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Committee on
Progress Towards Human Health and Community Resilience
in the Gulf of Mexico Region

Public Information Gathering Session
Agenda

June 2, 2022
9a-4p CDT

Zoom Information:

https://nasem.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_eyPbD6qgR8iEWocWIws_7g

Meeting Objectives:

Gather information and hear perspectives from a diverse group of community leaders, healthcare providers, funders, and researchers on the current state and future needs for assessing progress towards human health and community resilience in the Gulf of Mexico Region

SESSION I Welcoming Remarks, Committee Task and Objectives of the Meeting

9:00 AM MAUREEN LICHTVELD, *Committee Chair*
Dean and Professor
University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health

SESSION II Healthcare Perspectives

09:15 AM Moderator:
RONAK PATEL, *Committee Member*
Director, Urbanization and Resilience Program, Harvard Humanitarian Initiative
Harvard Medical School

GARY WILTZ
CEO/Clinical CHO

Teche Action Clinics
(Virtual)

SESSION III Community Perspectives

10:00 AM JANE NGUYEN
Program Coordinator
Boat People SOS

LANOR CUROLE
Director/Administrator
United Houma Nation

ALISON HARE
Chief, Office of Public Health Preparedness and Response
Harris County Public Health
(Virtual)

11:00 AM *BREAK*

SESSION IV State and Local Emergency Preparedness and Public Health

11:15 AM Moderator:
RICHARD BERMAN, *Committee Member*
Associate Vice President, Strategic Initiatives
University of South Florida

Session IV-A LOCAL EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESILIENCE PERSPECTIVES

RAMSEY GREEN
Former Deputy Chief Administrative Officer for Infrastructure/Chief
Resilience Officer
City of New Orleans

COLLIN ARNOLD
Director
New Orleans Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness

TIFFANY DELCOUR
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER
NEW ORLEANS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

12:00 PM *LUNCH*

Session IV-B STATE AND LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH PERSPECTIVES

1:00 PM

JOSEPH KANTER
State Health Officer and Medical Director
Louisiana Department of Health

SUNDEE WINDER
Executive Director
Bureau of Community Preparedness
Louisiana Department of Health

JENNIFER AVEGNO
Director
New Orleans Health Department

KEITH WINFREY
Chief Medical Officer
New Orleans East Louisiana Community Health Center

SESSION V Funding Agency Perspectives

1:45 PM

DIANA HAMER
Director, Emergency Preparedness, Response and Recovery
National Network of Public Health Institutes

TROY PIERCE
Chief Scientist, Gulf of Mexico Division
Environmental Protection Agency

OTHER FUNDING AGENCY REPS TBD

2:45 PM

BREAK

SESSION VI Academic Research Perspectives

3:00 PM

STEPHEN MURPHY
Assistant Professor
Tulane University School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine

MARLA NELSON
Freeport Professor in Urban and Public Affairs
University of New Orleans

DANIEL PETROLIA
Professor
Mississippi State University

LADON SWANN
Director, Mississippi-Alabama Sea Grant Consortium

CLOSING REMARKS

3:50 PM

MAUREEN LICHTVELD, *Committee Chair*
Dean and Professor
University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health