



## TRANSFORMING AMERICA'S SEGREGATED HOSPITALS

# THE POWER TO HEAL

**POWER TO HEAL** is an hour-long public television documentary that tells a poignant chapter in the historic struggle to secure equal and adequate access to healthcare for all Americans. Central to the story is the tale of how a new national program, Medicare, was used to mount a dramatic, coordinated effort that desegregated thousands of hospitals across the country in a matter of months.

**Tuesday, May 1, 2018 | 5:30 - 8:30 pm**

**Tosteson Medical Education Center (TMEC) Amphitheater**  
Harvard Medical School, 260 Longwood Avenue, Boston

### Film Screening

#### Panel

**EVELYNN HAMMONDS, PhD (Moderator)**

Barbara Gutmann Rosenkrantz Professor of the History of Science, Professor of African and African American Studies, Chair, Department of the History of Science, Harvard University

**MICHAEL MELTSNER, JD (Featured in the Film)**

George J. and Kathleen Waters Matthews Distinguished University Professor of Law, Northeastern University School of Law

**ALVIN POUSSAINT, MD (Featured in the Film)**

Professor of Psychiatry, Faculty Associate Dean for Student Affairs, Harvard Medical School

**DAVID B. SMITH, PhD (Author of the Book)**

Research Professor, Health Care Management and Policy, Dornsife School of Public Health, Drexel University;  
Professor Emeritus, Health Care Management and Policy, Temple University

**DAVID WILLIAMS, PhD**

Florence Sprague Norman and Laura Smart Norman Professor of Public Health, Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health; Professor of African and African American Studies and Sociology, Harvard University

### Reception

**RSVP by Monday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>: [www.surveymonkey.com/r/power-to-healfilmscreening](http://www.surveymonkey.com/r/power-to-healfilmscreening)**

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