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Welcome to the **April 2024** New York State Department of Health's e-Distance Learning Newsletter. **In this issue**, you will find virtual and in-person upcoming events, resources, and opportunities, including on demand and self-directed content available through the NYSDOH's [NYlearnsPH.com](https://www.NYlearnsPH.com) Learning Management System (LMS). Check back each issue to find previously live content available on demand at www.NYlearnsPH.com.

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National Public Health Week - April 1 - 7, 2024

- [New York State Department of Health Celebrates National Public Health Week](#)
- [Statement From Health Commissioner Dr. James McDonald on National Public Health Week](#)

During the first full week of April each year, American Public Health Association (APHA) brings together communities across the United States to observe National Public Health Week as a time to recognize the contributions of public health and highlight issues that are important to improving our nation's health. Continue your participation by viewing our [daily theme fact sheets](#) and social media [shareables](#) (in English and Spanish) and attending other [APHA-hosted events](#) and [partner events](#).

Welcome to [National Public Health Week](#)! This year's theme is "Protecting, Connecting and Thriving: We Are All Public Health." It's a celebration of diversity and inclusivity in health as we come together with our nearly 800 partners across the U.S.

- Today's daily theme is new tools and innovations. Advancements in public health are key to health equity. Whether you are wearing a smartwatch to track your fitness goals or arranging telehealth appointments with health care providers, technology is everywhere in public health and transforming how we are detecting, preventing and addressing health conditions.
- Today is also Public Health Workforce Day. On this day, we honor the hard work and dedication of those who protect the public's health. Join us in the celebration by registering for our free continuing education credit webinars:
 - [Building Extreme Heat Resilience Through Innovative Solutions: 1-2 p.m. ET](#)

- [Innovative Workforce Solutions – Lessons learned from Public Health AmeriCorps on Recruiting, Nurturing, and Training the Next Generation of Public Health Leaders: 3-4 p.m. ET](#)
- [Exploring the Data: The All of Us Research Program for Public Health Professionals: 5-6 p.m. ET](#)

Space is limited for live webinars, but they will be recorded and freely available to the public. You do NOT need to register for these webinars if you plan on watching a recording.

While there are only a few days of NPHW left, there are still plenty of [events happening](#). Check them out and join us tomorrow for a conversation about reproductive and sexual health!

ICYMI:

- Wednesday’s daily theme is climate change. Climate change poses as the most pressing threat to public health. Urgent collaborative actions are needed to mitigate the health repercussions of climate change so that we can all have a safe and healthy planet to live, work and play in.
- Tuesday’s theme focused on healthy neighborhoods. Our neighborhoods are the backbone of our communities, influencing our physical, mental and emotional well-being. Culturally specific interventions are key to nurturing vibrant thriving neighborhoods that promote health for all.
- Monday’s theme was civic engagement. It’s all about getting involved in your community to make a difference. Unfortunately, some communities are facing threats that put their health and safety on the line.
- Learn more about what can be done with APHA fact sheets (in [English](#) and [Spanish](#)) and post a [social media graphic](#).

ICYMI: GOVERNOR HOCHUL – Select Public Health Related Press Releases

Visit <https://www.governor.ny.gov/news> for a full list of press releases and statements from Governor Hochul.

[Governor Hochul Provides Update on Weather Related Eclipse Viewing Locations in the Adirondacks](#)

Apr 4, 2024 | 12:46 PM EDT

[Governor Hochul Announces Inaugural Mental Health Needs Assessment for First Responders](#)

- [Spanish Translation](#)

Apr 4, 2024 | 12:02 PM EDT

[Governor Hochul Announces \\$4 Million to Enhance Services for Individuals With Complex Mental Health Care Needs Statewide](#)

Apr 4, 2024 | 08:40 AM EDT

[Governor Hochul Urges New Yorkers to Be Cautious as Heavy Rain Threatens Flooding, Dangerous Travel and Power Outages in Downstate, Western NY and Southern Tier](#)

- [Spanish Translation](#)

Apr 3, 2024 | 04:59 PM EDT

[Governor Hochul Issues Proclamation Declaring April Sexual Assault Awareness Month](#)

- [Spanish Translation](#)

Apr 3, 2024 | 09:18 AM EDT

[Audio & Rush Transcript: Governor Hochul is a Guest on Spectrum News to Update New Yorkers on Extreme Weather and the Upcoming Solar Eclipse](#)

Apr 2, 2024 | 05:38 PM EDT

[Governor Hochul and Tracy Morgan Call on New Yorkers to Join Donate Life Registry](#)

Mar 30, 2024 | 01:39 PM EDT

[Governor Hochul Issues Proclamation Celebrating Transgender Day of Visibility](#)

Mar 30, 2024 | 09:17 AM EDT

[Governor Hochul Announces \\$30 Million to Expand Residential Treatment Facilities for Children and Adolescents With Complex Mental Health Needs](#)

- [Spanish Translation](#)

Mar 28, 2024 | 11:37 AM EDT

[Audio & Rush Transcript: Governor Hochul is a Guest on MSNBC's Morning Joe](#)

Mar 26, 2024 | 09:36 AM EDT

[Governor Hochul Updates New Yorkers on State Preparations Ahead of April 8 Eclipse](#)

- [Spanish Translation](#)
- [B-Roll, Video, Audio & Rush Transcript](#)

Mar 25, 2024 | 12:17 PM EDT

[On World Water Day, Governor Hochul Highlights the Work of Community Assistance Teams Helping Local Governments with Their Water Infrastructure Needs](#)

Mar 22, 2024 | 01:56 PM EDT

[Governor Hochul Launches \\$102 Million Effort to Expand Care and Treatment for New Yorkers with Serious Mental Illness](#)

- [Spanish Translation](#)

Mar 21, 2024 | 12:55 PM EDT

[Governor Hochul Announces Start of Construction of New Hoosick Falls Water Supply](#)

Mar 19, 2024 | 03:57 PM EDT

[Governor Hochul Announces New York Pharmacists Can Now Provide Hormonal Contraception Without a Prescription](#)

- [Spanish Translation](#)
- [Video, Audio, Photos & Rush Transcript](#)

Mar 19, 2024 | 12:32 PM EDT

[Governor Hochul Reminds New Yorkers About Expanded Move Over Law to Include All Stopped Vehicles on Highways](#)

- [Spanish Translation](#)

Mar 19, 2024 | 09:16 AM EDT

[Governor Hochul Launches Effort to Protect NYers Ahead of Total Solar Eclipse on April 8](#)

- [Spanish Translation](#)

Mar 18, 2024 | 01:37 PM EDT

[Governor Hochul Announces Extension of Home Heating Assistance Programs Thru April 12](#)

- [Spanish Translation](#)

Mar 18, 2024 | 01:19 PM EDT

ICYMI: Select STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PRESS RELEASES

April 4, 2024

- [New York State Department of Health Releases Special Edition of New York Public Health Now Podcast Focused On the Eclipse](#)

April 3, 2024

- [New York State Department of Health Recognizes Alcohol Awareness Month](#)

April 2, 2024

- [Statement From Health Commissioner Dr. James McDonald On Autism Acceptance Day](#)
- [New York State Department of Health Celebrates National Public Health Week](#)
- [New York State Department of Health Releases Eclipse Safety PSA Urging Eclipse Watchers to Take Safety Precautions](#)

April 1, 2024

- [New York State Department of Health and NY State of Health Announce the Essential Plan Expansion Increasing Access to Affordable Health Insurance Begins Today](#)
- [New York State Department of Health Issues Updated Fish Advisories for 2024](#)
- [Statement From Health Commissioner Dr. James McDonald on National Public Health Week](#)

March 30, 2024

- [Governor Hochul and Tracy Morgan Call on New Yorkers to Join Donate Life Registry](#)

March 29, 2024

- [Statement From Health Commissioner Dr. James McDonald on National Doctors Day](#)

March 28, 2024

- [New York State Department of Health Recognizes Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month in March](#)

March 26, 2024

- [Statement from New York State Health Commissioner Dr. James McDonald on Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month](#)
- [New York State Department of Health Spanish Speaking Virtual WIC Assistant Expands Access to Nutrition Services](#)

March 25, 2024

- [Governor Hochul Updates New Yorkers on State Preparations Ahead of April 8 Eclipse](#)

March 24, 2024

- [Health Officials Warn of Potential Measles Exposure in NYC Hospital](#)

March 23, 2024

- [New York State Department of Health Provides Updates On Nassau County Measles Case](#)

March 22, 2024

- [New York State Department of Health Announces First Case of Measles In New York State Outside of New York City](#)
- [On World Water Day, Governor Hochul Highlights the Work of Community Assistance Teams Helping Local Governments with Their Water Infrastructure Needs](#)
- [New York State Department of Health Urges Regular Private Well Testing](#)

March 21, 2024

- [New York State Department of Health Recognizes Endometriosis Awareness Month](#)

March 21, 2024

- [New York State Department of Health Recognizes Endometriosis Awareness Month](#)

March 20, 2024

- [New York State Department of Health Promotes CDC's Tips From Former Smokers Campaign](#)
- [Statement From New York State Health Commissioner Dr. James McDonald on Multiple Sclerosis Education and Awareness Month](#)

March 19, 2024

- [Governor Hochul Announces Start of Construction of New Hoosick Falls Water Supply](#)
- [Governor Hochul Announces New York Pharmacists Can Now Provide Hormonal Contraception Without a Prescription](#)

For a full listing of all NYSDOH Press Releases from 2024 including the many updates with respect to ongoing air quality issues statewide, visit: health.ny.gov/press/releases/2024/index.htm.

