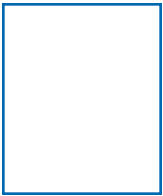


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PROFESSIONAL SERVICES LEADERSHIP DAY

May 16, 2007

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AGENDA

9:00am-10:00am
Registration

10:00am-12:00 noon
Looking Into the Future of the Public Health Profession:
Accreditation of State and Local Health Agencies
Joe F. Reed, EdD, RN

12:00 noon-2:00pm
Nursing Celebration and Luncheon
John L. Hankins, MBA, RN
State Nursing Director
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Lunch for all other attendees
Positive Purpose
Donna Allen, PhD,
CHES, FAWHP
CEO Positive Purpose, Inc

2:00pm-4:30pm
Legal Issues in Environmental Health
Brian Hale, JD, and Greg Locklier, JD
Alabama Department of Public Health

Conversational Spanish for Public Health Workers
Julia Hayes, MS, RD,
Assistant Director of Minority Health
Alabama Department of Public Health

ALPHA's Mission Statement

The Alabama Public Health Association is an association of individuals and organizations interested in Public Health in Alabama.
www.alphassoc.org

AEHA's Mission Statement

To serve the people of Alabama by assuring environmental conditions in which they can be healthy.
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DAY ONE May 17, 2007

- 7:00am-8:00am • Registration and Continental Breakfast
• Silent Auctions Open
- 8:00am-8:50am • Invocation – Pastor David Pettway, BS, M.MIN Systems Administrator, Alabama Department of Public Health
• Presentation of Colors and National Anthem
Aviation Training Center, Mobile Color Guard and Terri L. McAlpine, Health Educator Coordinator, Teen Center, Mobile County Health Department
• Welcome - Lemuel Burell, BS, President
Alabama Public Health Association
• Welcome – Tim N. Hatch, MPA, REHS, President
Alabama Environmental Health Association
• Welcome - Jan Cooke, First Vice President
Representing Becky Barnes, President, Southern Health Association
• Welcome - Mayor of Mobile,
The Honorable Samuel L. Jones
• Welcome - Bernard H. Eichold II, MD, Dr PH, FACP, Health Officer, Mobile County Health Department
• Opening Remarks – Donald E. Williamson, MD, State Health Officer
Alabama Department of Public Health
• Opening Remarks – Max Michael, MD, Dean
School of Public Health, University of Alabama at Birmingham
- 8:50am-8:55am • Introduction of Keynote Speaker- Tim Hatch, MPA, REHS,
President
Alabama Environmental Health Association
- 8:55am-9:45am • Keynote Address – “Under Fire: Your Finest Hour...Your Worst Defeat”
Gordon Meriwether, PMP, MBA, Uriah Group
- 9:45am-10:15am • Refreshment Break (exhibits open)
- 10:15am-11:05am • Concurrent Sessions - Block A
(see attached schedule)
- 11:10am-12 noon • Concurrent Sessions - Block A
(see attached schedule)
- 12:05pm-2:00pm • ALPHA and AEHA Awards Luncheon
(exhibits and silent auctions closed)
Invocation – Lemuel Burell, BS, President, Alabama Public Health Association
Alabama Environmental Health Association Awards
Alabama Public Health Association Awards
- 2:05pm-2:55pm • ALPHA Section Meetings and Environmental Health Sessions
- A. Leadership – Debbie Thomasson, RN, BSN, MPA, Chair
John L. Hankins, MBA, RN, State Nursing Director,
Alabama Department of Public Health
Debbie Thomasson, RN, BSN, MPA, Nursing Director,
Public Health Areas 7 and 9
“Leadership During Emergencies”
- B. Preventive Health – Isaac Mwase, PhD, M Div, MBA,
Chair
Drue H. Barrett, PhD, CAPT, U.S. Public Health Service,
Public Health Ethics Coordinator, Office of the Chief
Science Officer, Centers for Disease Control and
Prevention
“Ethical Issues of Pandemic Influenza Planning”
- C. Community Partnerships, Kyle King Reynold, EdD, Chair
Pamela Payne Foster, MD, MPH, Deputy Director of the
Institute for Rural Health Research, University of
Alabama
“Models of Community Partnerships and Lessons Learned”
- D. Advocacy, Dollie Hambrick, LCSW, Chair
Zach Carter, Organizer, Alabama Arise
“Organizing for Better Health in Alabama”
- E. “Pandemic Preparedness”
David Wallace, DVM, Director of Bioterrorism
Preparedness Training,
Office of Emerging Health Technologies
- F. “Beach Monitoring and NASA Development”
Brandi Stinger, Team Leader, Steven Mouton, and
Austin Dixon,
NASA Student Interns
- 2:55pm-3:25pm • Refreshment Break (exhibits open)
- 3:25pm-4:15pm • Concurrent Sessions – Block B
(see attached schedule)
- 4:20pm-5:10pm • Concurrent Sessions – Block B
(see attached schedule)
- 5:10pm-6:30pm • Reception and Cash Bar at the Royal Scam for ALPHA
Attendees and Mobile-Area Alumni, 72 S. Royal Street (with-
in walking distance of the Riverview Plaza Hotel)

