A Dialogue on Racial/Ethnic Equity and Policy Proposals to Reduce Child Poverty

Based on the 2019 National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine report, *A Roadmap to Reducing Child Poverty*

Federal Reserve Bank of Boston
600 Atlantic Avenue
Boston, MA 02210
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9:00AM-3:45 PM Eastern Standard Time

AGENDA

8:00-9:00 AM  Continental Breakfast Available

9:00 AM  Welcome to the Dialogue

*Prabal Chakrabarti, Senior Vice President and Community Affairs Officer, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston*

*Suzanne Le Menestrel @lemenestrels @NASEM_DBASSE @NASEM  Senior Program Officer, Board on Children, Youth, and Families, National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, Study Director*

9:15 AM  Overview of *A Roadmap to Reducing Child Poverty*

*Greg Duncan, Presenter  Distinguished Professor, School of Education, University of California, Irvine, Committee Chair*

*Overview of Racial/Ethnic Equity and Child Poverty in *A Roadmap to Reducing Child Poverty***

*Dolores Acevedo-García, Presenter @diversitydataki  Samuel F. and Rose B. Gingold Professor of Human Development and Social Policy, Director, Institute for Child, Youth and Family Policy, The Heller School for Social Policy and Management, Brandeis University, Committee Member*
10:00 AM

Panel on Racial and Ethnic Inequities in Family Income Stability: Structural Factors and Program and Policy Solutions
Eldar Shafir, Moderator and Discussant
Class of 1987 Professor in Behavioral Science and Public Policy; Professor of Psychology and Public Affairs; Inaugural Director, Kahneman-Treisman Center for Behavioral Science & Public Policy, Committee Member

Income Instability, Child Poverty and Child Wellbeing
Lisa Gennetian, Panelist @Gen_Pov
Visiting Associate Professor, Sanford School of Public Policy, Duke University

The Racial Wealth Gap: Structural issues of Wealth Inequality and Their Impact on Child Poverty
Tom Shapiro, Panelist @IASP_Heller @TMShapiro
David R. Pokross Professor of Law and Social Policy and Director, Institute on Assets and Social Policy, Brandeis University

Baby Bonds
Naomi Zewde, Panelist @nzewde
Fellow, Roosevelt Institute, Assistant Professor, Graduate School of Public Health & Health Policy at CUNY

Closing the Racial Wealth Gap Initiative
Anne Price, Panelist @AnnePriceICCED
President, Insight Center

11:30 AM

LUNCH BREAK

12:00 PM

Addressing Racial/Ethnic Equity in Anti-poverty Policy
Pam Joshi, Moderator and Discussant @diversitydataki
Senior Research Scientist and Associate Director of the Institute on Child, Youth and Family Policy, Brandeis University

Identifying and Reducing Barriers in Access, Take up and Retention in Anti-Poverty Programs
Marla McDaniel, Panelist
Senior Fellow, Center on Labor, Human Services, and Population, Urban Institute

Addressing Administrative Burden in Federal Programs to Improve Access, Take-Up and Retention for Minority Children
Pamela Herd, Panelist @pamela_herd
Professor, McCourt School of Public Policy, Georgetown University
TANF and the Black–White Child Poverty Gap in the United States
Zach Parolin, Panelist @zparolin
Post-Doctoral Researcher, Center on Poverty and Social Policy, Columbia University

1:30 PM
BREAK

1:45 PM
Improving the Effectiveness of Anti-poverty Programs for Children in Immigrant Families
Tim Smeeding, Moderator and Discussant
Lee Rainwater Distinguished Professor of Public Affairs and Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Committee Member

Expanding Inclusion of Children in Immigrant Families in Anti-poverty Programs
Dolores Acevedo-Garcia, Panelist

The Public Charge Rule and Immigrant Families’ Use of Public Benefit programs
Mark Greenberg, Panelist
Senior Fellow, Migration Policy Institute

3:15 PM
Conclusions and Next Steps
Dolores Acevedo-Garcia

3:45 PM
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