Additional NYSDOH Resources:

[Experience the Total Solar Eclipse in New York](#)

Witness Totality on April 8, 2024

[Eclipse Map & Times](#) | [Safety Tips](#) | [Viewing Spots](#) | [Events](#) | [Resources](#) | [FAQs](#) | [Playlist](#)

New York Public Health Now Podcast

NEW! **Sabrina Dunn Discusses the Diversity in Medicine Program**, Recorded March 26, 2024, Season 2 Episode 5 | In this episode of the New York Public Health Now podcast, hosts Commissioner McDonald and Executive Deputy Commissioner Morne are joined by Sabrina Dunn, a third year medical student at the University at Buffalo. Sabrina talks about her journey to becoming a physician, the barriers she's overcome as a woman of color, and her experiences in the post-

baccalaureate program and how it helped prepare her for medical school. Also discussed is the importance of diversity among medical professionals as a means of achieving equitable outcomes in public health.

Listen online at the Department of Health website at health.ny.gov/commissioner/podcasts/, where you can also catch up on all the previous episodes from both Seasons 1 and 2.

Center for Environmental Health – Foodborne Disease Outbreak Tabletop Exercise

“Three Steps and a Hop”, is a one-day foodborne illness outbreak investigation tabletop exercise, for Local Health Departments and State Regional and District Offices. One exercise is scheduled in each region. Sign-in will start at 9:30am at each event and the exercise will run from 10:00am-3:30pm. There is no registration fee to participate.

Who Should Attend

The target audience is individuals who work on foodborne disease investigations. Due to limited seating, we are limiting registration to one communicable disease and one environmental health representative from each county. We encourage attendance of one environmental health staff from state district offices for each partial service county in their jurisdiction. All regional environmental health field coordinators who assist with foodborne outbreaks should attend. A short train-the-trainer session during the day will provide tips and information on how participants can implement the training to colleagues at their own health departments. Each person attending should register at the following link: <https://pubcap.health.ny.gov/surveys/?s=PCLKWPJAN8DMLC8N>

Please feel free to contact David Nicholas with the Bureau of Community Environmental Health and Food Protection at (518) 402-7600, or david.nicholas@health.ny.gov or Elizabeth Anderson with the Bureau of Communicable Disease Control at (518) 473-4439, or elizabeth.anderson@health.ny.gov if you have any questions concerning this training opportunity.

See table of regional training dates on next page:

Tabletop Exercise Locations and Dates: Region	Dates	Location	Registration Deadline
Capital District	April 16th	Warren County Human Services Building, Queensbury	April 2nd
Central Region	April 17th	State Fairgrounds, Syracuse	April 3rd
Western Region	April 23rd	Genesee Emergency Management Services Building, Batavia	April 9th
Metropolitan Region	April 25th	Rockland County Fire Training Center, Pomona	April 11th

NYSDOH - Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) Reports

The Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) is an annual telephone survey of adults developed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention conducted in all 50 States, the District of Columbia, and several US Territories. The New York BRFSS is administered by the New York State Department of Health to provide statewide and regional information on behaviors, risk

factors, and use of preventive health services related to the leading causes of chronic and infectious diseases, disability, injury, and death. Data from the BRFSS are useful for planning, initiating, and supporting health promotion and disease prevention programs at the state and federal level, and monitoring progress toward achieving health objectives for the state and nation.

The New York State Department of Health Alcohol Surveillance and Epidemiology Program is pleased to announce the release of the updated [Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Brief: Binge and Heavy Drinking, New York State Adults, 2022](#) and a new [Information for Action Report: Understanding New Yorkers Opinions on Public Health Policies to Reduce Excessive Alcohol Use](#). The reports are accompanied by a press release from the Department, which is quoted below.

The report [Binge and Heavy Drinking, New York State Adults, 2022](#) provides information on two patterns of excessive alcohol use: binge and heavy drinking. Excessive alcohol use is a common health-related behavior among New York State adults and consumption patterns vary across population groups. Key findings from the report include:

- Nearly 1 in 5 NYS adults (18.4%) reported excessive alcohol use in the form of either binge or heavy drinking, with an estimated 16.6% of adults in New York State reporting binge drinking and 6.1% reporting heavy drinking.
- The prevalence of binge drinking increased significantly from 14.9% in 2021 to 16.6% in 2022.
- The prevalence of binge drinking was higher in males, adults who identify as White, non-Hispanic, adults who were less than 35 years of age, and adults with an annual household income of \$75,000 or more.
- The prevalence of binge drinking among adults who reported current smoking (27.4%) was almost double the prevalence reported among those who did not currently smoke (15.3%), and the prevalence of heavy drinking was more than two times greater among people who smoked (13.6%) as compared to people who did not smoke (5.2%).

The report [Understanding New Yorkers Opinions on Public Health Policies to Reduce Excessive Alcohol Use](#) highlights data from a January 2023 survey of adult residents of New York State on support for five evidence-based policies to reduce excessive alcohol use. Excessive alcohol use contributes to health problems and has an uneven impact on communities that have more places selling or serving alcohol, creating health inequities. To ensure that all New Yorkers have a full and fair opportunity to be as healthy as possible, it's essential that every community benefits from policies curbing excessive alcohol use and preventing associated harm. Often, communities facing economic or racial injustice are the same communities that lack these public health protections.

According to the report, support for alcohol-related policies among New York State adults varied:

- Three-quarters (75%) of New York adults support requiring additional health warnings on alcohol containers and 56% support banning outdoor advertising of alcohol.
- Nearly half of New York adults support increasing the sales tax on alcohol products and just under half (47%) support limiting the days or hours that alcohol is sold.
- Forty-one percent support decreasing the number of stores that sell alcohol products.

An understanding of public opinion is crucial in shaping public health policies. Effective communication, community engagement, and policy promotion are influenced by an understanding of how the public perceives and responds to health-related policies.

The New York State Department of Health's Alcohol Surveillance and Epidemiology Program conducts public health surveillance on excessive alcohol use and its related harms and works in partnership with the New York State Office of Addiction Services and Supports to reduce excessive alcohol use. More alcohol-related data resources are available on the Program's website https://www.health.ny.gov/prevention/alcohol_surveillance/.

These reports have been approved for public release. Please feel free to share the report and data with others involved in initiatives to prevent and reduce excessive alcohol use and its related harms in New York State. Additional reports are available on the New York State Department of Health's website:

<https://www.health.ny.gov/statistics/brfss/reports/>

https://health.ny.gov/statistics/prevention/injury_prevention/information_for_action

ICYMI: The New York State Department of Health is pleased to announce the release of three updated Brief reports based on 2021 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) data.

“[High Blood Pressure, New York State Adults, 2022](#)”, presents information on New York State adults diagnosed with high blood pressure as well as diagnosed adults who take medication to manage their blood pressure.

Additional Information for Action reports, BRFSS Brief reports, county level data (including age-adjusted rates), other reports on chronic disease indicators, and more information about the Prevention Agenda are available on the New York State Department of Health website:

https://health.ny.gov/statistics/prevention/injury_prevention/information_for_action

<https://www.health.ny.gov/statistics/brfss/reports/>

<https://health.data.ny.gov/Health/Behavioral-Risk-Factor-Surveillance-System-BRFSS-H/jsy7-eb4n/data>

https://www.health.ny.gov/prevention/prevention_agenda/2019-2024/

Other Resources and Opportunities:

Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

Health Alert Network (HAN)

[HAN Messages | Health Alert Network \(HAN\)](#)

NEW! 0505 – 03/28/2024 1:30pm

[Increase in Invasive Serogroup Y Meningococcal Disease in the United States](#)

0504 – 03/18/2024 12:30pm

[Increase in Global and Domestic Measles Cases and Outbreaks: Ensure Children in the United States and Those Traveling Internationally 6 Months and Older are Current on MMR Vaccination](#)

EPIC Exchange – Flooding

Weather-related incidents such as flooding can pose a public health threat. Flooding occurs in every U.S. state and territory and is the most common of all weather-related natural disasters. Floods can happen during heavy rains, when ocean waves come on shore, when snow melts quickly, or when dams break. CDC works to reduce harm and protect lives by helping communities prepare for, respond to, and recover from emergencies.

