



2nd Annual Conference of the South Carolina Public Health Preparedness Student Corps (SCPHPSC)

April 1, 2023, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
The Madren Conference Center
230 Madren Center Dr.
Clemson, SC 29634

The Emergency Preparedness Workforce: Opportunities and Possibilities

Purpose: Highlight local and global public health events that reflect the potential for optimal emergency preparedness and management.

Objectives (at the end of this session, participants should be able to):

1. Compare and contrast local and federal efforts that support the public health workforce during the Covid-19 pandemic and beyond.
2. Summarize the implications of health equity as related to emergency management and response.

Target Group: Undergraduate college students enrolled in year two of the SCPHPSC

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE:

10:00 a.m.	Greeting: Shirley Timmons: Professor-Clemson University (CU), School of Nursing (SON) Welcome: James Clyburn: Congressman (D-SC 6 th District) Robert Jones: CU Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs L. Brannon Traxler: South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (SC DHEC) - Director of Public Health
10:15 a.m.	Topic: SC Communities -- Addressing the Covid-19 Pandemic Through Innovation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kandi Fredere: SC DHEC - Upstate Region Health Director • Karen Fradua: SC DHEC - Community Partnership Coordinator
10:45 a.m.	Introduction of Keynote Speaker: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arnold Alier Martinez, Director, Bureau of Public Health Preparedness, SC DHEC
10:50 a.m.	Topic: Reflections -- Community-based Emergency Preparedness Outcomes in the US <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deborah Kramer, Deputy Assistant Secretary and Director, Office of Preparedness, Administration for Strategic Preparedness and Response, US DHHS
11:30 a.m.	STRETCH BREAK
11:45 a.m.	Topic: Why Health Equity? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shirley Timmons
12:00 p.m.	Q&A POD Exercise: Overview/Instructions/Interviews <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fredanna McGough, Professor, Health Sciences/Department and Chair, Coastal Carolina University
12:15 p.m.	Lunch
1:30 p.m.	Toward Emergency Preparedness <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SCPHPSC Students' Video Presentation
1:55 p.m.	Closing Remarks/Evaluation/Word Cloud <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Janice Lanham, Principal Lecturer - CU SON
2:00 p.m.	Adjourn

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