

TUESDAY, May 25

Nurse Category Day Agenda

Room: TBD

7:45 am - 8:00 am **Welcome and Introductory Remarks**

8:00 am - 9:00 am **Building healthier communities**

RADM James M. Galloway, MD, FACP, FACC- USPHS, Region V Health Administrator

This keynote address will offer an overview of a social and ecological model focused on urban wellness initiatives.

At the end of the session, participants will be able to:

1. Describe the components of a model urban wellness initiative.
2. Identify the roles of federal agencies and federal individuals in this effort.
3. Describe the importance of developing a business perspective regarding community wellness initiatives, particularly related to sustainability and community development.

9:00 am - 10:00 am **Nursing leaders: Emerging roles and future challenges**

The presenters will examine the evolving roles of public health nurses and the challenges facing the profession in the years ahead.

Emerging roles working with prisoners

Diane Hatton, DNSc, RN - Associate Director for Research, School of Nursing, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA

The presentation will look at the complex health problems of prisoners, especially women, which have are largely hidden from nursing leaders, other health professionals, and health policy makers. The purpose of this presentation is to analyze these complex health problems, discuss their implications for nursing leaders, and describe strategies to improve the health of this vulnerable population. The presenter will look at how imprisonment severely affects the health and well-being of individuals both during and after incarceration. The session also will examine how incarceration complicates the health disparities prisoners already experience because of gender, race, and class. Using women prisoners as an example, the presenter will address how researchers organized an international group of leaders--advocates, criminologists, feminists, former prisoners, nurses,

physicians, public health professionals, social workers, and sociologists to promote awareness about this problem. The session will conclude with recommendations for nursing leadership actions aimed at improving the health and lives of women prisoners, their families, and the public health of their communities.

At the end of the session, participants will be able to:

1. Analyze the health problems of prisoners, especially women prisoners.
2. Describe the implications of these health problems for nursing leaders.
3. Describe strategies to improve the health of this vulnerable population.

Leadership and career development in a changing healthcare landscape

Michael Gates, PhD, RN - Assistant Professor, School of Nursing, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA;

The speaker will look at the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Initiative on the Future of Nursing. This initiative seeks to identify the vital roles for nurses in designing and implementing a more effective and efficient health care system including:

- Re-conceptualizing the role of nurses within an ever changing healthcare environment;
- Expanding nursing faculty and increasing the capacity of nursing schools to meet current and future health care demands; and
- Attracting and retaining prepared nurses in multiple care settings, including acute, ambulatory, primary care, long term care, community and public health.

Building on the issues outlined by the Initiative on the Future of Nursing, this presentation will discuss the strategies for involvement and challenges faced by the nursing profession as it takes a leadership role in shaping health care and workforce policies aimed at improving the health of individuals, families, groups, and communities.

At the end of the session, participants will be able to:

1. Compare and contrast the roles of today's nurse with nursing roles in the past.
2. Identify strategies for positioning nursing in the future in response to projected nurse, physician, and allied health worker shortages.

3. Identify challenges nursing may face in shaping health care policy.

Challenges in Nursing Education Leadership

Catherine Todero, PhD, RN - Director and Professor, San Diego State University, San Diego, CA

The speaker will discuss how Deans and Directors in Schools of Nursing face many issues and challenges in preparing the next generation of nursing professionals. The presentation will highlight the long-range, as well as day-to-day issues, facing administrators of nursing educational institutions.

At the end of the session, participants will be able to:

1. Describe current and future challenges facing leaders in nursing education.
2. Identify strategies for mitigating issues and challenges in nursing education.
3. Identify ideas for the future of educational programs in nursing.

10:00 am - 10:15 am **BREAK**

10:15 am - 11:45 am **Nursing Research: Addressing workforce diversity needs for 2010 and beyond**

1. Dr. Debra Toney, PhD, RN, President of the National Black Nurses Association
2. Dr. Gwenyth Wallen, PhD, RN, Chief of the Research and Practice Development Service at the National Institutes of Health, Clinical Center
Dr. John Lowe, PhD, RN, Associate Professor, College of Nursing, Florida International University, Miami, FL
4. CAPT Victoria Anderson, MSN, CRNP, Director Clinical Services Laboratory of Clinical Infectious Diseases at the National Institutes of Health

The panel of speakers will review existing research on the impact of workforce diversity on the nursing profession. Topics to be covered will include how grassroots communities, such as Native American tribal communities, are experiencing health disparities that have historical grounding; community based research being conducted in the African American Community; and the evolving role of clinical research as it relates to workforce diversity.

At the end of the session, participants will be able to:

1. Identify opportunities to conduct community based nursing research in the African American Community.
2. Describe how clinical research and translational science contribute to improve nursing practice.

3. Identify opportunities for nurses in the Indian Health Service to meet the needs of underserved populations in their communities.

11:45 am - 12:30 pm **BREAK**

12:30 pm - 2:00 pm **LUNCHEON**

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm **Health Care Policy: Nursing's Role in Eliminating Health Care Disparities**

Mary Wakefield, PhD, RN –Administrator for Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)

This keynote address will detail the critical role of nurses in developing health care policy aimed at eliminating health care disparities.

At the end of the session, participants will be able to:

1. Describe nursing's role in health care policy development and in eliminating healthcare disparities.
2. Identify the new underserved populations as well as where they live.
3. Describe the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead.

3:00 pm - 3:15 pm **BREAK**

3:15 pm - 4:45 pm **New paradigms in nursing: Alternative/complimentary modalities in health care**

1. CDR Colleen O. Lee, USPHS, RN, MS, AOCN - Office of Cancer Complementary and Alternative Medicine, National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health
2. Dr. Linda L. Halcon, PhD, MPH, RN - Director of Graduate Studies, School of Nursing, University of Minnesota
3. Dr. Josephine P. Briggs, MD – Director of National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine (NCCAM), National Institutes of Health

The presenters will introduce and strengthen the audiences' understanding of the potential benefits of Complementary and Alternative Medicine (CAM) modalities.

At the end of the session, participants will be able to:

1. Describe the current patterns of use of complementary and alternative medicine in the U.S.
2. Define the main indications and safety concerns with complementary and alternative modality use.

3. Describe integrative oncology and discuss research perspectives and trends.
4. Describe the incorporation of CAM into university-based nursing education.
5. Identify proven CAM therapies and their integration approaches

4:45 pm - 5:15 pm **Closing Remarks**