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Tony,

We are happy to share with you the latest news and updates from IMPH.

Updated Pocket Guide to Health Care Terms is Released The “Pocket Guide to Health Care Terms” is produced by IMPH as a resource in understanding the numerous terms and acronyms that are part of ongoing health care discussions. The September 2014 publication has an updated listing of terms and definitions. [Please click here to view and download the guide.](#)

Taskforces Developing Recommendations for Spring 2015 Release

The [Behavioral Health](#) and [Long-Term Care](#) Taskforces convened by IMPH continue to engage diverse stakeholders and organizations. Many thanks to all of the experts involved in these efforts! Reports on the findings and recommendations of each taskforce are expected in the Spring of 2015. [Please click here for more information on the taskforces and their work.](#)

Health Policy Fellows Program Highlighted by Health Affairs

IMPH’s [Health Policy Fellows Program](#) is highlighted in a blog post for the [GrantWatch](#) blog. The blog, hosted by the leading health policy journal [Health Affairs](#), features news and updates about health grant making, particularly as it relates to current health policy issues. Written by Mary Piepenbring of [The Duke Endowment](#), the post provides a detailed overview of our program, funding and benefits of providing such an offering. [Please click here to read for yourself.](#)

IMPH is Hiring a Program Manager

IMPH is recruiting a program manager to oversee the development, implementation and coordination of a multi-stakeholder obesity prevention collaborative. [Please click here for more information.](#)

Additional headlines and publications:

[Karen Fradua Joins IMPH as Research Associate](#)

Publication - [Issue Brief: A Profile of the Uninsured in South Carolina](#)

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