



National Public Health Week 2023 April 3-9, 2023 Centering and Celebrating Cultures in Health

- Monday – April 3, 2023 - Communities
 - 11:30am – 12:30pm MPHA HRE Training Webinar – “Ensuring Inclusive Communities”
One of the enticing features of ordering in food is the associated ease. You are not chopping up onions with tears streaming down your face. You are not battling with the heat and silently begging the fire alarm to hold its peace. And you are not anxious about the aftermath of eating... dishes. All you must do is wait for the message that says, “your delivery has arrived.” Join The Health and Racial Equity Committee’s kick-off event introducing the virtual training series while diving into small steps to incorporate equity in our daily lives. <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85942920942?pwd=aSsyUTBXNUJGU2JpVjczRStvNkF4Zz09>
 - 1pm – 2:30pm Kickoff Forum – APHA Sponsored Event: A conversation about the intersections of public health and how public health professionals can collaborate with and learn from community leaders to build trust and a strong foundation for health equity. To register, visit <https://www.pathlms.com/health/courses/51311/links/35032>.
- Tuesday, April 4, 2023 – Firearm Safety
 - 11:30am – 12:30pm “Strategies to Address Firearm Safety in Mississippi” Dr. Lei Zhang, Associate Dean for Research & Scholarship, School of Nursing, University of Mississippi Medical Center will discuss the scope of the problem of firearm mortality in the US and in MS; the relationship between firearm mortality and the prevalence of interpersonal violence in the state and how the UMMC plans to collect information during the federal grant cycles to drive the development of strategies for change.
Access the webinar at this link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87173144546?pwd=NERodVooS1dFN3hFSnFXbzBKQopqZz09>; Meeting ID: 871 7314 4546; Passcode: 555374
 - 12pm – 3pm (Students) Speed Mentoring – APHA Sponsored Event: Need your resume/cover letter reviewed, advice on shifting jobs mid-career or tips on writing policy? Students and early career professionals are encouraged to join us for 20-minute mentoring sessions with APHA’s brightest mentors. To register, visit <https://www.pathlms.com/health/courses/51311/links/35091>.

- 4:30pm – 5:30pm (Students) Early-Career Professionals Panel APHA Sponsored Event: Hear early-career professionals talk about navigating the transition from public health
- student to public health professional and what they have learned along the way. To register, visit <https://www.pathlms.com/health/courses/51311/webinars/34540>.
- Wednesday, April 5, 2023 – Reproductive Health
 - 9:15am – 2:15pm Annual Public Health Symposium: Public Health in Mississippi, 2023
 - The University of Southern Mississippi, Asbury Hall, 3215 Montague Blvd., Hattiesburg, Room 124, FREE (see attached flyer)
 - 1pm – 2pm NPHW Twitter Chat – APHA Sponsored Event: It's the biggest public health conversation of the year! Join us for an hour of collaboration and conversation with hundreds of public health organizations and leaders.
 - 10am – 2pm Farmer's Market from 10am-2pm at (MSDH Only) Central Office
- Thursday, April 6, 2023 – Mental Health
 - 12pm – 1pm, 2pm – 3pm, 4pm – 5pm Public Health Workforce Day: CE Webinars – APHA Sponsored Event: APHA will be offering free continuing education credit webinars to support your growth in the field. Webinars will cover cultural humility, HIV prevention and mental health. To register, visit <https://www.pathlms.com/health/courses/51311>.
- Friday, April 7, 2023– Food and Nutrition
 - 9am – 10am F. E Thompson, Jr, MD, MPH, Memorial Public Health Walk – MSDH Central Campus Courtyard
 - 10:30am – 2pm Food trucks (MSDH Only)