



Reproductive Health and the Environment in Los Angeles County Communities, Science, and Policy

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Conference Agenda

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| 8:00 – 9:00 AM | Registration, Morning Networking, Breakfast & Visiting Display Tables |
| 9:00 – 9:10 AM | Welcome
Janet Pregler, MD
<i>Director</i>
<i>Iris Cantor – UCLA Women's Health Center</i> |
| 9:10 – 9:15 AM | Introduction of Speaker
Ellen Eidem, MS
<i>Director, Office of Women's Health</i>
<i>Los Angeles County Department of Public Health</i> |
| 9:15 – 10:15 AM | Environmental Justice & Reproductive Health: Public Health Priorities in LA County
Cynthia Harding, MPH
<i>Chief Deputy Director</i>
<i>Los Angeles County Department of Public Health</i> |

10:15 – 10:30 AM Break

10:30 – 11:45 AM Workshops

Air Workshop (Yosemite Room)

Moderator: Nancy Halpern Ibrahim, MPH
Executive Director
Esperanza Community Housing Corporation

Panelists: Trish Koman, MPP, PhD
Environmental Epidemiologist
Senior Project Manager
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

Angelo Logan
Policy Director, Moving Forward Network
Urban & Environmental Policy Institute
Occidental College

Darryl Molina Sarmiento
Executive Director
Communities for a Better Environment

Bhavna Shamasunder, PhD, MES
Assistant Professor, Urban and Environmental Policy
Occidental College

Soil Workshop (Mojave Room)

Moderator: Rita Singhal, MD, MPH
Medical Director, Office of Women's Health
Los Angeles County Department of Public Health

Panelists: Cindy Donis
Community Organizer
East Yard Communities for Environmental Justice

Jill Johnston, PhD
Assistant Professor, Preventive Medicine
Director of Community Outreach, Environmental Health
University of Southern California

Ana Mascareñas, MPH
Assistant Director, Environmental Justice
California Department for Toxic Substances Control

Monika Shankar, MA
Director, Health & Environment Programs
Physicians for Social Responsibility - Los Angeles

Water Workshop (Redwood Room)

Moderator: Wendy Ramallo, Esq.
Executive Director
Council for Watershed Health

Panelists: Felicia Federico, DEnv
Executive Director
California Center for Sustainable Communities
UCLA Institute of the Environment and Sustainability

Yvette Lopez-Ledesma, MPA
Deputy Director
Pacoima Beautiful

Yvette Martinez
Vice President, Imprenta Communications Group
Director, Our Water LA

11:45 – 12:15 PM Lunch Buffet (Yosemite Courtyard)

**12:15 – 1:30 PM Luncheon Panel: Priorities for the Future of LA County:
Air, Water, and Soil** (Yosemite Room)

Moderator: Martha Dina Argüello
Executive Director
Physicians for Social Responsibility – Los Angeles

Panelists: Angelo J. Bellomo, REHS, QEP
Deputy Director for Health Protection
Los Angeles County Department of Public Health

Linda G. Blount, MPH
President, CEO
Black Women's Health Imperative

Gisele Fong, PhD
Long Beach Program Manager
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Angelica Hernandez, MS
District Representative
California State Senator Dr. Ed Hernandez, OD

Trish Koman, MPP, PhD
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Director, Common Agenda
Liberty Hill Foundation

Suely Saro, EdD
Field Representative
California State Senator Ricardo Lara