DAY TWO May 18, 2007

- 7:00am-8:15am • Aycock Breakfast – “Alabama Political Review”
Alva M. Lambert, JD, BA, Executive Director, State Health
Planning Agency
- 8:20am-8:30am • Convene and Vendor Presentation
(from drawing)
- 8:30am-8:35am • Introduction of Keynote Speaker – Thomas M. Miller, MD,
MPH, Assistant State Health Officer for Personal and
Community Health, Alabama Department of Public Health
- 8:35am-9:30am • Keynote Address – “Maternal and Child Health Objectives for
2010”
Karla Damus, PhD, MPH, RN, Senior Research Analyst, Office
of the Medical Director, National March of Dimes
- 9:35am-10:25am • Concurrent Sessions – Block C
(see attached schedule)

DAY TWO May 18, 2007 continued

- 10:25am-10:55am • Refreshment Break (exhibits open)
- 10:55am • Silent Auctions Close
- 10:55am-11:45am • AIPHA Business Meeting
• AEHA Business Meeting
- 11:50am-12:15pm • Closing Remarks, Door Prizes, and Adjournment
- 12:15pm-12:30pm • Silent Auctions Pick-up
- 12:30pm-1:00pm • 2007-2008 AIPHA Board Meeting
• 2007-2008 AEHA Board Meeting

CONCURRENT SESSIONS – BLOCK A

Each block will be presented twice; from 10:15am-11:05am and again from 11:10am-12 noon

- A1) “Alternative and Complementary Therapies in Women’s Health”
Virginia Leigh Beasley, MD, FAAFP, Emory University Training Center
- A2) “Alabama’s Innovative Responses to the Rural Primary Care Physician Crisis”
Carolyn Bern, BS, Outreach Coordinator, Office of Primary Care and Rural
Health
Alabama Department of Public Health
Allen R. Perkins, MD, Chair, University of South Alabama, Department of
Family Medicine
Nathan B. Smith, MD, Assistant Dean of Admissions, University of Alabama,
School of Medicine
Ruth Harrell, MPH, RN, Administrative Director, Alabama Medical
Education Consortium
- A3) “Spanish for Health Professionals”
Julia Hayes, MS, RD, Assistant Director of Minority Health
Alabama Department of Public Health
- A4) “Healthy People 2010 Objectives for Alabama”
“Using Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data to Measure Progress
Towards the 2010 Health Objectives”
Jesse S. Pevear III, MSPH, Bureau of Health Promotion and Chronic Disease
Alabama Department of Public Health
“The Unheard Message: The Struggle to Reduce the Number of HIV/AIDS
Infections in Alabama”
Anthony Merriweather, MPH, Director Office of HIV Surveillance, Alabama
Department of Public Health
“Monitoring Health Objectives through Vital Statistics Data”
Kalai Mugilan, PhD, MPA, MA, Statistical Data Division, Alabama
Department of Public Health
- A5) “Environmental Health Issues with the Poarch Creek Indians”
Barney White, Environmental Health Specialist, Indian Health Services,
Poarch Creek Indian Reservation
- A6) “Mosquito Control in Baldwin County”
Rachel Jennings, BS, Environmentalist, Baldwin County Health Department

CONCURRENT SESSIONS – BLOCK B

Each block will be presented twice; from 3:25pm-4:15pm and again from 4:20pm-5:10pm

- B1) “Population Trends Past and Present”
Donald Bogie, PhD, Center for Demographic Research, Auburn University
Montgomery
- B2) “From Distress to De-Stress: Stress Management at Work”
James L. Sacco, MSW, BA, Emory University Regional Training Center
- B3) “The Nation’s Prevention Agenda: Tracking the Healthy People 2010
Objectives using the Online Database 2010”
Aseel Ryskulova, MD, PhD, MPH, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention,
National Center for Health Statistics, Office of Analysis and Epidemiology
- B4) “Healthy Lifestyles and Healthy Choices”
Miriam Gaines, MACT, RD, LD, Nutrition and Physical Activity Director,
Alabama Department of Public Health
- B5) “Onsite Systems and the Professional Land Surveyor”
TBA
- B6) “Food Irradiation”
Jean Weese, PhD, Extension Specialist and Professor, Family and Consumer
Science Administration, Auburn University

CONCURRENT SESSIONS - BLOCK C

Each block will be presented once; from 9:35am-10:25am

- C1) “Public Health and Pharmacy”
Charles Sands, III, PharmD, McWhorter School of Public Health, Samford
University
- C2) “Health Statistics Data Available on the Web with a Demonstration”
Crystal B. Steen, BS, Programmer Analyst, Alabama Department of Public
Health
Izza Afgan, MPH, PRAMS Grant Administrator, Statistical Analysis Division,
Alabama Department of Public Health
- C3) “Further Issues in Maternal and Child Health” “Karla Damus, PhD, MPH, RN,
Senior Research Analyst, Office of the Medical Director, National March of
Dimes
- C4) “Cruise Ship Illnesses: Norwalk Virus”
Bernard H. Eichold II, MD, Dr PH, FACP, Health Officer,
Mobile County Health Department
- C5) “Overview of the Center for Domestic Preparedness CBRNE Response
Training and Integration of the Environmental Health Perspective”
John Skinner, DHS, CDP, Department of Homeland Security, Center for
Domestic Preparedness
- (C6) “The Use and Design of Constant Head Permeameters for Onsite Sewage
Systems”
Ray Deese, PE, President, Gulf Coast Engineering, LLC

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