



Michigan Epidemiology Conference 2005

Presented by:
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General Session – Dow Auditorium		
8:00 AM	Registration	<i>Continental Breakfast</i>
8:45 AM	Welcome	Richard Renas, MPH <i>Chair, MPHA Epidemiology Section</i>
9:00 AM	<u>Keynote Address:</u> The University of Michigan Dioxin Exposure Study	David H. Garabrant, MD, MPH, MS, FACOEM, FACPM <i>University of Michigan School of Public Health</i>
9:45 AM	Panel Discussion of the University of Michigan Dioxin Exposure Study	James Collins, PhD <i>The Dow Chemical Company</i> Kenneth Rosenman, MD, FACP, FACE <i>Michigan State University, Department of Medicine</i> Jay Fiedler, MS <i>Michigan Department of Community Health</i>
10:15 AM	Break / Poster Session I	<i>Refreshments Served</i>
10:45 AM	The Intersection of Human and Animal Health and Epidemiology Challenges Posed by Human and Avian Influenza Viruses	John B. Kaneene, DVM, MPH, PhD, FAES <i>Professor of Epidemiology and Director of the Population Medicine Center Michigan State University</i> Arnold S. Monto, MD <i>Director, University of Michigan Bioterrorism Preparedness Initiative</i>
12:00 PM	<u>Lunch – (on your own except for MAPPP and MPHA Epidemiology Section Members)</u> MAPPP Business Meeting – Classroom 2314 MPHA Epidemiology Section Business Meeting – Dining Room	
1:30 PM	<u>Session 1 – Dow Auditorium</u>	<u>Session 2 – Sheldon Auditorium</u>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Associations Between Climate and Influenza-related Mortality Patterns Among U.S. Elderly, 1968-1998. <i>Sharon Greene, MPH</i> Lymphocytic Choriomeningitis in Michigan: Patient and Ecologic Investigations. <i>Erik Foster, MS</i> Disparities by Race and Sex in the Hospitalization of HIV-infected Persons, Detroit, 1990-2003. <i>Linda Wotring, PhD, MPH</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Asthma Deaths Among Individuals Aged 2-34 in Michigan. <i>Kenneth Rosenman, MD</i> Use of Anti-inflammatory Medications and Emergency Department Reliance Among Children with Asthma. <i>Kevin Dombkowski, MS, DrPH</i> Asthma Care and Management Prior to an Emergency Department Visit for Asthma in Children in West Michigan: How Well Does Prior Care Adhere to Guidelines? <i>Mat Reeves DVM, PhD</i>

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2:30 PM	Break / Poster Session II		<i>Refreshments Served</i>
3:00 PM	<u>Session 3 – Dow Auditorium</u>	<u>Session 4 – Sheldon Auditorium</u>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) Surveillance, Michigan, 1993-2002. <i>Albert Bonnema, MD, MPH</i> • Shigella Outbreak – An Overview of Public Health Interventions, Ingham County, Michigan, Fall 2004. <i>Ruby Rodgers, RN, BSN</i> • The Healthwatch Program: Webhosting at the Michigan Department of Community Health. <i>Holly Wethington, MS</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The State of Michigan’s Approach to the Elimination of Health Disparities and the Epidemiologist’s Role in Achieving this Goal. <i>Shannon Zackery, MPH</i> • Got Hurricanes? Michigan’s Public Health Response to Florida’s Little Wind and Water Problem. <i>Jennifer Beggs, MPH</i> • Developing an Academic Health Department in Michigan. <i>JoLynn Montgomery, MPH, PhD</i> 	
<p>Session 5 – Classroom 2314 “Careers in Epidemiology”</p>			
<p><u>Hospital Infection Control</u> <i>Lisa Sturm, MPH, CIC</i></p>		<p><u>Local Government</u> <i>Brian Hartl, MPH</i></p>	
<p><u>International</u> <i>Rick Renas, MPH</i></p>		<p><u>State Government</u> <i>Sarah Lyon-Callo, MA, MS</i></p>	
<p><u>Private Sector</u> <i>Karen Chilcott, MPH</i></p>			