Floods, big or small, can be devastating for your home and your family. Learn what you can do to stay safe and protect your health from the dangers of flooding.

Know the Types of Alerts

Before and during a flood, emergency alerts might be broadcast on television, radio, or your cell phone. The level of risk is greatest with flood warnings. Stay informed and understand the different types of alerts:

- **Warning:** Flooding is expected to occur or is already occurring in your area or nearby, and its impact may be serious.
- **Advisory:** Be Aware. Flooding is not expected to be bad enough to issue a warning. However, it may cause significant inconvenience, and can become dangerous.
- **Watch:** Be Prepared. A Flood Watch is issued when conditions are favorable for flooding. It does not mean flooding will occur, but it is possible.*

If you have a cell phone, download the free [FEMA Mobile APP](#) to receive real-time weather alerts, locate emergency shelters in your area, prepare for common hazards, and more.

*Adapted from [Flood Warning VS. Watch \(weather.gov\)](#)

Protect Your Health from Floodwater Hazards

The initial damage caused by a flood is not the only risk. Standing floodwater can also spread infectious diseases, bring chemical hazards, and cause injuries.

Floodwater can pose a drowning risk for everyone—regardless of their ability to swim. Swiftly moving shallow water can be deadly, and even shallow standing water can be dangerous for small children. Always follow warnings about flooded roads. Don't drive in flooded areas—cars or other vehicles won't protect you from floodwaters. They can be swept away or may stall in moving water.

If you must enter floodwater, wear rubber boots, rubber gloves, and goggles. Wash the part of your body that touched floodwater with soap and clean water as soon as possible. If you don't have soap or water, use alcohol-based wipes or sanitizer. Take care of wounds and seek medical attention if necessary. Wash clothes contaminated with flood or sewage water in hot water and detergent.

[Learn more about floodwater health threats – Floodwater After a Disaster or Emergency | CDC](#)

Be Safe When Reentering a Flooded Home

When a home has been flooded, it may be contaminated with mold or sewage, which can cause health risks for your family. After you return home, if your home was flooded, practice safe cleaning. Remove and throw out drywall and insulation that was contaminated with floodwater or sewage. Throw out items that cannot be washed and cleaned with a bleach solution, such as mattresses, pillows, carpeting, carpet padding, and stuffed toys. You may want to temporarily store items outside of the home until insurance claims can be filed. Clean walls, hard-surfaced floors, and other household surfaces with soap and water and disinfect with a solution of one cup of bleach to five gallons of water. [Be Safe When Reentering Your Flooded Home | CDC](#)

Email: EPIC@cdc.gov | **Additional Questions?** Email: [Contact CDC-INFO](#) or Call: 800-CDC-INFO (800-232-4636) TTY: 888-232-6348

CDC Safe Healthcare Blog – Six Tips to Avoid Healthcare-Associated Infections

March 14. Patient safety is a global public health concern. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and its partners are dedicated to providing practical and actionable information to improve the safe delivery of care at every encounter.

This blog authored by Patsy Stinchfield, president of the National Foundation of Infectious Diseases, provides six tips for patients and families to protect themselves from infections while receiving health care. [Read the blog here.](#)

Learn more about CDC's [patient safety efforts](#).

Health Equity and Antibiotic Prescribing in the United States: A Systematic Scoping Review —

A CDC authored paper in *Open Forum Infectious Diseases Journal* showed clinician antibiotic prescribing behavior varied by clinician and patient demographic characteristics, further emphasizing the importance of integrating health equity into stewardship policies, practices, and research. This National Minority Health Month and beyond, help mitigate health inequities in antibiotic prescribing.

To learn more, please visit: [Health Equity and Antibiotic Prescribing in the United States: A Systematic Scoping Review | Open Forum Infectious Diseases | Oxford Academic \(oup.com\)](#)

JAMA Network: Reducing Hospitalizations and Multidrug-Resistant Organisms via Regional Decolonization in Hospitals and Nursing Homes —

Reducing infections and combating the spread of multidrug-resistant organisms (MDROs) and related infections in healthcare settings may be more effective on a regional scale, as patients often travel to and between multiple facilities in a healthcare system. In this study, decolonization practices included bathing a patient with a soap that kills germs on the skin, chlorhexidine, and putting an antiseptic ointment, nasal iodophor, in their nose. In Orange County (OC), California, the Shared Healthcare Intervention to Eliminate Life-Threatening Dissemination of MDROs (SHIELD OC) explored a regional decolonization effort to reduce MDROs in nursing homes, hospitals, and long-term acute care hospitals from July 2017-July 2019. **To learn more, please visit:** [Reducing Hospitalizations and Multidrug-Resistant Organisms via Regional Decolonization in Hospitals and Nursing Homes | Geriatrics | JAMA | JAMA Network](#)

CDC's National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion has announced a newly enhanced [Chronic Disease Indicators \(CDI\) data set and web tool](#). CDI is a vital resource for public health professionals, researchers, and policymakers, providing the most current, uniformly defined, and comprehensive data on chronic diseases and their risk factors.

Adolescent Immunization Action Week — Please join us in honoring [Adolescent Immunization Action Week \(AIAW\)](#), a yearly observance held **April 1-5** to bring awareness around the importance of adolescent immunizations. AIAW aims to raise awareness on the importance of adolescent immunizations that help protect teens against diseases and infections. AIAW encourages parents and caregivers to talk with their teen's doctor about being up to date on their recommended vaccinations.

In support of this week, CDC invites you to:

- Share our updated [AIAW Promotional Resources](#) with your networks.

- Learn more about [CDC's Let's RISE Initiative](#), which provides strategies, resources, and data to encourage catching up on routine vaccinations.

Share the latest safety information from CDC on recommended U.S. vaccines – safety studies, common side effects, vaccine information statements and more. [Safety Information by Vaccine | CDC](#).

Listen: Advancing Health Equity through Antimicrobial Stewardship — The recordings for the in-person [Advancing Health Equity through Antimicrobial Stewardship Workshop](#) are designed for learners to develop skills in building multidisciplinary partnerships that aid in identifying and addressing health inequities as they relate to antimicrobial stewardship and antimicrobial resistance. [Register](#) to access the FREE recordings!

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) today released an evidence-informed and actionable guide for the nation's hospital leaders to improve healthcare worker wellbeing – [Impact Wellbeing™ Guide: Taking Action to Improve Healthcare Worker Wellbeing](#). This Guide is the newest addition to the *Impact Wellbeing™* Campaign, [launched in October 2023](#), and provides a step-by-step process for hospitals to start making organizational-level changes that will impact and improve the mental health of their employees.

Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR) — Interim Effectiveness of Updated 2023–2024 (Monovalent XBB.1.5) COVID-19 Vaccines Against COVID-19–Associated Emergency Department and Urgent Care Encounters and Hospitalization Among Immunocompetent Adults Aged ≥18 Years — VISION and IVY Networks, September 2023–January 2024 On September 12, 2023, CDC's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices recommended updated 2023–2024 COVID-19 vaccination with a monovalent XBB.1.5–derived vaccine for all persons aged ≥6 months to prevent COVID-19, including severe disease. Although 1 updated vaccine dose is recommended for most persons aged ≥5 years, vaccination coverage with updated vaccines has remained low, including among those at highest risk for severe disease, such as adults aged ≥65 years. Thousands of persons in the United States continue to be hospitalized with COVID-19 each week, including approximately 31,000 during January 7–13, 2024, despite endemicity and increased population immunity to SARS-CoV-2. This analysis estimated updated COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness (VE) during September 2023–January 2024 among immunocompetent adults aged ≥18 years against COVID-19–associated emergency department (ED) or urgent care (UC) encounters in one CDC VE network and VE against COVID-19–associated hospitalization in two CDC VE networks. **You can learn more here:** [Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report](#)

Other CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR) featured articles:

[Racial and Ethnic Differences in Social Determinants of Health and Health-Related Social Needs Among Adults](#). This is CDC's first study using data from the 2022 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Social Determinants of Health (SDOH) module. It is the largest CDC study of its kind that examines how SDOH and Health-Related Social Needs (HRSN) differ by race, ethnicity and health status.

[Notes from the Field: Reemergence of Mycoplasma pneumoniae Infections in Children and Adolescents After the COVID-19 Pandemic](#). Mycoplasma pneumoniae is a common cause of mild

respiratory illness, though severe infection can lead to pneumonia. Resistance to macrolides, the recommended treatment, is widespread in Asia though uncommon in the United States. *M. pneumoniae* infections decreased globally during the COVID-19 pandemic. Data from the National Syndromic Surveillance Program and the New Vaccine Surveillance Network showed an increase in *M. pneumoniae* in the United States beginning in fall 2023, though below pre-pandemic levels.

