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More Inclusive Healthcare CEO Lisa Sloane to Serve on Ohio's COVID-19 Minority Health Vaccine Workgroup

CINCINNATI, OH, December 22, 2020—Health equity champion Lisa Sloane, MHA, Founder and CEO of More Inclusive Healthcare, will be joining the Ohio Department of Health's newly formed COVID-19 Minority Health Vaccine Workgroup. This workgroup is part of the next phase in the department's [COVID-19 Minority Health Strike Force](#). Sloane commented, "During this tremendous time of uncertainty, our friends and customers are on the front lines of this pandemic. Participating in the vaccine workgroup is a small contribution I can make to complement their heroic efforts."

Governor Mike DeWine launched the Strike Force in April to respond to the disproportionate impact of COVID-19 on vulnerable populations. At the beginning of the pandemic, More Inclusive Healthcare shared resources focused on COVID-19 and health equity through MIH's #ThisIsPersonal Newsletter. One of the racial disparities observed early on was a lack of accessibility to testing in minority communities. Sloane served as a volunteer consultant to a community-based organization in Cincinnati to help stand-up a COVID-19 testing clinic in a Black neighborhood.

As a member of the COVID-19 Minority Health Vaccine Workgroup, Sloane will likewise serve in an advisory role to help develop COVID-19 vaccine distribution strategies, identify and resolve any barriers to getting vaccinated, and advise the state on next steps to ensure a successful [vaccine delivery program](#).

About More Inclusive Healthcare (MIH)

[More Inclusive Healthcare](#) (MIH) helps healthcare organizations provide more culturally responsive care and reduce harm and risk. MIH does it through training, coaching, and consulting on the practice and science of data collection and usage. Headquartered in Cincinnati, OH, More Inclusive Healthcare's work aids more than 400 hospitals across the United States and Canada.

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