The complexity of our greatest health challenges—including chronic illness, health inequities, climate change, spiraling health care costs, and the opioid epidemic—requires a new level of intersectoral collaboration, one that transcends polarizing politics and service siloes. Join us for the 2018 Community Engagement Institute (CEI) and engage with diverse stakeholders from across the Birmingham area and beyond to explore innovative ideas for synergizing our efforts to improve the physical, mental, spiritual and socioeconomic health of our communities.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?
Undergraduate and graduate students, community members, faculty, organizations & community/neighborhood leaders, volunteers, faith-based leaders and organizations, health advocates, researchers, consumers, grass-roots organizers, local funders, and others from across the Deep South region are encouraged to attend.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Derek Griffith, PhD
Professor of Medicine, Health, and Society
Director, Center for Research on Men’s Health
Vanderbilt University

An expert in building trust and mutual respect to improve health, Dr. Derek M. Griffith is a leading social scientist focused on the influences contributing to racial and ethnic health disparities. Dr. Griffith’s work on the psychosocial, cultural, and environmental determinants of African American men’s health and well-being has been featured in such news outlets as MSN, NPR, Time Magazine, US News & World Report, and USA Today.

COST $15-25 — REGISTER BY OCTOBER 11TH!
The registration fee includes admission to keynote speaker session, panel discussion, break-out sessions, poster session, networking and collaboration opportunities, two meals (breakfast and lunch), and a reception. Seats are limited, no onsite registration available.

For more information and to register, visit uab.edu/ccts/community/cei