A [recent Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\) Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report \(MMWR\)](#) found that Long COVID impacts thousands of U.S. Adults. The findings from this study highlight the importance of local planning and programs to meet the health care and support needs of those experiencing Long COVID, as well as additional surveillance for Long COVID at the state, tribal, local, and territorial levels to better understand disparities in Long COVID across the U.S.

Earn free CE with [CDC Learning Connection's](#) featured trainings!

- Technicians, nurses, and healthcare providers who work in dialysis facilities play a key role in reducing the risk of infection for patients on dialysis. Learn how to prevent dialysis-related infections with this CDC training on [Dialysis Safety](#). Free CE.
- Opioid use during and after pregnancy can affect people and their babies. Learn how health professionals can manage pain and effectively address opioid use across all stages of pregnancy and beyond with CDC's [Opioid Use and Pregnancy](#) training. Free CE.
- Waived testing can produce inaccurate results and these results could adversely impact patients. Take CDC's [Patient Testing](#) training to learn how to safely and accurately perform patient testing. Free CE.

[Sign up](#) for CDC's newsletter to stay informed about quality public health trainings from CDC and partners.

Public Health Communications Collaborative (PHCC)

NEW! March 22, 2024 | Webinar Recap: Using Data Visualization in Public Health Communications

Thank you to everyone who joined us live for our webinar, *Using Data Visualization in Public Health Communications*—and a special thank you to our expert speakers for their insights. You can [watch the webinar recording](#) and access the webinar presentation on the PHCC website.

March 1, 2024 | New Messaging: Measles Outbreaks

The most recent 2024 data from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) show the United States has reported a total of 35 measles cases across 15 states: Arizona, California, Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Louisiana, Maryland, Minnesota, Missouri, New Jersey, New York City, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and Washington.

Use our [messaging on the ongoing measles outbreaks](#) to inform your community members and share actionable messages they can take to protect themselves and their loved ones from this highly contagious and potentially fatal disease.

Although the measles outbreaks have many impacts on public health and safety, this messaging guide is designed to communicate the most relevant information to the general public. We recommend adapting messaging for your local context.

NEW! On The Radar

- Docu-Series: [The Invisible Shield](#) (PBS)
- Report: [Ready or Not 2024: Protecting the Public's Health from Diseases, Disasters, and Bioterrorism](#) (Trust for America's Health)
- Training: [Communicating Science Clearly](#) (CDC)
- Event: [8th Annual National Summit on Health Communication](#) (Society for Health Communication)
- Resources: [Up and Away and Out of Sight](#) (PROTECT, CDC)
- Blog Series: [Beyond Borders](#) (Robert Wood Johnson Foundation)
- Updated Guidance: [Respiratory Virus Guidance Update FAQs](#) (CDC)
- Article: [All Stories Will Matter](#) (International Arts + Mind Lab, Arts for Health Equity and Social Justice)
- Report: [When Artists Go to Work: On the Ethics of Engaging the Arts in Public Health](#) (Hastings Center Report)
- Resource: [Arts in Health Toolkits](#) (National Organization for Arts in Health)
- Resources: [Arts and Public Health Response Repository: COVID-19, Anti-racism, and Placemaking](#) (University of Florida, Center for Arts in Medicine)

More from PHCC

- [Answers to Tough Questions about Public Health](#)
- [Misinformation Alerts](#)
- Toolkit: [Building Bridging Statements](#)
- Messaging: [Encourage Routine Childhood Vaccinations](#)
- Resource: [Communicating With H.E.A.R.T.](#)
- Communications Tool: [Culturally Driven Public Health Communications](#)
- Communications Tool: [Plain Language for Public Health](#)

To get the latest updates, misinformation alerts, and resources from the Public Health Communications Collaborative and our partners, visit our [website](#).

Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO)

[Evidence-Based Strategies to Enhance Public Health Emergency Preparedness & Response](#)

The latest edition of *Journal of Public Health Management & Practice* (JPHMP) details the importance of preparedness and all-hazards readiness. The article shares recommendations for state and territorial health agencies to improve standards, promote health equity, and prepare their workforce for emergencies.

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ICYMI: Public Health Workforce Interests and Needs Survey (PH WINS)

PH WINS 2024 Workforce Survey Expands to All Health Departments

Since 2014, the Public Health Workforce Interests and Needs Survey (PH WINS) has become an essential, impactful tool for the profession. This year, the survey [will be expanded](#) to include all local health departments, plus U.S. territories and freely associated states.

The 2024 Public Health Workforce Interests and Needs Survey (PH WINS) is a national survey of the public health workforce that will be conducted in September 2024 and aims to encompass all state health agencies, local health departments, and US territories and freely associated states. A partnership between the de Beaumont Foundation and the Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO), PH WINS is made possible through collaborations with all ten Regional Public Health Training Centers, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Big Cities Health Coalition (BCHC), and the National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO).

PH WINS surveys the entire public health workforce at participating agencies and is the only nationally representative survey to collect this individual-level data. When the survey is fielded, employees will receive it via email, with a three-month completion window, taking approximately 20-25 minutes to answer its questions.

Should you have any questions, please email phwins@debeaumont.org and use the subject line "PH WINS 2024". We look forward to your participation! For more information, click here to check out our [2024 Survey page](#).

NACCHO's 2022 National Profile of Local Health Departments Study Report

The National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO) recently released the [2022 National Profile of Local Health Departments \(Profile\) Study report!](#) NACCHO conducts the National Profile of Local Health Departments (commonly referred to as the "Profile Study") every three years as a census of local health departments (LHDs). This study describes the funding, staffing, governance, and activities of LHDs across the United States, developing a comprehensive and accurate description of LHD infrastructure and practice.

American Journal of Public Health (AJPH)

April 2024

Injury and Deaths from Shootings by US Police

The April issue of *AJPH* features a special section on injuries and deaths from shootings by police.

Select articles cover documenting and analyzing nonfatal shootings by police, disparities in policing, and the national burden of injury from police shootings in the United States. Other articles in this issue address inequities in academic publishing, best practices for community-engaged research, private insurance hearing aid mandates, and more.

[American Journal of Public Health - April 2024 \(current\) - Volume 114, Issue 4](#)

ICYMI:

- March 2024 - [American Journal of Public Health - March 2024 - Volume 114, Issue 3](#)
- February 2024 – [American Journal of Public Health - 114\(S2\) Supplement 1 2024 - Health Worker Mental Health: From the Current Crisis to a Sustainable Future](#)
- January 2024 - [American Journal of Public Health - Volume 114, Issue 1 \(aphapublications.org\)](#) - Public Health Workforce: Retention, Enumeration, and Safety

NEW! AJPH Podcast: Black Women's Reproductive Health & Sexuality: A Conversation With Regina Davis Moss

Katherine M Anderson, MPH, *AJPH* Student Editor, and Alfredo Morabia interview Regina Davis Moss, PhD, MPH, about her new book, *Black Women's Reproductive Health and Sexuality: A Holistic Public Health Approach* (APHA Press, 2023). They explore her motivations for writing the book, what it contributes to our understanding of the factors alienating Black women from controlling their reproductive health and sexuality, and the intended audience for the book.

- Podcast: Listen to the [audio](#) | watch the [video](#)

ICYMI: AJPH Podcast: Striving for Equity in Men's Health

- Podcast (English): Listen to the [audio](#) | watch the [video](#)

American Public Health Association (APHA)

Stay up on what's happening with [Public Health Newswire](#) from *The Nation's Health*. Read our recent stories:

- [New PBS documentary examines US public health: 'Public health saved your life today, and you didn't even know it'](#) "The Invisible Shield," a new four-part documentary that begins March 26, explores the rise and successes of public health, as well as factors that threaten it. The PBS series features experts from across the public health field. Learn more and watch the trailer.
- [EPA rule signals end to use of asbestos in US](#) The new ban on chrysotile asbestos, which will phase out use of the cancer-causing chemical, is the first enacted under amendments to the Toxic Substances Control Act.
- [Half of states aren't ready for disasters, report says](#) Despite the many lessons of the COVID-19 pandemic, fewer than half of U.S. states are highly prepared to respond to public

health emergencies, according to a new report from Trust for America's Health. See if your state made the top tier.

- [APHA summit addresses climate change, environmental justice](#) Topics included the ways food production, health care and transportation intersect with climate, health, equity and community.

Visit [The Nation's Health online](#) to read more news and share articles on social media. Contact us [here](#). Be on the lookout for more news from *The Nation's Health*, and [subscribe](#) or [become an APHA member](#) for full access.

Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO)

April 4, 2024

[Connecting Health and Transportation to Improve Access to Care](#)

There is a vital connection between transportation and accessing essential services like healthcare and employment. Arizona, Vermont, and Oregon are fostering partnerships between transportation and public health agencies to align resources, share data, and plan policies collaboratively. Read more about how cross-agency collaboration can improve access to care in a new blog.

[TEFCA: A Better User Experience for Exchanging Public Health Data](#)

Data exchange between healthcare and public health entities has been hindered by network complexity, resulting in a lack of timely and complete data for decision-making. The Trusted Exchange Framework and Common Agreement (TEFCA) offers a new solution to improve patient care by establishing a nationwide network for secure health data exchange. Learn more about TEFCA's structure and how to prepare for this new data landscape.

March 28, 2024

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March 21, 2024

[Prioritizing Well-Being in the Public Health Workforce](#)

With ever-changing priorities and workloads, public health workers are often faced with circumstances that can negatively affect their health. To meet these challenges head-on, there are numerous avenues that agencies and jurisdictions can take to ensure employee well-being. In a new blog, current public health professionals detail ways to encourage workplace wellness.

[State and Territorial Health Officials Convene First On-site Hill Day Since COVID](#)

ASTHO's Spring Leadership Forum marked the return of in-person Hill Day after three years. Health officials met with federal lawmakers, securing full funding for the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) in FY24 and extending key support for the Freely Associated States through renegotiated Compacts of Free Association.

March 14, 2024

[President Biden Releases FY25 Budget Proposal](#)

This week, President Biden's FY25 budget plan was released, setting forth the administration's funding priorities for the next fiscal year. Key highlights include funding proposals for various public health priorities such as pandemic preparedness, hepatitis C elimination, and more. Congress holds the power to accept, reject, or adjust these proposals. For additional details and a break down of the proposals, review ASTHO's latest *Legislative Alert*.

[Lead, Food Safety, and Public Health's Power and Responsibility to the People](#)

Last fall, the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services promptly identified and worked to recall apple puree products contaminated with lead. This was thanks to laws supporting their secondary lead exposure prevention strategy, including testing children at a higher risk. Learn more about how public health powers prevent lead exposure and which states are working to refine and expand their childhood lead exposure laws in this *Health Policy Update*.

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Summary: [Summary of FY24 Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill | ASTHO](#)

Blog: [Beating Superbugs Together with a Health Equity Approach | ASTHO](#)

Blog: [Partner Spotlight: Q&A with Anne Remick, Program Director, Alaska Breast and Cervical Screening Assistance Program | ASTHO](#)

Report: [Cross Sector Collaborations: Addressing Health Inequities in Access to Care Through Public Health and Transportation Partnerships | ASTHO](#)

Blog: [Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention in the Pacific Territories | ASTHO](#)

Website: [Adverse Childhood Experiences Capacity Assessment Tool Roadmap | ASTHO](#)

Blog: [Placemaking Begets Youth Sports, Promoting Healthier Communities | ASTHO](#)

Brief: [Strengthening Maternal and Infant Health Data in the U.S. Territories | ASTHO](#)

Report: [Polysubstance Use During Pregnancy and the Benefits of Universal Verbal Screening](#)

Blog: [Forming Partnerships to Increase Rural Immunization Rates | ASTHO](#)

Article: [After four years with Covid-19, the US is settling into a new approach to respiratory virus season | CNN](#)

Article: [US Mpox Cases Double as Vaccinations Lag | Physician's Weekly](#) | Marcus Plescia, ASTHO CMO

Article: [Warning as monkeypox cases on the rise again | MSN](#) | Marcus Plescia, ASTHO CMO

Summary: [ASTHO's Public Health Workforce Programs | ASTHO](#)

Community Commons

Updated March 13, 2024:

- [Trend Bending Policies for Advancing Racial Justice Series](#)
- [Transportation](#)
- [What It Takes to Fill a Food Desert](#)
- [Older Adults](#)
- [Water Insecurity and Population Health: Implications for Health Equity and Policy](#)
- [Interactive Summary Health Statistics for Children](#)
- [Guiding Principles to Address the Impact of Algorithm Bias on Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Health and Health Care](#)
- [Taking Action for Climate Justice: Our Top Tools, Resources, Stories, and Data](#)
- [Centering Young Black Leaders in the Face of a Looming Climate Crisis](#)

Council on Linkages Between Academia and Public Health Practice

March 26, 2024 | March Council on Linkages Meeting Recording

Thank you to all who joined the March 2024 [Council on Linkages](#) meeting! The recording and meeting materials are now available on the [meeting webpage](#) for anyone to view and download. Contact Mayela Arana at marana@phf.org with any questions.

Rebuilding the Public Health Workforce: Insights into Using the Core Competencies for Public Health Professionals to Support Workforce Development

The [Council on Linkages](#) continues to focus on rebuilding the public health workforce. In an excerpt from its March 2024 meeting, presenters shared insights on how their health departments are leveraging the [Core Competencies for Public Health Professionals](#) to bolster their workforce. [Learn more by viewing the recording today!](#)

Join the Council on Linkages' New Retention and Recruitment Workgroup

The [Council on Linkages](#) is launching a [Retention and Recruitment \(R&R\) Learning Community](#) to identify ways to strengthen the public health workforce. The R&R Learning Community aims to foster a collaborative environment where health departments and their partners can share effective strategies, highlight successes, and discuss challenges related to workforce retention and recruitment. We are [seeking volunteers](#) with expertise in retention or recruitment, or who are interested in the Learning Community, to serve on a workgroup to help make the R&R Learning Community a success. Fill out the form on the [Retention and Recruitment Workgroup webpage](#) or email Mayela Arana at marana@phf.org to volunteer. Your expertise is appreciated!

County Health Rankings & Roadmaps

NEW! March 26, 2024 | [National Findings Report highlights the importance of civic health](#)

Civic health is the cornerstone of our democracy and vital to our overall health. There are ways to improve it for everyone; it starts in our local communities. Creating spaces — like libraries, public schools, and community centers — where everyone can engage, be informed and have a say — is key to healthy communities. Our new 2024 National Findings Report highlights the connection between thriving communities and civic participation, focusing on access to local news, broadband and public libraries. [Read the Report](#)

Public Health Accreditation Board (PHAB)

Service and Resource Sharing Strategies

Service and resource sharing arrangements (SRSA) are one tool that can be used to advance public health transformation efforts. We've added and updated resources for health departments considering or actively engaging in SRSAs to

- [Approaches to Service and Resource Sharing](#)
- [Service and Resource Sharing in Rural Settings: A Perspectives Report](#)

PHAB has Two New Learning Modules in the PHAB Learning Center:

1. **Foundational Public Health Services (FPHS): A Framework for Systems Change** - Explore the history of the FPHS. Develop a deeper understanding of the Foundational Capabilities and Areas with a breakdown of each component of the framework. Read about real-world applications in the 21st Century Learning Community state.
2. **Service and Resource Sharing 101** - Discover how to use service sharing as a tool for transformation. Gain insights into different approaches and explore real-world examples.

To access these courses and many others, create a free account or log in to the [PHAB Learning Center](#), search for the course title, and select enroll.

Trust for America's Health

Health Affairs recently published the article [Addressing The Obesity Epidemic Will Require Prevention And Treatment Working Together](#), which examines how both prevention and treatment approaches can support optimal health. Population-based prevention efforts as those described above create policies, systems, and environments that support healthful behaviors and environments for families. Additionally, is important to remain committed to upstream prevention, early intervention, and treatment when indicated now and into the future.

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) released the notice of funding opportunity [Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care: Collaborative Care Model](#). The purpose of this program is to support implementation of the Collaborative Care Model (CoCM), an evidence-based, integrated care approach that addresses mental and substance use conditions in primary care settings. Recipients will be expected to work with at least three primary care practices to develop the staffing and systems necessary to implement the CoCM. With this program, SAMHSA aims to increase the identification and treatment of mental health conditions for individuals who access care through primary care practices that too often go untreated and cause disability. Application deadline, May 20th.

PODCASTS:

- [Public Health Review | ASTHO](#)
 - [Bridging the Gap: Ensuring Vaccine Equity for Native Communities | ASTHO](#)
 - [One Health: The Shared Future of People, Animals, and the Planet | ASTHO](#)
 - [The Call to Join Public Health | ASTHO](#)
- **NEW Episodes!** [Public Health Review Morning Edition \(astho.org\)](#)
- Striving for Equity in Men's Health Podcast (AJPH): Listen to the [audio](#) | watch the [video](#)
- [Community Health Workers' Role in DEI](#) | Region V Public Health Training Center
- [Fighting Hate with Hope: Youth Power vs. Adult Fear](#) | PreventConnect

- **NEW Episode!** [Flipping the Table – Podcast \(phi.org\)](#) | PHI
 - **In Solidarity Podcast** [Strengthening Democracy For Better Health Series](#) | County Health Rankings & Roadmaps
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New and Upcoming Live Events: *Some items are marked with **NEW!**, generally indicating that the promotion is new to this edition of the eDistance Learning Newsletter.

