

*You are cordially invited as our guest
to join with the University of Illinois at Chicago and other community organizations
in the first of three conferences about community-based partnership research.*

Developing Community Capacity for Research Participation

Friday, November 2, 2007

9:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Lunch and refreshments will be provided.

**Chicago Urban League
4510 S. Michigan Ave. (free parking)**

**Sponsored by the University of Illinois at Chicago Great Cities Institute,
Healthy Cities Collaborative, Institute for Health Research and Policy,
and Office for the Protection of Research Subjects**

Purpose:

- To foster respectful and equal collaborative relationships between community partners and UIC researchers
- To dialogue with community partners about the information they need to more knowledgeably participate in research when approached by university researchers
- To increase organizations' capacity to conduct their own research or to lead or co-lead research efforts
- To increase the capacity of community organizations to inform and protect the community members they represent

We at the University of Illinois at Chicago are interested in discussing these important issues with community members, staff of community-based organizations and community service providers, people who are new to or interested in community partnership research or those who have some experience but wish to refresh their knowledge of essential research concepts and share their experience.

Space is limited. Register early! Call Susan Hobson at 312-996-3668; email to shobso3@uic.edu or fax your registration to 312-996-8933 by October 26, 2007.

For more information on the Great Cities Institute Healthy Cities Collaborative, please visit <http://www.uic.edu/cuppa/gci/whatwedo/researchclusters/healthycity/index.htm>