RAISE for Early-Career Women Faculty

Resources, Advice, Insight, Support, and Empowerment



Women in academic medicine face myriad challenges. While the representation of women in academic medicine is growing, women faculty early in their careers face unique barriers to success. Inadequate mentorship, discrimination, and imbalanced work-life responsibilities contribute to career dissatisfaction, burnout, and ultimately under-representation of women in senior faculty and leadership roles.

To address these challenges, we are launching the **RAISE ECHO** to connect early-career women faculty with academic leaders and career development experts who will share practical guidance and support, covering topics relevant to professional growth. ECHO offers an interactive model for sharing knowledge, skills, and resources women need to thrive and lead in academia.

Each month, we will offer a brief didactic from content experts, a short 'case' presentation illustrating a challenge faced by early-career women faculty, and an interactive discussion with panelists and participants.

Participation is free. All who identify as earlycareer faculty are welcome.

Register at: wp.uthscsa.edu/echo/events/

What is ECHO?

ECHO® (Extension for Community Health Outcomes) uses videoconferencing to connect participants to a multidisciplinary team of peers and experts. Developed initially to link remote healthcare workers to clinical subspecialists, RAISE is adapting the platform to create a forum to share knowledge, build community, and advance the careers of early-career women faculty in academic medicine.



