## **State of Maryland Commission on Civil Rights**



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# **A New Commitment to Community Connections**

It's time to take our outreach and community relations efforts to the next level! Please take a moment to read the information below and share with your network. Together we can work toward achieving a Maryland that is free from any trace of unlawful discrimination.

### Social Media

In order to remain better connected with people throughout Maryland and beyond, MCCR is increasing activity on social media outlets. Please take a moment to like/share our <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, and <u>Instagram</u>. We welcome and encourage your posts and activity on our pages!

## **Partnerships & Programming**

Engaging people directly in our communities remains a priority in MCCR's education and outreach work. We are fortunate to have many strong and fruitful relationships across the state. More work remains to be done, and that is where we need your help.

MCCR's mission includes advancing and promoting civil rights throughout Maryland. While our core task is to investigate allegations of unlawful discrimination in employment, housing, public accommodations, and state contracts, it remains evident that we must work together to address other matters of civil and human rights because these are all too often connected directly to both our quality of life and MCCR's law enforcement functions.

If you know of an individual or group with which MCCR should connect, please connect us. Additionally, if there is something going on in your back yard, pass along the information to us. We would love to join you!

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#### **Event Promotion**

There are a lot of incredible things going on throughout the state year round. From community dialogs to informational fairs to festivals and beyond, we want to help you get the word out. Through social media and our website, MCCR is happy to post information and assist with promoting your events. Have something you want us to share with our network? Let us know!

(*Note: posting and promotional activity for private events must be consistent with MCCR's mission*)

#### Who To Contact?

MCCR is committed to always being accessible and responsive to all wishing to contact us. To connect with our agency for partnerships and events, please feel free to contact <u>Spencer Dove</u> (Executive Associate) at 410-767-8576 and <u>Tara Taylor</u> (Education & Outreach Unit Director) at 410-767-6459.

If someone is in need of assistance with filing a complaint alleging discrimination, <u>here</u> is how they can access MCCR's services.

### THANK YOU FOR BEING A PART OF WHAT MAKES THIS STATE SO GREAT