April 2024

NEW! AHD Webinar: The Public Health Camp – Building an Academic-to-Practice Pipeline at Public Health – Seattle & King County

Sponsored by Council on Linkages Between Academia and Public Health Practice (Council on Linkages) and the Public Health Foundation (PHF)

Thursday, April 4th, 2024, 12:00pm - 1:00pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Cannabis Legalization: Critical Policy Issues Impacting the Health of Children

Sponsored by Network for Public Health Law

Thursday, April 4, 2024, 01:00-2:00pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Tapping into Success: Strategies for Effective Lead Service Line Replacement Communications

Sponsored by the Lead Service Line Replacement Collaborative

Thursday, April 4th, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. (ET) - webinar

[For more information and to register](#)

NEW! AMCP Science and Innovation Theater Webinar - The Evolution of Care for IBD Patients

Sponsored by AbbVie US Medical Affairs

Thursday, April 4, 2024, 02:00-3:00pm

[Register Here](#)

Academic Health Department Partnerships: Evolving to Serve in the Public Health 3.0 Era

Sponsored by Council on Linkages

Thursday, April 4, 2024, 2:30pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Disease Forecasting Basics: Part 2

Sponsored by ASTHO

Thursday April 4, 2024, 4-5pm ET

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Trusted Exchange Framework and Common Agreement (TEFCA) - Overview and Perspectives from the Field

Sponsored by ASTHO

Thursday April 4, 2024, 4 - 5:30 p.m. ET

[Register Here](#)

Blueprint for a National Prevention Infrastructure for Behavioral Health Disorders

Sponsored by National Academies for Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine (NASEM)

Apr 4 - 5, 2024

[Register Here](#)

HIV Grand Rounds Breakfast Series: CROI 2024 Update: Report from the 2024 Conference on Retroviruses & Opportunistic Infections

Sponsored by Albany Medical College Division of HIV Medicine

Friday, April 5, 2024, 8:15 - 9:15 am

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Infant Mental Health

Sponsored by ASTHO

Monday April 8, 2024, 2-3pm ET

[Register Here](#)

Impacts of Antimicrobial Resistance on Cancer Care

Sponsored by CDC's AMR Exchange

Tuesday, April 9, 2024, 10 -11am

[Register Here](#)

Implementing Harm Reduction Vending Machines

Sponsored by the Big Cities Health Coalition (BCHC)

Tuesday, April 9, 2024, 1-2pm

[Register Here](#)

PHAB Series on Service and Resource Sharing Approaches (SRSA): Public Health Workforce

Sponsored by PHAB

Tuesday, April 9, 2024, 1-2pm

[Register Here](#)

HHS Annual Tribal Budget Consultation

Sponsored by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

April 9-10, 2024, at the Hubert H. Humphrey Building in Washington, DC.

[Register Here](#)

Sepsis Alliance AMR Conference

Sponsored by Sepsis Alliance

Wednesday, April 10 and Thursday, April 11, 10:00 AM - 4:50 PM

[Register Here](#) | RN CE Contact Hours Available

2024, Take a Break: Social Support for the Public Health Workforce

Sponsored by the Mid-Atlantic Regional Public Health Training Center

- Wednesday, April 10, 2024, 12-1pm: **Public Speaking**
- Wednesday, May 8, 2024, 12-1pm: **Finding Resources for Work Challenges**
- Wednesday, June 12, 2024, 12-1pm: **Self-Care**

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Reducing Congenital Syphilis Through Policy Initiatives

Sponsored by ASTHO

Wednesday, April 10, 2024, 3-4:30pm

[Register Here](#)

AFA CARE CONNECTION WEBINAR - PART ONE: What They Wish They Had Known Earlier: Setting Yourself and/or a Loved One Up for Success for Memory Care Options

Sponsored by the Alzheimer's Foundation of America

Thursday, April 11, 2024, 1-2pm

[Register Here](#)

U.S. Indigenous Data Sovereignty & Governance Summit 2024 (Virtual available)

Sponsored by National Institutes of Health

April 11-12, 2024

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Annual Medical Student Ethics Conference (zoom.us)

Sponsored by Alden March Bioethics Institute at Albany Medical College and The MacLean Center of Clinical Medical Ethics, U Chicago

April 11-12, 2024

[Register Here](#)

National Hispanic Medical Association 30th Anniversary Celebration & Leadership Summit

April 12th - 13th

Washington, DC

[Register Here](#)

NEW! “Nobody Told Me I Need to Be Screened”: Elements of Effective Communication from Community and Clinical Perspectives – Increasing Colorectal Cancer Screening

Sponsored by New York State Cancer Consortium Colorectal Cancer Action Team

Tuesday, April 16, 2024, 1:00PM to 2:00PM

[Click here to register today](#)

NEW! Exploring Strategies to Strengthen Civic Participation for Communities' Health

Sponsored by County Health Rankings & Roadmaps

Tuesday, April 16, 2024, 3-4pm

[Register Here](#)

Trauma-Informed Care for Persons Living with Dementia: A Universal Approach

Sponsored by Alzheimer's Foundation of America

Wednesday, April 17, 2024, 11 am to 12:30 pm

[Register Here](#) | Registration fee: \$20 | 1.5 CE Credits available

National 2-Hour HIV Webcast: HIV Vaccines Update and REPRIEVE* Trial Results *Randomized Trial to Prevent Vascular Events in HIV

Sponsored by Albany Medical College Division of HIV Medicine

Wednesday, April 17, 2024, 12:00 - 2:00 PM

[Register Here](#) | 2 Hours of CME, Nursing or Pharmacy Credit

Hepatitis B and C: Coinfection and Reactivation

Sponsored by CEI

Wednesday, April 17, 2024, 12:00 - 1:00 PM

[Register Here](#) | **CME and CNE Available** | Questions? Contact: Lauren.Walker3@mountsinai.org

NEW! Workforce & Health Care Policies to Support Children's Mental Health

Sponsored by ChangeLab Solutions

Wednesday, April 17, 2024, 12:00 - 1pm

[Register Here](#)

Trauma-Informed Care for People Who Use Drugs

Sponsored by CEI

Wednesday, April 17, 2024, 4:00 - 5:00 PM

[Register Here](#) | **CME & CNE(Rx) Available!**

Questions? Contact Lauren.Walker3@mountsinai.org

NEW! Healthy New York Summit

Sponsored by The Museum of Jewish Heritage

Thursday, April 18th, 2024, 9am - 3:45pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! PART 2 – SUD Treatment for People with Cognitive Challenges

Sponsored by Institute for Research, Education and Training in Addictions

Thursday, April 18th, 2024, 2:00pm - 3:30pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! How Emergency Rooms Can Serve as Reproductive Health Safety Nets

Sponsored by PHI

Thursday, April 18 | 11am-12pm PT

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Understanding Adverse Childhood Experiences: Virtual 101 Training

Sponsored by Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO)

Monday, April 22, 2024, 1 - 2:30 p.m.

[Register Here](#)

2024 Older Adult and Opioids Webinar Series: Medical Marijuana and Older Adults

Sponsored by The FLGEC and the WNY R-AHEC

Date: Tuesday April 23, 2024, 12pm—1pm

[Click Here to register for one or more events](#) | CE Available

NEW! What Counts as Community Benefit and Accounting for Community Benefit

Sponsored by the Catholic Health Association

Tuesday, April 23rd, 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. (ET)

[For more information and to register](#)

NEW! 2024 NYS Regulatory Update

Sponsored by NYSDOH CEH & The Bureau of Water Supply Protection

Thursday, April 25, 2024, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

[Register Here](#) | Questions? Pamela.Muellecker@health.ny.gov or call: (518) 402-7650

NEW! How to Equitably Respond to Local Cancer Needs

Sponsored by the UT Health San Antonio

Thursday, April 25, 2024, 11:00am-12:00pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Defining Disability for Syndromic Surveillance: Data to Action

Sponsored by Association of State and Territorial Health Officials

Monday, April 29, 2024, 4-5pm

[Register Here](#)

22nd Annual Leadership Summit on Health Disparities and Spring Health Braintrust is We Have the Data, Now What? A Look Back at Over 25 Years

Sponsored by National Minority Quality Forum

April 29-30, 2024

[Register Here](#)

More Secrets of the CBC...Use the Diff to Make a Diff!

