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## Leading Change for Better Health



The ocean isn't the only  
immersive experience at  
the Community Change Experience.

## Immersive Learning at Community Change Experience 2022

During next month's [Community Change Experience](#) (CCE) in Delray Beach, Florida, participants will have the opportunity to participate in one of several **immersive learning experiences**. An "immersive learning experience" is a lot like a field trip but with the added benefit of connecting you with people who are working in their communities in real time.

On **Wednesday, October 26**, in the midst of the CCE, attendees will have the opportunity to participate in an immersive learning experience in one of the following settings:

### **The Set, The City of Delray Beach**

With a long history of community organizing, The Set is the historically black community in Delray Beach consisting of 29 neighborhoods. **The community-driven [transformation plan](#) is a powerful example of the assets, vision, and interests this community holds.** Experience a range of efforts grounded in this community-driven vision - from the enhancement of education and public spaces, to addressing housing and behavioral health - all while honoring the community's history.

### **The City of Lake Worth Beach**

Known for its vibrant downtown and distinctive neighborhoods, **you will learn from community-led efforts focused on increasing unity, safety, and a sense of belonging through the built environment.** Beginning with concentrated efforts in the Whispering Palms neighborhood, community-led projects such as neighborhood clean-up, the Adopt-A-Street program, and investments in parks have led to strong ties between residents and the city government. It has cultivated community agency to advocate the change they want to see for a thriving, equitable community.

### **The Glades Region**

Located in the western part of Palm Beach County, the Glades region is a rural and primarily agricultural area that includes the three communities of South Bay, Belle Glade, and Pahokee, as well as unincorporated areas. The area is known for its expansive sugarcane fields and natural western border of the vast Lake Okeechobee. The Glades region is working to **change the communities' narratives from that of poverty, isolation, and hopelessness to strength and hope** for all generations.

**These immersive learning experiences are more reasons the Community Change Experience is NOT your typical conference.**

The **Community Change Experience** is an event for community change

practitioners from across North America, beginning on the evening of October 24th and ending on the afternoon of October 27th. By intention it is designed to be an experience for immersive learning, celebration, and facilitated peer learning.

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**Hosted at the beautiful, oceanfront Opal Grand Resort & Spa in Delray Beach, Florida**



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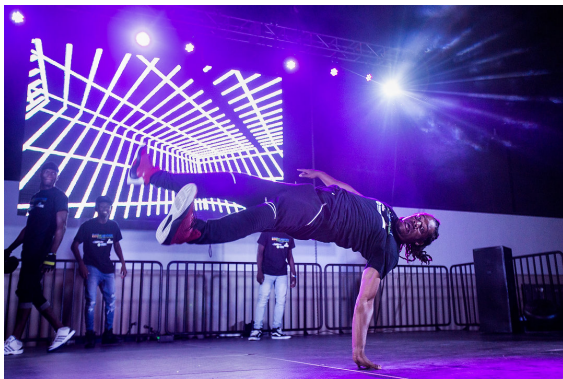
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**We look forward to learning with you!**



*[NeuroArts](#) represent the convergence between science, the arts and technology. This October, Palm Health Foundation is partnering with local scientists, artists, and community change leaders to celebrate human flourishing through the NeuroArts during our annual [Train the Brain](#) campaign.*



## **Community Celebration**

**Tuesday, October 25**

**6:00 pm – 8:30 pm**

**Arts Warehouse**

**313 NE 3rd St., Delray Beach, FL  
33444**

Palm Health Foundation, in partnership with [Tamarack Institute](#), [Tenacious Change](#), and [EJS Project](#), will present a celebration of the arts and Palm Beach County culture during [Community Change Experience 2022](#).

This celebration takes place during the three-day [Community Change Experience](#) conference. The Palm Beach County community is welcome to join for free to mingle with conference attendees from across North America and

enjoy free food, live music, a dance performance by [Digital Vibez, Inc.](#), and other artistic expression provided by local artists.

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## TRAIN THE BRAIN 2022

### CELEBRATING HUMAN FLOURISHING THROUGH THE NEUROARTS

The NeuroArts represent the convergence between science, the arts and technology. Scientific study has proven that artistic experiences measurably change the brain, body, and behavior, leading to improved physical and mental health, disease prevention, and more.

#### JOIN US FOR A NEUROARTS LEARNING PANEL & LUNCH!

This educational panel will explain the connection between the arts, brain health and overall wellbeing.

Featuring lunch and the "Images of Science" exhibit.

**FREE**

Tuesday, October 18, 2022  
11:00 am – 1:00 pm  
Max Planck Florida Institute  
for Neuroscience

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Seating is limited – Register at [PalmHealthFoundation.org/Events](https://PalmHealthFoundation.org/Events)



Learn about more NeuroArts events at [PalmHealthFoundation.org](https://PalmHealthFoundation.org)!

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We are celebrating 20 years of community impact, through **building a culture of health, advancing brain health, and strengthening the health professions.**

Since 2001, we've invested more than **\$89 million** in Palm Beach County health.

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