



## Overview for Partners

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Civic Health Month is a nationwide celebration held each August to highlight the strong connections between health care, healthy communities, and civic participation. We are a nonpartisan advocacy and awareness month **dedicated to making voting and civic participation accessible to all—particularly those underserved by the healthcare system.** Civic Health Month brings together a diverse group of organizations, institutions, and individuals across the healthcare and civic engagement space that are excited to **support healthy communities by promoting voter participation.**

Civic Health Month was launched in 2020 by [Vot-ER](#), a nonpartisan, nonprofit organization that **equips healthcare providers to have conversations with their patients about registering to vote.** It is currently coordinated in partnership with over 100 organizations.

## Our Goals

**Support healthy communities:** Raise the voices of those suffering from health inequities so that their needs and their solutions are heard by policy makers at all levels of government.

**Drive voter registration:** Work via healthcare professionals, medical associations, and institutions to register as many voters as possible across the U.S. This means registering patients, staff, and healthcare providers with a nonpartisan approach.

**Promote voting access as part of healthcare:** Further the understanding of how civic engagement affects health outcomes and why healthcare providers are uniquely able to help their patients participate through voting.



# Types of Partnership

Civic Health Month is driven by the actions and energy of organizations in our nationwide coalition. Organizations of all types are welcome to join any category of partnership.

## Civic Health Partners

### Commitments:

- Share your logo for the Civic Health Month website and marketing materials
- Commit to doing at least one of the following:
  - Email staff/members to encourage voter registration, using provided templates
  - Add important voting and election reminders to your organization calendar
  - Use provided toolkit to post on social media
  - Promote Civic Health Month sponsored events
  - Display posters or provide one pagers for patients

### Why join?

- Become part of a growing movement of partners across healthcare and democracy
- Gain access to exclusive trainings, webinars and events
- Be celebrated on our website and in our marketing materials

## Civic Health Champions

### Commitments:

- Participate in the Civic Health Partner commitments listed above
- Engage in at least one major activation during Civic Health Month, e.g.:
  - Host a staff training on helping staff and patients get ready to vote
  - Mail voter registration resources (e.g., posters, Healthy Democracy Kits) to your members/staff
  - Write an op-ed for a local or national publication
  - Support your residents' and students' Healthy Democracy Campaign team
  - Co-design Civic Health Month activations: webinars, panels, toolkits, etc.
  - Commit to ensuring that all staff have time to vote
  - Design another civic health activity for your staff or patients

### Why be a Civic Health Champion?

- Be a leader in the movement to celebrate civic engagement in healthcare
- Join a close community committed to maximizing the impact of Civic Health Month
- Share your story in the Civic Health Month blog and newsletter

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Click above to complete a 1 minute sign up form and a member of our team will reach out.