



NATIONAL PUBLIC HEALTH WEEK 2025 CLIMATE ACTION STARTS HERE: CHAMPIONING RESILIENCE FOR HEALTH TUESDAY, April 8 EVENTS

- **11:00am - 12:00pm – IT STARTS HERE: YOUR HEALTH IS OUR MISSION—THE RURAL PERSPECTIVE**

A virtual facilitated discussion webinar featuring a panel co-hosted by APHA, MPHA, NMPHA, and APHA Intersectional Council's Rural Health Topical Group.

Moderator- Dr. Carrie Shaver, APHA Health Administration Section, NMPHA, National Rural Health Association & NMRHA

Panelists:

Zil Joyce Dixon Romero, representing the National Rural Health Association

Liza Rantz, Executive Director of the Hilo Medical Center Foundation and past President of the Hawaii State Rural Health Association

Sonja Fuqua, Chief Clinical Services Officer and Patient-Centered Medical Home Content Expert for the Community Health Center Association of Mississippi

Follow this link for the webinar:

https://apha.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_JImZB9Z9SteEk6ToYV0dsw

- **4:00pm - 5:15pm – CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE AGING POPULATION**

A virtual webinar with Gerri A. Cannon-Smith, MD MPH, FAAP, Innovative Health Strategies "Creating Healthier Futures With You" and Melinda G. Todd, DrPH, MPH, MCHES®, CPM, Associate Director for Research, Mississippi Urban Research Center, Jackson State University. This webinar will feature the effects of the changing climate on the aging population.

Registration is free at this link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/GpT5cvSGRJuwrl6tToHcRw>