



COVID, Climate Change, & Preparedness: Lessons Learned

Friday, November 18th, 8:00am - 5:15pm

Location: ENR2, Room S107 (Ground Floor, SW Corner)

University of Arizona

1064 E Lowell St., Tucson, Arizona

AGENDA

- 8:00am - 8:45am **Registration, Coffee & Pastries/Fruit, Informal Conversations**
- 8:45am - 9:15am **Welcome, Introductions, & Overview of Workshop Goals**
- 9:15am - 9:45am **Keynote Speakers and Discussion: *Intersecting Crises: Reflections & Synergies* –**
Dr. Aparna Bole, Office of Climate Change and Health Equity, US
Department of Health and Human Services (virtual)
Julie Trtanj, Climate and Heat Health Lead, NOAA Climate Program Office
- 9:45am - 10:40am **Panel I: Policy Perspectives & Implications – Preparedness Lessons from the Public Health & Health Care Trenches**
Panel Facilitator: Kacey Ernst
Panelists: Brianna Rooney (AzCHER), Brian Drummond (Banner Health),
Bob England (Maricopa County)
- 10:40am - 10:55am **Break**
- 10:55am - 11:50am **Breakout Session I**
- 11:50am - 12:35pm **Working Lunch (provided)**
Dr. Richard Carmona, University of Arizona
Erica White, Network of Public Health Law
- 12:35pm - 1:30pm **Panel II: Communities, Inequities, & Engagement – Moving Beyond Recognizing Inequities**
Panelists: Stephanie Innes (AZ Republic), Floribella Rodondo (Arizona
Community Health Workers Association), Agnes Attakai (MEZCOPH),
Elizabeth Hall-Elipsey (College of Pharmacy)
- 1:30pm - 1:40pm **Transition to breakout rooms**
- 1:40pm - 2:35pm **Breakout Session II:**

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2:35pm - **Break**
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2:50pm - **Panel III: Solutions & Innovations for Preparedness & Response –**
3:45pm **Enhancing Community Capacity to Deal with Extreme Weather Events**
Panelists: Hsini Lin (ADHS), Jackie Day (Physicians for Social Responsibility), Timothy Thomure (Tucson City Mayor’s Office), Lisa Lewis (Arizona Library Association)

3:45pm - **Group Report Outs, Emerging Ideas for Proposals & Next Steps**
4:15pm
4:15pm - **Keynote Speakers and Discussion: *Thriving as well as Surviving***
5:00pm Francisco Garcia, Deputy County Administrator and Chief Medical Officer of Pima County
Matthew C. Johns, Commander of United States Public Health Service, Regional Health Administrator - Region IX

5:15pm - No-host Reception, Gentle Ben’s
6:30pm

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