Sponsored by Sepsis Alliance

Tuesday, April 30, 2024, 2:00 – 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Defining Disability for Syndromic Surveillance: Data to Action Technical Assistance

Sponsored by Association of State and Territorial Health Officials

Tuesday, Apr 30, 2024, 4-5pm

[Register Here](#)

Public Health Law Practitioners Convening

Sponsored by National Association of County & City Health Officials

April 30, 2024 - May 2, 2024 | New Orleans, LA

[Register Here](#)

May 2024

2024 Older Adult and Opioids Webinar Series: Aging, the Opioid Epidemic, and Care Considerations for Native Communities

Sponsored by The FLGEC and the WNY R-AHEC

Tuesday, May 21, 2024, 12pm—1pm

[Click Here to register for one or more events](#) | CE Available

NEW! 2024 Hazen Lecture- From Private and Insular to Public and Engaged: The History of Science in the Century Since Sarton

Wednesday, May 1, 2024, 5:00PM–6:30PM | Virtual Event

[Register Here](#)

2024 Public Health Partnership Conf: "Building Trust in Public Health to Foster Health Equity"

Sponsored by the New York State Public Health Association, the New York State Association of County Health Officials, and the New York State Association for Rural Health
May 1-3, 2024 – Saratoga Springs at the City Center and Hilton

[Register Here](#)

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- Wednesday, June 12, 2024, 12-1pm: **Self-Care**

[Register Here](#)

10th Annual NYS Sexual Health Conference

Sponsored by the CEI Sexual Health Center of Excellence

Friday, May 10, 2024, 8:00 AM - 3:30 pm | Holiday Inn Saratoga Springs, NY

- Registration is required and limited. Free event for NYS clinicians and other public health professionals. Hotel reservation information provided upon registration. This conference is **only in-person and not available to watch virtually.** | [Click here to view conference agenda](#)

[Register Here](#) | Questions: Jessica.VanScott@urmc.rochester.edu

Accreditation 101

Sponsored by PHAB

Wednesday, May 15, 2024, 3-4pm

[Register Here](#)

The North American Social Marketing Conference (NASMC 24)

Sponsored by the Social Marketing Association of North America (SMANA) and the University of South Florida (USF)

Training academies May 15-16 and main conference May 17-18 | Clearwater Beach, FL

[Register Here](#) | Submit an abstract asap!

Building Pathways to Improve Public Health, NNPHI 2024 Annual Conference

Sponsored by National Network of Public Health Institutes

Tuesday, May 21 through Thursday, May 23, 2024 | New Orleans |

[Register Here](#)

June 2024

2024 Grantmakers in Health Annual Conference on Health Philanthropy

Sponsored by Grantmakers In Health

June 4th - 6th | Portland, OR

[Register Here](#)

NEW! NYSDOH Health Equity Council meeting

Sponsored by the NYSDOH's Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities Prevention
Friday, June 7th, 2024, 10:00am–1:30pm | Location – New York, NY

[View Webcast Here](#) | If you would like to be added to the Council's meeting invitation list or have questions about the Council, please contact omhhdp@health.ny.gov or 518-474-2180

NEW! Documentation Intensive Training

Sponsored by PHAB

Tuesday, June 11, 2024, 2:00 – 4:30pm

[Register Here](#)

Reaccreditation 101

Sponsored by PHAB

Wednesday, June 12, 2024, 11am-12pm

[Register Here](#)

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Sponsored by The FLGEC and the WNY R-AHEC

Friday, June 14, 2024, 12pm—1pm

[Click Here to register for one or more events](#) | CE Available | **Free Narcan Kit Provided**

July 2024

NEW! Documentation Intensive Training

Sponsored by PHAB

Tuesday, June 11, 2024, 2:00 – 4:30PM

[Register Here](#) | Visit the [PHAB Learning Events](#) for information regarding additional trainings.

NEW! VRHS (Vital Records & Health Statistics) for State Accreditation Coordinators

Sponsored by PHAB

Wednesday, July 17, 2024, 10:00–11:00 am

[Register Here](#) | Visit the [PHAB Learning Events](#) for information regarding additional trainings.

NEW! Practical Application of the Foundational Public Health Services (FPHS)

Sponsored by PHAB

Thursday, July 18, 2024, 2:00–3:15 pm

[Register Here](#) | Visit the [PHAB Learning Events](#) for information regarding additional trainings.

New & OnDemand Content - NYLearnsPH.com LMS

NEW! Public Health Live!: How Food Insecurity Feeds Diabetes

Sponsored by UAlbany School of Public Health

Recorded March 19, 2024

Enroll in LMS Course: [UASPH-PHL20240319](#)

NEW! Public Health Live!: Collaborative Health Care for Individuals with Intellectual and/or Developmental Disabilities

Sponsored by UAlbany School of Public Health

Recorded March 7, 2024 | **Enroll in LMS Course: [UASPH-PHL20240307](#)**

Public Health Live!: Adult Immunization Recommendations and Strategies to Improve Coverage Rates

Sponsored by UAlbany School of Public Health

Recorded March 29, 2023 | **Enroll in LMS Course: [UASPH-PHL202303](#)**

Using Data Visualization in Public Health Communications

Sponsored by Public Health Communications Collaborative

Recorded March 21, 2024 | **Enroll in LMS Course: [PHCC-20240321](#)**

Rebuilding the Public Health Workforce: Insights into Using the Core Competencies for Public Health Professionals to Support Workforce Development

Sponsored by the Council on Linkages

Recorded March 1, 2024 | **Enroll in LMS Course: [COL-20240301](#)**

Online Trust and Public Health: Communicating in a Digital World

Sponsored by Public Health Communications Collaborative

Recorded January 29, 2024 | **Enroll in LMS Course: [PHCC-20240129](#)**

Log-In2Learn: Flourishing through Adversity: How Can Stress and Emotional Experiences Make Us Resilient and Avoid Burnout

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded February 6, 2024 | **Enroll in LMS Course: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202402](#)**

Log-In2Learn: Enumerating and Understanding New York's Local Public Health Workforce

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded January 9, 2024 | **Enroll in LMS Course: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202401](#)**

Log-in2Learn: Mental Health in Rural New York: Findings and Implications of a Listening Tour with Residents and Professionals

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded December 5, 2023 | **Enroll in LMS Course: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202312](#)**

Structural Racism and Public Health: How to Talk to Policymakers and Community Members

Sponsored by Public Health Communications Collaborative

Recorded November 28, 2023 | **Enroll in LMS Course: [PHCC-20231128](#)**

Log-in2Learn: Building Skills for Public Health Leaders: Lessons Learned from the Advancing Leadership in Times of Crisis Program

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded November 14, 2023 | **Enroll in LMS Course: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202311](#)**

Log-in2Learn: Navigating the Path to a Culture of Healing: How Trauma-Informed Care Provides a Blueprint for The Well-Being of PH Professionals & the Communities they Serve.

Sponsored by Region 2 PHTC

Recorded October 5, 2023 | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [Reg2PHTC-L2L202310](#)

Log-in2Learn: The Swag Deficit: How & Why Public Health Sucks All the Fun Out of Everything

Sponsored by Region 2 PHTC

Recorded September 5, 2023 | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [Reg2PHTC-L2L202309](#)

Public Health Live!: HPV Vaccine Is Cancer Prevention: Changing the Narrative to Improve Vaccination Rates

Sponsored by UAlbany School of Public Health

Recorded August 16, 2023 | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [UASPH-PHL202308](#)

Public Health Live! Diabetes Education and Support: Keys to Living Well

Sponsored by UAlbany School of Public Health

Recorded November 2022 | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [UASPH-PHL202211](#)

Public Health Live! Prescribing Physical Activity to Improve Arthritis Management

Sponsored by UAlbany School of Public Health

Recorded May 2022 | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [UASPH-PHL202205](#)

Orientation to Public Health (Updated 2023)

Sponsored by UAlbany School of Public Health

Self-Paced Course | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [UASPH-OPH-101](#)

Community Dimensions of Public Health Practice: Module 1 & 2:

Sponsored by UAlbany School of Public Health | Self-Paced Courses

- **Enroll in LMS Course:** [UASPH-CDOP01](#)
 - **Module 1: Building Relationships to Improve the Health of the Community**
- **Enroll in LMS Course:** [UASPH-CDOP02](#)
 - **Module 2: Community Engagement as a Process for Improving the Health of the Community**

Commercial Determinants of Health

Sponsored by Region 2 PHTC

Self-Paced Course | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [Reg2PHTC-CDOH](#)

Climate Change: Using Technical & Adaptive Leadership to Identify & Address Extreme Heat

Sponsored by Region 2 PHTC

Self-Paced Course | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [Reg2PHTC-ClimateChange](#)

Confronting Barriers to Vaccine Acceptance: Create Effective Communication Using Behavioral Science

Sponsored by Region 2 PHTC

Self-Paced Course | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [Reg2PHTC-VaccineAcceptance](#)

A Systems Approach to Reduce Gun Violence

Sponsored by Region 2 PHTC

Self-Paced Course | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [Reg2PHTC-GunViolence](#)

Recruitment and Retention in Public Health

Sponsored by Region 2 PHTC

Self-Paced Course | **Enroll in LMS Course:** [Req2PHTC-Recruitment](#)

Four-part Grant Writing Series from NYSACHO: The New York State Association of County Health Officials (NYSACHO) recently hosted a Grant Writing Webinar Series, designed for local health departments to support them in applying for grant opportunities. This four-webinar series covers effective grant seeking strategies, tips for successfully applying to grants from SAMHSA, HRSA, and foundation funders. Each webinar is approximately 60-minutes.

