrician, a pediatric hospitalist, and served as the Medical Director for the Pediatric Hospitalist Program at Holy Cross Hospital.