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FCA Third Thursday Webinars 2023

A Civic Virus Wreaking Havoc on our Nation's Health: A Hopeful Conversation with Rich Harwood, President and Founder of The Harwood Institute and Cheri Coryea, Consultant to The Patterson Foundation

February 22 2023
Noon-1:00 pm ET

In 2022 The Harwood Institute, in partnership with the Kettering Foundation and the American Communities Project, released the report, "**Civic Virus: Why Polarization is a Misdiagnosis.**" This followed meetings in 16 diverse communities across the nation, including Sarasota, with each focus group consisting of a cross section by age, race, income, education, and party affiliation.

Conventional wisdom—and virtually every politician and media outlet in the country—will tell you that Americans are more polarized than ever before. Rich Harwood suggests conventional wisdom is wrong. He will explain what's really going on in America, and outline a practical, hopeful path forward. As a representative from the local study partner in Sarasota, Cheri Coryea will contribute her take on the report from a local point of view.

Moderator

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