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“Health Care and the Social Determinants of Health”

Tuesday, November 13, 2018
12:30 – 1:30 pm Presentation
Reception to follow
Tosten Medical Education Center (TMEC) Room 227
Harvard Medical School, 260 Longwood Ave., Boston, MA

Presentation highlights include:
• Defining the social determinants of health
• Understanding the relationship between social determinants of health and health outcomes
• The health care community’s interest in the social determinants of health, including the transition to value-based payment
• The role of health care providers in addressing the social determinants, at the patient level and the community level
• Collaboration between health systems and community-based organizations
• United Hospital Fund’s work in this area

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Anthony Shih, MD, MPH, is president of United Hospital Fund, an independent non-profit organization established in 1879, whose mission is to build a more effective health care system for every New Yorker. UHF conducts rigorous research and policy analysis, convenes diverse stakeholders to address critical challenges in health care, and develops and supports innovative programs that improve the quality, accessibility, affordability, and experience of patient care. Dr. Shih previously held senior executive positions at several leading non-profits, including executive vice president at the New York Academy of Medicine, executive vice president for programs at the Commonwealth Fund, and chief quality officer at IPRO. He began his medical career at a community-based mental health clinic serving immigrant and refugee families in Oakland, CA. He is nationally recognized for his expertise in health policy, health system performance improvement, quality improvement, and population health, as well as for his commitment to serving vulnerable populations. Board-certified in Preventive Medicine and Public Health, Dr. Shih earned a B.A. in economics Amherst College, Phi Beta Kappa; an M.D. from the NYU School of Medicine, Alpha Omega Alpha; and an M.P.H. from Columbia’s Mailman School of Public Health.

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