

Advancing Equity in Diagnostic Excellence to Reduce Health Disparities: A Workshop



DAY 1: MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2024-NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES, LECTURE ROOM

8:00 AM BREAKFAST—East Court

8:30 AM Welcome and Opening Remarks Kathryn McDonald, Johns Hopkins University Planning Committee Chair and Forum Member, Advancing Diagnostic Excellence

> Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality Priorities Karen Cosby, AHRQ

9:15 AM Session 1: Considering the Heterogeneity of Patient, Caregiver, and Community Perspectives in Diagnostic Equity

Moderator: Yamilé Molina, University of Illinois at Chicago

Patient, Caregiver, and Community Perspectives:

- Candace Henley, The Blue Hat Foundation
- Yadira Montoya, National Alliance for Caregiving
- Guillermo Chacón, Latino Commission on AIDS

Panel Discussion/Audience Q&A

10:15 AM Session 2: Considering Diagnostic Disparities Across Clinical Conditions

Moderator: Lakshmi Krishnan, Georgetown University

Mitigating Diagnostic Delays in Breast and Colorectal Cancer Deeonna Farr, East Carolina University

Reducing Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Mental Health Disorders Cristiane Duarte, Columbia University

Examining Diagnostic Disparities in Cardiovascular Disease Sadiya Khan, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine

Panel Discussion/Audience Q&A

11:15 AM BREAK	AM BREAK	ĺ.
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11:30 AM Session 3: Examining Factors that Contribute to Diagnostic Inequities Among Populations at Higher Risk

Moderators: Yvette Calderon, Icahn School of Medicine Steven Cohen, University of Rhode Island

Systemic Barriers to Optimal Health in Indigenous Communities Jason Deen, University of Washington [Virtual]

Examining Factors That Contribute to Diagnostic Inequities Among Black Pregnant Women Veronica Gillispie-Bell, Louisiana Department of Health

Examining Health Inequities Among Sexual and Gender Minority Older Adults Karen Fredriksen-Goldsen, University of Washington [Virtual]

Panel Discussion/Audience Q&A

12:30 PM LUNCH BREAK—NAS East Court

1:30 PM Session 4: Identifying Structural Barriers to Accessing Equitable High-Quality Diagnosis Moderators: Ronald Wyatt, Achieving Healthcare Equity LLC

> Accessing Equitable High-Quality Diagnosis in Rural Areas Elizabeth Crouch, University of South Carolina [Virtual]

The Role of Language Proficiency in Accessing Equitable Diagnosis in Perioperative Settings

Cecilia Canales, University of California, Los Angeles [Virtual]

Panel Discussion/Audience Q&A

2:30 PM Session 5: Leveraging Technological and Diagnostic Innovations to Improve Access and Mitigate Diagnostic Disparities Moderator: Kristen Miller, MedStar Health

> Strategies to Improve Digital Literacy and Internet Access to Advance Diagnostic Equity Amy Sheon, Public Health Innovators, LLC

Using Ocular Telehealth to Promote Diagnostic Equity in Rural Communities Akshar Abbott, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs

Leveraging Patient Remote Monitoring to Improve Access and Reduce Diagnostic Disparities Devin Mann, New York University Langone Health Panel Discussion/Audience Q&A

3:45 PM Workshop Closing Remarks

Kathryn McDonald, Johns Hopkins University Planning Committee Chair and Forum Member, Advancing Diagnostic Excellence

4:00 PM MEETING ADJOURNS

DAY 2: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2024—NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES, MEMBERS ROOM

- 8:00 AM BREAKFAST—West Court
- 8:30 AM Welcome and Opening Remarks Kathryn McDonald, Johns Hopkins University Planning Committee Chair and Forum Member, Advancing Diagnostic Excellence

Advancing Diagnostic Equity Urmimala Sarkar, University of California, San Francisco

9:00 AM Session 6: Patient and Community-Centered Approaches to Advancing Equity in Diagnostic Excellence and Reducing Health Disparities Moderator: Linda Geng, Stanford University School of Medicine

Strengthening Community Collaboration to Reduce Health Disparities and Advance Equity Anita Chopra, University of Washington School of Medicine

Patient-Centered Methods to Advance Diagnostic Safety Traber Davis Giardina, Baylor College of Medicine

Leveraging the Patient Narrative to Reduce Health Disparities and Advance Diagnostic Equity

Rachel Grob, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Panel Discussion/Audience Q&A

10:00 AM Session 7: Opportunities for Clinicians, Researchers, and Educators to Improve Diagnostic Equity

Moderator: Cristina Gonzalez, New York University Grossman School of Medicine

Improving Access, Diversity, and Inclusion in Clinical Trials to Advance Diagnostic Equity Marvella Elizabeth Ford, Medical University of South Carolina

Integrating an Anti-Oppressive Lens in Clinician Education and Training to Improve Diagnostic Reasoning

Denise Connor, University of California, San Francisco

Improving the Clinician, Health Care Worker, and Researcher Diversity Pathway Susana Morales, Weill Cornell Medical College

Panel Discussion/Audience Q&A

11:00 AM BREAK

11:15 AM Session 8: A Vision for the Future of Advancing Equity in Diagnostic Excellence Moderator: Kathryn McDonald, Johns Hopkins University

Panelists:

- Colonel Steven Coffee, Patients for Patient Safety US
- Helen Burstin, Council of Medical Specialty Societies
- Larissa Avilés-Santa, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities
- Aaron Carroll, AcademyHealth
- Meghan Lane-Fall, University of Pennsylvania

Panel Discussion/Audience Q&A

12:25 PM Workshop Closing Remarks Kathryn McDonald, Johns Hopkins University Planning Committee Chair and Forum Member, Advancing Diagnostic Excellence

12:30 PM MEETING ADJOURNS

Lunch provided in the West Court