



Office of Health Disparities and Health Equity

Practice, Research and Partnerships: Threading it All Together to Achieve Health Equity

7:30—8:30 **Registration and Continental Breakfast**

8:30—8:45 **Welcome**
Courtney N. Phillips, MPA, Chief Executive Officer, Department of Health and Human Services

8:45—9:45 **Keynote**
Understanding Tribal Health Diplomacy’s Role in Building Infrastructure and Health Equity, *Captain Carmen Clelland, PharmD, MPA*, CDC Associate Director of Tribal Support. Viewing health equity through a tribal health diplomacy lens, this presentation will examine AI/AN health equity and the importance of tribal public health infrastructure

9:45—10:00 **Break and Exhibitors**

10:00—10:55 **Track Sessions**

Practice Room—Diamond 1	Research Room—Diamond 2	Partnerships Room—Diamond 3	Community Health Work Room—Diamond 6
<p>Social Determinants of Health—Place Matters Learning Collaborative <i>Jennifer Severe-Oforah and Jessica Seberger, DHHS Lifespan Health Services</i></p> <p>Address how physical, economic, social and service environments influence the health of a community, its residents and how they experience their world</p>	<p>Responsive Research of Health Disparities in Rural Nebraska <i>Dr. Tim Nelson, Professor of Psychology, and Kim Matthews, Minority Health Disparities Initiative, UNL</i></p> <p>Learn about the <i>Layhealth+</i> pilot study addressing pediatric obesity and Type 2 diabetes among Latinos in rural areas via telehealth</p>	<p>Collective Impact <i>Renee Claborn, RN, BSN, Director, Building Healthy Futures</i></p> <p>Sharing lessons learned from implementing this best practice for effective partnerships</p>	<p>CHR Survival Skills <i>Dr. Sudah Shaheb, Michele Smith, RN CDE, and Ashleen Blackbird, RN</i></p> <p>Practical skills and insight to address minority populations and learn about home blood sugar monitoring, insulin pens/vials, and other diabetes related assessments.</p>

11:00-11:55 **Track Sessions**

Practice Room—Diamond 1	Research Room—Diamond 2	Partnerships Room—Diamond 3	Community Health Work Room—Diamond 6
<p>State Partnership Initiative—Reducing Diabetes A1c Rates in Thurston County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>DHHS Office of Health Disparities & Health Equity</i> • <i>Omaha Tribe of Nebraska</i> • <i>Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska</i> <p>A collaborative project to reduce diabetes rates among American Indians.</p>	<p>Find and Understand Data Your Organization Needs <i>David Drozd, Research Coordinator, UNO Center for Public Affairs Research</i></p> <p>Identify the best data available from existing sources to support your health equity work</p>	<p>Tools and Processes for Effective Partnerships <i>Rebecca Ramsey and Jessica Chavez-Thompson, CityMatCH</i></p> <p>Ideas will be presented for building collaborative work around complex health challenges</p>	<p>Tobacco Use & Cancer Burden Influenced by Social Determinants <i>Keith A. Vensey, MBA, MPH, Geographic Health Equity Alliance, Dwana Calhoun, SelfMade Health Network</i></p> <p>Provide an overview of primary and secondary prevention approaches leading to chronic diseases, associated risk factors, and prevention strategies</p>



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12:00—1:10 Lunch
 12:15 **Nebraska Minority Public Health Association Awards**
 12:35 **“The Medicine Woman”** documentary highlights and discussion, *Christine Lesiak and Princella Redcorn, Producers*

1:10—1:20 Break and Exhibitors

1:20—2:25 Keynote
Technology, Culture and Health: Role of Historical Trauma and Omaha Culture, *Sudah Yehuda Shaheb, MD*, Consultant Endocrinologist to the Omaha and Winnebago Nations of Nebraska, Visiting Professor of Medical Anthropology.

2:30—3:20 Track Sessions

Practice Room—Diamond 1	Research Room—Diamond 2	Partnerships Room—Diamond 3	Community Health Work Room—Diamond 6
<p>Reducing Health Disparities through Minority Health Initiative Projects</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Health Solutions Indian Center, Inc. West Central District Health Department <p>Overview of three projects, their strategies and outcome targets for 2015-2017</p>	<p>Program Evaluation: Moving from Outputs to Outcomes <i>Jay Blackwell, HHS OMH Consultant</i></p> <p>Provide concrete examples of how to better plan, capture and report outcome information from program activities</p>	<p>Engage and Build Partnerships with Nebraska’s Federally Recognized Tribes <i>Mike Henry, Santee Sioux Nation of Nebraska Health Director</i> <i>Wehnona Stabler, Omaha Tribe of Nebraska CEO</i> <i>Larry Voegele, Ponca Tribe of Nebraska Health Director</i> <i>Mona Zuffante, Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska Health Director</i></p>	<p>Blood Pressure Measurement, Guidelines & Education <i>Danielle Wing, MPH, DHHS Chronic Disease Prevention and Control Program</i></p> <p>Learn about high blood pressure, risk factors, taking accurate measurements and how CHWs can help those at risk or already have it</p>

3:20—3:30 Break and Exhibitors

3:30—4:45 Plenary
 3:30 **How Community Health Workers Help Improve Health Outcomes in Nebraska, Video**
 3:45 **Keynote**
Applying Evidence in Practice: Products vs. Principles, *Dr. Paul Estabrooks, PhD*, Chair of UNMC Department of Health Promotion, Social and Behavioral Health. Focus on integrated research-practice partnership approaches to identify and adapt evidence-based principles into practical formats for clinical and community settings

4:40—5:00 Closing
 Josie Rodriguez, MS, Administrator, DHHS Office of Health Disparities and Health Equity

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