

2002

Public Health Milestones and Future Challenges

July 9-10, 2002
Holiday Inn City Centre
Chicago, Illinois

“Celebrating 125 Years of Public Health in Illinois”



Co-sponsored by
Illinois Department of Public Health
Illinois State Medical Society

In conjunction with
Illinois Nurses Association
Illinois Public Health Association
University of Illinois at Chicago School of Public Health

This symposium is designed for physicians, nurses, allied health personnel, state and local health department staff and other individuals involved in public health and medicine. It will provide attendees with an outline of emerging public health issues that will affect the health care delivery system, with an emphasis on the important relationships between medicine and public health.

Learning Objectives

At the conclusion of this course, the participant should be able to complete the following:

- Describe the progress of Illinois public health over the last 125 years and describe the Department's role.
- Define the scope of health inequality and discuss promising directions toward the elimination of racial and ethnic health disparities.
- Identify cultural, organizational and financial factors that affect minority health care delivery and compliance.
- Identify information management strategies and technology for public health professionals that will promote more effective use of information.
- Describe public health informatics and its evolution, current applications and research issues.
- Identify changes in public health since 1988 and describe social determinants of health for the 21st century.
- Discuss Institute of Medicine recommendations on assuring health in the 21st century.
- Discuss critical elements for a modern public health network including greater commitment to leadership and communication, disease and environmental tracking, and capacity to take action.
- Explain the role of public health agencies in responding to biological/chemical attacks.
- Better describe and classify biological and chemical agents.
- Examine why advances in biology and the spread of germ weapon expertise to such countries as Iran, Iraq and North Korea could make germs the ultimate weapon of the 21st century.

Accreditation

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the essential ap eas and Policies of the Illinois State Medical Society (ISMS) through the joint sponsorship of ISMS and the Illinois Department of Public Health. The Illinois State Medical Society is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Credit

The Illinois State Medical Society designates this continuing medical education activity for a maximum of 6.75 hours in category 1 credit towards the Physician's Recognition Award of the American Medical Association. Each physician should claim only those hours that he/she actually spent in the education activity.



AGENDA

TUESDAY, JULY 9, 2002

- 9 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 9:30 a.m. - 10 a.m. **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
Hugh Parry, Chairman
Public Health Futures Illinois
John Schneider, M.D., M.P.H., President
Illinois State Medical Society
James L. McGee, M.D., Chairman
Illinois State Board of Health
- 10 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. **State of Illinois' Health - 125 Years Later**
John R. Lumpkin, M.D., M.P.H., Director
Illinois Department of Public Health
- 10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. **Break**
- 10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. **Race Ethnicity and Health Disparities**
Mohammad Akhter, M.D., M.P.H.,
Executive Director
American Public Health Association
- 11:45 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. **Luncheon**
U.S. Senator Dick Durbin (invited)
- 1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. **Public Health Information Technology**
State of the Art Health Informatics
Edward H. Shortliffe, Ph.D., M.D.
Columbia University,
Department of Medical Informatics
- 2:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. **Break**
- 2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. **We the People: Assuring the Health of the Public in
the 21st Century**
Kaye Bender, Ph.D., R.N., F.A.A.N.,
Deputy State Health Officer
Mississippi State Department of Health
- 3:45 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. **Critical Elements for a Modern Public Health Network**
Lowell Weicker, President
Trust for America's Health
- 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. **Reception - La Salle Ballroom**

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 2002

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

Strengthening the Public Health System to Protect Our Nation

Georges Benjamin, M.D., Secretary

Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
President, Association of State and Territorial
Health Officials

10 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

Break

10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

“Germs: Biological Weapons and America’s Secret War”

Judith Miller, Author/Senior Writer

New York Times

11:30 a.m.

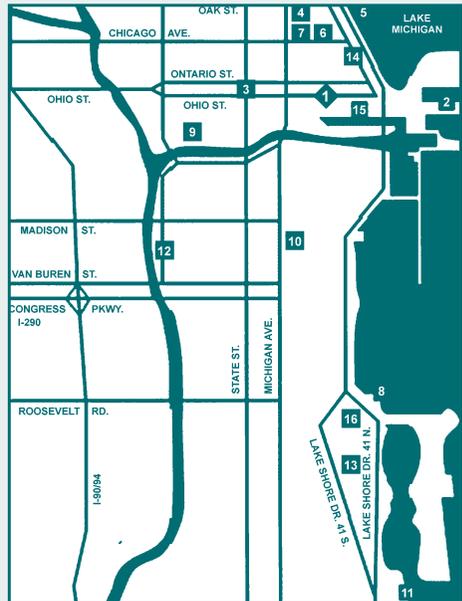
Book signing with Judith Miller

Closing

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Guestrooms are available for symposium attendees at the Holiday Inn City Centre at a group rate of \$130 (single or double) for the nights of July 8 and 9. You may call the hotel directly at 312-787-6100. Reservations should be made no later than June 21, 2002, to guarantee this rate. When making a reservation, please identify yourself as being with Public Health Milestones and Future Challenges symposium.

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300 E. Ohio St.
Chicago, IL 60611



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| 1 Holiday Inn | 9 Merchandise Mart |
| 2 Chicago City Centre | 10 Art Institute |
| 3 Navy Pier | 11 McCormick Place |
| 4 Disney Quest | 12 Sears Tower |
| 5 Hancock Building | 13 Soldier Field |
| 6 Oak Street Beach | 14 Northwestern University |
| 7 Museum of Contemporary Art | and Medical Center |
| 8 Water Tower Place | 15 North Pier |
| 9 Shed Aquarium | 16 Field Museum |

FACULTY

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“2002 Public Health Milestones and Future Challenges” Registration Form

Type or print clearly. Name and organization as printed will appear on name tag.

Name _____

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Address _____

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Telephone _____ Fax _____

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The \$150 registration fee includes meals and the Tuesday evening reception.

Method of payment

Check/Money order (Check # _____)

Purchase order (P.O. # _____)

State voucher

Make checks payable to Illinois Public Health Association.

Please return this completed form with your remittance by Friday, June 28, 2002, to –

Illinois Public Health Association
223 S. Third St.
Springfield, IL 62701

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Special needs

Vegetarian meals

Interpreter

Other (Please specify.) _____

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