

Barry S. Lachman, MD, MPH: A Trailblazer in Healthcare for the Underserved

Celebrating Over 50 Years of Impact and Innovation in Community Health Initiatives



New York City, New York Feb 10, 2025 ([IssueWire.com](https://www.issuewire.com)) - Dr. Barry Lachman, a nationally recognized leader in healthcare for underserved populations, is making significant strides in addressing critical social factors affecting community health through his role as President and CEO of Lachman Community Development and Consulting Services. With over 50 years of experience in healthcare delivery, program development, and advocacy, Dr. Lachman has dedicated his career to improving the lives of individuals in underserved communities.

Dr. Lachman's extensive background includes 25 years as a managed care Medical Director, where he has established himself as an expert in the management of asthma and preterm birth prevention. His innovative work has resulted in substantial improvements in healthcare access and quality for marginalized populations. He is also currently serving as President of the Board of Directors for Reach Out Rise Up, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to supporting vulnerable communities.

Among his notable achievements, Dr. Lachman was the visionary behind the National Health Service Corps, a federal initiative that has served 20 million individuals and celebrated its 50th anniversary in 2020. His leadership in asthma management has produced remarkable outcomes, including a 40% reduction in asthma costs for Medicaid children by significantly decreasing emergency room visits and hospital admissions.

Dr. Lachman's influence extends beyond asthma care; he has played a pivotal role in shaping housing policies that impact health outcomes. His collaboration with Dallas Area Interfaith unveiled the correlation between asthma rates and poor housing conditions, ultimately leading to the implementation of the strictest housing code in the United States in Dallas.

Currently, Dr. Lachman is focused on addressing the multifaceted challenges faced by underserved communities, including food insecurity, affordable housing, healthcare access, small business development, and workforce development. His work includes innovative solutions for reopening post-COVID, exploring new models of care, and leveraging technology for community-based healthcare.

"Improving the health of underserved communities is not just a mission; it's a necessity," said Dr. Lachman. "By addressing social determinants of health, we can create a more equitable healthcare system that benefits everyone."

Learn More about Dr. Barry S. Lachman:

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