

VT AHEC Presents

# Language Access and Cultural Considerations in Health Care

Wednesday, November 6, 2024

5:30 - 7:00 p.m.

MedEd 300 Reardon Classroom

This session builds on the October 21, 2024 panel discussion “Cultural Perspectives on Health and Health Care”. Speakers will provide practical guidance and best practices essential to equitable access to health care.



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**Olivia Moseley** serves as Project Manager at Vermont Language Justice Project. She previously led health and mental health programming for Vermont’s refugee resettlement agency, U.S. Committee for Refugees and Immigrants (USCRI). Olivia’s experience includes international work in health, human rights, refugee resettlement, and language access.



**Mohamed Jafar** is the UVMMC Immigrant Health Project Coordinator. Mohamed has served the Burlington community in many capacities. He is co-founder of the Vermont New American Advisory Council (VNAAC) and has served on the Vermont Racial Justice Alliance Steering Committee.

This AHEC Scholars event is open to the Larner Community. It is not required to have attended the first session to join this one. A recording of the October 21 panel discussion is available by contacting [patti.smith-urie@med.uvm.edu](mailto:patti.smith-urie@med.uvm.edu)

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