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Thank you for your interest in becoming a Health Equity Ambassador (Ambassador)! Ambassadors are trusted leaders in the community and serve a critical role in Health Equity and Community Design Pilot Program (Pilot Program) a partnership led by the Vermont Department of Health in partnership with the Vermont Department of Housing and Community Development and Equitable Cities.

The goal of this Pilot Program is to help people develop ideas, plans, visions, and build partnerships to make their communities safe and welcoming for all. Ambassadors will work alongside teams of planners, public health professionals, other subject matter experts, organizations, and community members to help address community issues, bring people together, and move local projects forward.

Ambassadors can be community members and/or advocates. Qualifications include:

a) must be 18 years or older (young adults, parents, and grandparents are encouraged to apply);

- b) identify as a member of a traditionally underserved community (BIPOC, LGBTQ+, rural, low income, person with a disability, older adult, etc.); and
- c) have a strong desire to help make your community safer and more welcoming to all!

Ambassadors are similar to Community Health Workers (CHWs) and should have specialized interest and expertise in improving community through actions such as: bringing partners together to voice opinions, designing beautiful, welcoming public spaces, working with town leaders and learning how project ideas become reality.

Ambassadors will be trained and compensated for their time.

To apply to become a Health Equity Ambassador, please complete this form. If you have questions or concerns about the application or TA pilot program, please contact us at contact@equitablecities.com.

First Name

Last Name

The following questions about gender, race and ethnicity will help us ensure Ambassadors are representative of the priority populations to be served through this project. Please choose the answer choices that best represent how you identify.

Gender Identity

- Male
- Female
- Nonbinary
- Other
- Prefer not to respond

Race. Select all that apply.

- White
- Black or African American
- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- Other
- Prefer not to respond.

Ethnicity

- Hispanic and/or Latinx
- Non-Hispanic and/or Latinx
- Prefer not to respond.

Date of Birth

E-mail Address

Phone Number

Physical Address

Mailing Address, if different from above.

Please select the county(ies) that you would like to serve in as an Ambassador. Select all that apply.

- Addison
- Bennington
- Caledonia
- Chittenden
- Essex
- Franklin

- Grand Isle
- Lamoille
- Orange
- Orleans
- Rutland
- Washington
- Windham
- Windsor

Please select all modes of transportation that you currently use to access everyday destinations like work, school, places of worship, food, healthcare, and recreation/leisure activities.

- Walking
- Biking
- Personal/shared vehicle (This may include a car, truck, or scooter owned by or shared with you)
- Ride share service such as Uber or Lyft.
- Public transit
- Other (Please describe.) _ _ _ _ _

Languages Spoken

- Primary language
- Secondary language

Please share why you are interested in serving as a Health Equity Ambassador.

Please share your experience working or volunteering in your community. If applicable, please provide specific examples of your experience conducting outreach, planning and/or hosting community meetings and/or forums, conducting surveys, providing training, and/or other forms of community engagement in person or virtually.

Which of the following communities and/or tribal groups do you identify with, currently engage with, and would like to engage in the future? Select all that apply.

	I can assist in identifying members of this population	I currently engage members of this population	I would like to engage members of this population
People of color (List specific population(s)) <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Indigenous peoples (List specific band(s)) <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Refugees or new Americans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
English language learners/non-English speakers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
LGBTQ+	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People experiencing homelessness	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People who are justice-involved	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People living with disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People living in rural communities outside of Chittenden County	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (Please specify.) <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please indicate your level of expertise and understanding in the following topics. There is no penalty for not having experience or proficiency in a particular area. Skills and skill levels will be assessed to determine what resources, materials, and training will be developed to support you. Please use your mouse to hover over each term to see the definition or example.

	No experience	Novice	Intermediate	Expert
Community Outreach	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Engagement	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Placemaking	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Health Equity	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Active Transportation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Micromobility	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Data Collection	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please share anything else that you would like for us to consider as we review your application.

How did you hear about this opportunity?

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