

Preliminary Draft Agenda

ASPR/CDC/NIEHS Hurricane Sandy Conference: Translating Research into Practice Monday August 10, 2015 – Tuesday August 11, 2015

Strategic Meeting Goals

1. Share research outcomes and products from the ASPR, CDC, and NIEHS awardees broadly with the impacted communities, other researchers, and public health policy and disaster preparedness thought leaders, policy makers and practitioners.
2. Continue to build a community of practice for “science preparedness” and resilience.
3. Identify a strategic path forward for translating research outcomes into practices that will transform ongoing recovery from Hurricane Sandy and future response and recovery efforts, including:
 - a. Enabling individuals and communities to effectively prepare for, withstand, and recover from a hurricane-related public health emergency
 - b. Identifying and implementing best practices in the public health system response to minimize morbidity and mortality among patients, including vulnerable populations
 - c. Developing and applying effective risk assessment and risk management tools to evaluate and mitigate health hazards and outcomes among response and recovery workers, volunteers, and homeowners following a disaster, including those related to mold exposure
 - d. Evaluating the effectiveness of participatory education and training materials and delivery methods on recovery worker performance and resilience, and developing best practices in worker safety training to improve training outcomes
4. Highlight the ASPR, CDC, and NIEHS Hurricane Sandy recovery science grants as a model for disaster research science preparedness to inform a National disaster research agenda.
5. Provide a platform through which the benefit of Hurricane Sandy recovery research can be demonstrated, and provide transparency and data sharing in support of U.S. Department of Health and Human Services public access initiatives.

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Monday August 10, 2015

Time	Event	Description
8:00AM - 9:00AM	Registration	
9:00AM - 9:30AM	Plenary	Opening remarks
9:30AM - 9:45AM	Break	Posters available for view
9:45AM - 11:00AM	Research Outcomes Discussions I	Concurrent sessions. Groups of grantees will work together to present research outcomes
11:00AM - 11:15AM	Break	Posters available for view
11:15AM - 12:15PM	ASPR Sandy Dataset	The use of "big data" and the ASPR Hurricane Sandy Dataset in recovery scientific research
12:15PM - 1:45PM	Lunch	
1:45PM - 3:00PM	Research Outcomes Discussions II	Concurrent sessions. Groups of grantees will work together to present research outcomes
3:00PM - 3:15PM	Break	Posters available for view
3:15PM - 4:30PM	Research Outcomes Panel Discussions III	Concurrent sessions. Groups of grantees will work together to present research outcomes
4:45PM - 5:15PM	Wrap Up	Significant take-aways from the day's platform discussions

Tuesday August 11, 2015

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8:00AM - 9:00AM	Registration	
9:00AM - 9:30AM	Plenary	Opening remarks
9:30AM - 9:45AM	Break	Posters available for view
9:45AM - 11:15AM	Community of Practice	Building a community of practice around science preparedness and disaster research
11:15AM - 12:30PM	Poster Session	ASPR/CDC/NIEHS grantees will present and discuss their posters
12:30PM - 2:00PM	Lunch	Ends Public Meeting
Closed Grantee Meeting		
2:00PM - 4:00PM	Dissemination of Research Results	In-depth, workshop-style discussion about effective dissemination of research results (for grantees and invited stakeholders). Grantees will be matched with appropriate CBO and other stakeholders to facilitate a discussion about how stakeholders receive and use information, and how grantees can effectively communicate.
4:00PM - 5:00PM	Program and Grants Officials Touch Base	ASPR/CDC/NIEHS grantees meet with ASPR, CDC, and NIEHS Program and Grants Office officials.