- **Enroll in LMS Course:** [NYSACHO-GRANT-1](#)
 - Grant Writing Webinar #1: Effective Grant Seeking Strategies to Build Impactful Programs
- **Enroll in LMS Course:** [NYSACHO-GRANT-2](#)
 - Grant Writing Webinar #2: Successful Grant Seeking Strategies for SAMHSA Grants
- **Enroll in LMS Course:** [NYSACHO-GRANT-3](#)
 - Grant Writing Webinar #3: How to Win Funding from HRSA
- **Enroll in LMS Course:** [NYSACHO-GRANT-4](#)
 - Grant Writing Webinar #4: Successful Strategies for Attaining Foundation Grants

Additional Training of Interest - (On Demand)

NEW! Infodemiology training for public health

Sponsored by The Public Good Projects

Online Training Program | [Lear More Here](#)

NEW! AJPH Video Abstract: The Pent-Up Demand for Breastfeeding: Trends After COVID-19 Shelter-in-Place

Sponsored by the AJPH | [View Here](#)

NEW! Revised CDC Guidelines for Treatment of Respiratory Viral Infections, Domestic & Global Measles & Mpox Outbreaks & How Iron Metabolism May Be Altered During Long COVID

Sponsored by VuMedi

Recorded March 28, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Be on Alert for Travel-Related Measles

Sponsored by CDC and the American Medical Association (AMA)

Recorded March 28, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Age Friendly Public Health Systems Training Series (2024)

Sponsored by Age-Friendly Public Health Systems (AFPHS)

1. Recorded January 18 - **Ageism** – [View Here](#)
2. Recorded February 15 - **Equity and Healthy Aging** – [View Here](#)
3. Recorded March 21 - **Operationalizing Equity at the State Level** – [View Here](#)

[View Recordings of Previous Sessions and Register for Upcoming Trainings](#)

Measles Outbreaks Throughout the Continental US, Revised Guidelines on SARS-CoV-2 Treatment and Treatment of Respiratory Viral Infections, and How COVID-19 Affects the Autonomic Nervous System

Sponsored by VuMedi

Recorded March 19, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Advancing Racial & Health Justice Through a Right to Counsel for Tenants: A Primer for the Public Health Field

Sponsored by PHCC

Recorded March 6, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Session 3 & 4 Now Available On-Demand! Chagas Disease Educational 4-Part Series: Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes (ECHO) Sessions (12/6/23-3/6/24)

Sponsored by Clinical Directors Network, Inc. (CDN)

Session 1: Chagas Disease in the USA: Screening, Diagnosis, & Treatment for PC Clinicians

- Recorded December 6, 2023 | [View Here](#)

Session 2: Congenital and Pediatric Chagas Disease in the USA

- Recorded January 10, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Session 3: Chagas Disease as a Migrant Health Issue

- Recorded February 7, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Session 4: Interprofessional Team Approaches to Chagas Disease Management

- Wednesday, March 6, 2024, 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM | [View Here](#)

Arts-Focused Approaches to Public Health Communications

Sponsored by PHCC

Recorded Feb 29, 2024 | [View Here](#)

CDC COCA Call: Overdoses Involving Xylazine Mixed with Fentanyl: Clinical and Public Health Implications

Sponsored by CDC COCA

Recorded February 28, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Promoting Health Equity Through Economic Opportunity

Sponsored by TFAH and the Bipartisan Policy Center

Recorded February 27, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Mortality Inequities by Class, Gender & Race/Ethnicity in the U.S.

Sponsored by AJPH

Recorded Feb 20, 2024 | [View Here](#)

STRETCH-ing for Health: Operationalizing Health Equity in Public Health Agencies

Sponsored by Association of State and Territorial Health Officials (ASTHO)

Recorded Feb 20, 2024 | [View Here](#)

State of the Public Health Union (SOTPHU): Meeting the Requirements of the Public Health Workforce

Sponsored by APHA

Recorded February 15, 2024 | [View Here](#)

6th Annual Health Informatics Conference in Collaboration With the NYAM Nursing Section — Artificial Intelligence in Healthcare: Challenges and Opportunities

Sponsored by NYAM

Recorded February 12, 2024 |

Root of Health Inequity

Sponsored by National Association of County and City Health Officials

Added February 6, 2024 | [View Here](#)

CDC COCA Call: Diagnostic Testing and Treatment Guidelines for COVID-19 and Influenza

Sponsored by CDC

Recorded February 1, 2024 | [View Here](#)

“Greening & Growing” Strategies to Create Protective Environments and Prevent Sexual & Domestic Violence

Sponsored by Prevent Connect

Part 1: Recorded January 17, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Part 2: Recorded January 30, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Online Trust and Public Health: Communicating in a Digital World

Sponsored by PHCC

Recorded January 29, 2024 | [View Here](#)

Shift Your Power: Advancing from Transactional Practices to Transformational Progress

Sponsored by the Region V Public Health Training Center

Free to enroll. CE and certificate of completion available for \$12.

4.25 CHES Category I CECH; 4.25 Nursing Contact Hours (Expires June 30, 2025)

[View Here](#)

Communicating Science Clearly

Sponsored by CDC

Online Course | [View Here](#)

An Equity Guided Approach to Public Health for Leaders at All Levels

Sponsored by New England Public Health Training Center

Self-Paced Course | [View Here](#) | This is an all levels course offering CPH, CHES, and MCHES — FREE

Coaching Skills

Sponsored by New England Public Health Training Center

Online Course | [View Here](#)

How to be Anti-Racist in the Everyday Practice of Public Health (1.25 CE)

Sponsored by The Region V Public Health Training Center

Self-Paced Course | [View Here](#)

New on edX: [ColumbiaX Public Health Advocacy Academy](#) is a free online course using real-life public health examples to train advocates on turning research & evidence into law, policy, & funding.

Alzheimer’s & Dementia Online Academy (CE courses available 24/7)

Sponsored by Alzheimer's Foundation of America

[View Here](#)

CDC's Project Firstline

Trainings and Courses

- [Project Firstline Micro-Learn Trainings](#): A five-part series of short, adaptable training resources for healthcare leaders to educate their staff to recognize infection risks and take action to stop the spread of germs.
- [Updated Antibiotic Stewardship Training Courses](#): A list of continuing education (CE) opportunities related to antimicrobial resistance and stewardship.

Webinars E.L.M

- [Sepsis Webinar Series](#): CDC and the American Medical Association (AMA) hosted a six-part webinar series to introduce the first-ever Sepsis Core Elements to U.S. hospital administrators and clinician leadership. For those who missed the live webinars, the recordings and instructions for how to claim Continuing Education (CE) can be found on the [Hospital Sepsis Program Core Elements website](#).
 - [Infection Prevention and Control Post-COVID 19 Public Health Emergency Town Hall](#): Webinar featuring CDC officials reviewing the updated COVID-19 recommendations for healthcare facilities.
 - [CDC and AMA Fireside Chat](#): Webinar with CDC Director Dr. Cohen on ways you can protect yourself and your patients during the fall and winter respiratory virus season.
 - [AMR Exchange](#): In 2023, the webinar series covered combating antimicrobial resistance through global networks and the role vaccines play in curbing antimicrobial resistance.
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Clinical Education Initiative (CEI) Online Courses:

March 2024: CEI announces the availability of new courses (CE accredited):

- [Advances in Anal Cancer Prevention in People with HIV](#) [course provided by Physicians' Research Network (PRN)]
- [Looking Beyond Bugs to Consider Drugs: Drug User Health and HIV/HCV Prevention and Treatment](#) [course provided by Physicians' Research Network (PRN)]

And a new learning module (no CE credits):

- [ECHO: Clinical Considerations for Working with LGBTQ+ People Who Use Drugs](#)

Visit ceitraining.org today to sign-up for other training opportunities: live and online trainings, webinars, preceptorships, Learning Pathways and/or ECHO sessions.

Conversations with CEI Podcast:

- [Doxy-PEP Part II: Where Are We Now? 3/13/24](#)
 - [Click here to view Part I 11/9/23](#)
- [Tackling Stigma with Compassion: Harm Reduction in Clinical Practice 2/8/24](#)
- [RSV Vaccination in HIV Positive Adults 1/11/24](#)
- [We can do it! Improving access to care for transgender and gender diverse patients 12/14/23](#)