

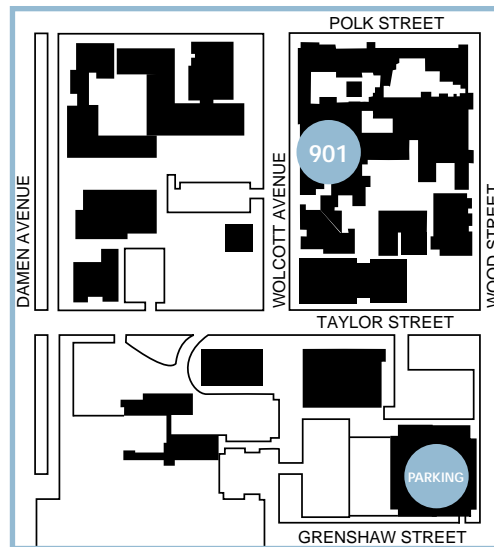
HEALTH IN THE ARTS PROGRAM:

Diagnosis and treatment for anyone working in the arts

Prevention of the disorders and exposures that can result from work in the arts

The Health in the Arts is a program of the University of Illinois at Chicago School of Public Health in affiliation with Cook County Hospital Division of Occupational Medicine. The program is directed by: David Hinkamp, MD, MPH is board certified in Occupational Medicine and Preventive Medicine and is on the faculty of the School of Public Health. Dr. Hinkamp established the Chicago Blues Coalition's health program and has been the Chair of the Arts-Medicine Section of the American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine since 1991.

Katherine Duvall, MD, MPH, MS is board certified in Occupational Medicine and is on the faculty of the School of Public Health. Currently, Dr. Duvall is conducting research regarding health needs of artists. Dr. Duvall has a background in performing arts, including music and dance..



LOCATION:

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www.uic.edu/sph/glakes/harts

PARKING:

Wood Street Parking Structure between Greshaw and Taylor Streets

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION:

The CTA Blue Line (54/Cermak)
RTA and Metra

"A comprehensive program for diagnosing, treating and preventing injuries and illnesses that are related to work in the arts."



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The mission of the Health in the Arts Program is to diagnose, treat and prevent arts-related disorders among people working in the visual and performing arts. Our medical specialists address the special risks that arts workers face from exposures to toxic materials and hazardous physical conditions, to injuries and repetitive motion disorders.

We serve arts workers with health concerns caused by their work or affecting their ability to keep working. And we work with the arts communities and institutions to investigate and prevent hazardous work practices among art professionals, students and hobbyists.



These efforts focus on:

- Diagnosis and treatment of arts-related disorders
- Education on hazards in the arts
- Control of workplace hazards
- Research on the causes and prevention of arts-related disorders

SERVICES

- **CLINICAL DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT**
Symptoms caused by or affecting work in the arts
Exposures to chemicals, fumes, dusts and toxic materials
Injuries, acute and chronic
Repetitive motion disorders
- **EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES**
Educational programs and materials
Art hazards and workplace safety information
Health in the Arts conferences
Online Health and Safety in the Arts Library
Website and links to other resources
- **WORKPLACE CONSULTATIONS**
Safety and health assessments
Industrial hygiene assistance
Hazard control and ventilation
Personal protective equipment
Toxic exposures
Illness outbreak investigations
- **RESEARCH**
Causes and prevention of arts-related disorders
Diagnoses and treatment choices
Health concerns for the arts
Toxicities of art materials
- **SPECIAL SERVICES**
The Voice Center
Museum Health and Safety
Rehabilitation for Arts Workers
Respirator Examinations
Medical Surveillance Examinations

WHO SHOULD USE THESE SERVICES

Anyone doing work in the arts.:

Dance	Painting/Sculpture
Music	Photography
Theater	Performance
Vocal Arts	Architecture/Design
Writing	Lighting/Sound work
Film/Video	Student/Teachers
Art Unions	Gallery/Club workers
Museums	...and others



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