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Patient Centered Care Collaboration to Improve Minority Health Steering Committee Members

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- Edward Mensah, PhD, University of Illinois at Chicago, Associate Professor of Health Economics and Information Management; and
- Salim Al Nurridin, Healthcare Consortium of Illinois, Chief Executive Officer.

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- Barbara Hayes, PhD, Texas Southern University, College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Dean;
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National (Four Members)

- Francis G. Lu, MD, University of California Davis, Dept. of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Luke and Grace Kim Endowed Professor in Cultural Psychiatry/Dir. of Cultural Psychiatry/Assoc. Dir. of Gen. Psych. Residency Training;
- Charmaine D.M. Royal, PhD, Duke University, The Institute for Genome Sciences and Policy, Associate Research Professor; and

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