



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**

Janelle Ali-Dinar, PhD, Chairwoman, DHHS Statewide Minority Health Council
Josie Rodriguez, MS, Administrator, DHHS Office of Health Disparities and Health Equity

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
Social Determinants of Health—Place Matters Learning Collaborative <i>Jennifer Severe-Oforah and Jessica Seberger, DHHS Lifespan Health Services</i>	Responsive Research of Health Disparities in Rural Nebraska <i>Dr. Tim Nelson, Professor of Psychology, and Kim Matthews, Minority Health Disparities Initiative, UNL</i> Learn about the <i>Layhealth+</i> pilot study addressing pediatric obesity and Type 2 diabetes among Latinos in rural areas via telehealth	Collective Impact <i>Renee Claborne, Building Healthy Futures</i> Sharing lessons learned from implementing this best practice for effective partnerships	Blood Pressure Measurement, Guidelines & Education <i>Danielle Wing, MPH, DHHS Chronic Disease Prevention and Control Program</i> Learn about high blood pressure, risk factors, taking accurate measurements and how CHWs can help those at risk or already have it.

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

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State Partnership Initiative—Reducing Diabetes A1c Rates in Thurston County <i>DHHS Office of Health Disparities & Health Equity Omaha Tribe of Nebraska Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska</i>	Find and Understand Data Your Organization Needs <i>David Drozd, Research Coordinator, UNO Center for Public Affairs Research</i> Identify the best data available from existing sources to support your health equity work	Tools and Processes for Effective Partnerships <i>Rebecca Ramsey and Jessica Chavez-Thompson, CityMatCH</i> Staff will provide ideas for building collaborative work around complex health challenges	Learning Session <i>Dr. Sudah Shaheb and Michele Smith</i>



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12:00-1:15

Lunch

12:15

Nebraska Minority Public Health Association Awards

12:35

“The Medicine Woman” documentary highlights and discussion, *Christine Lesiak and Princella Redcorn, Producers*

2:30—3:20

Track Sessions

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<p>Reducing Health Disparities through Minority Health Initiative Projects Public Health Solutions and Blue Valley Community Action, Indian Center, Inc., and West Central District Health Department</p>	<p>Program Evaluation: Moving from Outputs to Outcomes <i>Jay Blackwell, Consultant</i> 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 Voegelé, Ponca Tribe of Nebraska Health Director</i> <i>Mona Zuffante, Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska Health Director</i></p>	<p>Tobacco Use & Cancer Burden Influenced by Social Determinants <i>Keith A. Vensey, Tobacco and Cancer, Dwana Calhoun, Self-Made Health Network</i> Provide a broad overview of primary and secondary prevention approaches leading to chronic diseases, associated risk factors, and prevention strategies</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

4:40—5:00

Closing

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