



Michigan Public Health Association,



Affiliate of the



American Public Health Association

For science. For action. For health.



- Since 1921, the Michigan Public Health Association (MPHA) has proudly served as a state affiliate of the American Public Health Association, standing as one of Michigan's leading professional organizations committed to promoting and protecting the health and environment of all residents.
- For more than a century, MPHA has advanced public health through advocacy, public education, professional development, and by bridging the gap between research and practice to create healthier communities across the state.

What is MPHA?

- MPHA is an interdisciplinary society of health professionals and other citizens who are concerned about problems and issues affecting public health in Michigan.
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- Mission: We strengthen public health professionals, engage stakeholders, and influence policy so every Michigan community can flourish.

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MPHA ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

Voting Board Members

- President
- President-Elect
- Immediate Past President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- 6 Directors at Large
- Public Health Nursing Section Chair
- Epidemiology Section Chair
- Health Education & Promotion Section Chair
- Student Section Chair
- ARGC Representative

Non-Voting Board Members

- Awards Committee
- Bylaws Committee
- Election and Nominations Committee
- Finance Committee
- Membership Committee
- Public Policy & Legislation Committee
- Marketing & Communications Committee
- Program Committee
- Archivist
- Editor, Michigan Journal of Public Health

In Red are the Officers

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP



NETWORK & COLLABORATE

- ✓ Participate in conferences.
- ✓ Engage in discussions/share resources
- ✓ Participate in member sections or committees
- ✓ Collaborate on research, scholarly presentations & policy statements

ADVANCE YOUR CAREER

- ✓ Take advantage of professional development opportunities
- ✓ Present at MPHA conferences
- ✓ Publish in MJPH
- ✓ Engage in webinars/conferences
- ✓ Enjoy leadership opportunities
- ✓ Engage in mentorship opportunities

STAY UP TO DATE

- ✓ Peer-reviewed Michigan Journal of Public Health
- ✓ Member-only newsletters
- ✓ Discounts on registration for MPHA events

Benefits of MPHA

- Michigan Journal of Public Health
 - Programs and Services
 - Annual Meeting and Summit
 - Annual Epidemiology Conference
- Annual Public Health Nursing (PHN) Conference
- Book club discussions presented by PHN section - open to all
 - Social media - Instagram, Facebook, X
 - Policy and Advocacy

Benefits for Students in MPHA

- Unique benefits
- Network with students, faculty members, and other interdisciplinary members
 - Network to find out a variety of jobs
- Work with faculty mentors to submit abstracts for oral or poster presentation at the annual Premier Conference, Epi conference, and APHA annual conference
 - Awards given to the best student submission
 - Develop Leadership skills
 - Advocate for Health Issues



JOIN MPHA



Membership Category

Active	\$65.00
Retiree	\$20.00
Student	\$15.00
Supporting	\$250.00
Lifetime	\$1000.00

Sections

Public Health Nursing	\$5.00
Epidemiology	\$5.00
Health Education & Promotion	\$5.00
Laboratory/Disease Control	\$3.00
Oral Health	\$2.00
Student Section	\$0



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ENGAGE WITH MPHA



Participate in your Section

Attend the regular meetings

Decide to become member of leadership

Offer to develop a webinar or workshop

Advocate for the Section and MPHA

Get involved with a Committee

Awards Committee

Bylaws Committee

Election and Nominations Committee

Membership Committee

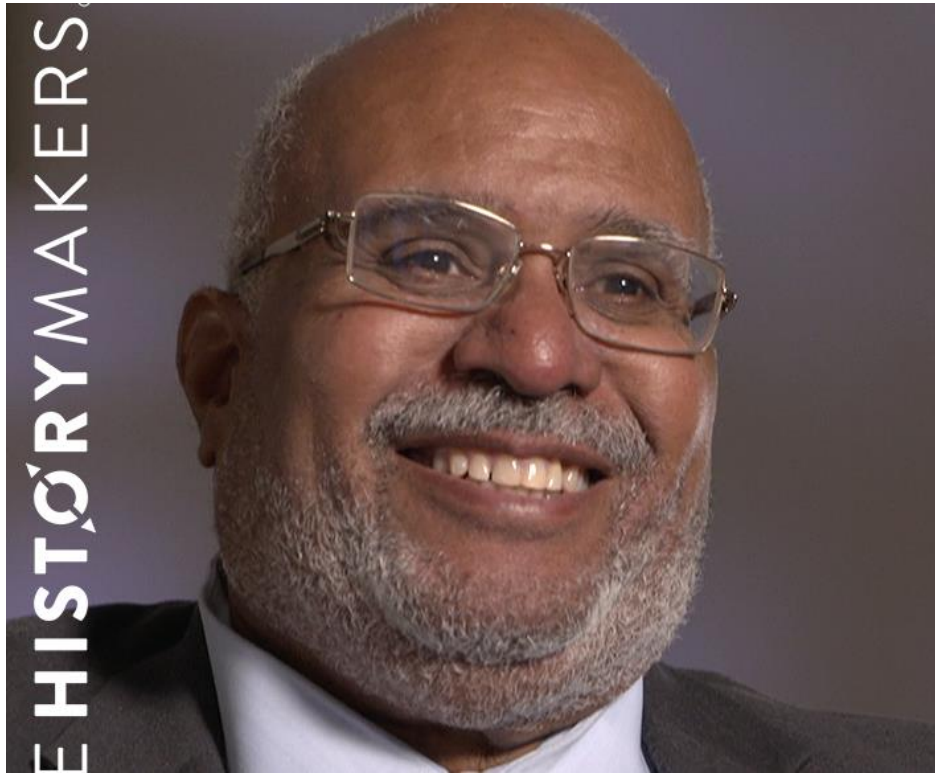
Finance Committee

Public Policy & Legislation Committee

Marketing & Communications Committee

Program Committee

AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION



Dr. Georges Benjamin, MD
Executive Director – since 2002

Mission: Build public health capacity and promote effective policy and practice

Vision: Optimal, equitable health and well-being for all

Values:

- Community
- Science and evidence-based decision making
- Health equity and justice
- Prevention and wellness
- Measurable progress in improving health
- Fortitude to persevere

- ✓ The American Public Health Association was founded in 1872 at a time when scientific advances were helping to reveal the causes of communicable diseases.
- ✓ These discoveries laid the foundation for the public health profession and for the infrastructure to support our work.
- ✓ The American Public Health Association is more than a professional association. We're a community. Our members work in every discipline of public health, in every U.S. state and in countries across the globe. And we're all united by a common goal: To promote optimal, equitable health and well-being for all.'
- ✓ APHA is a 501(c)(3) organization

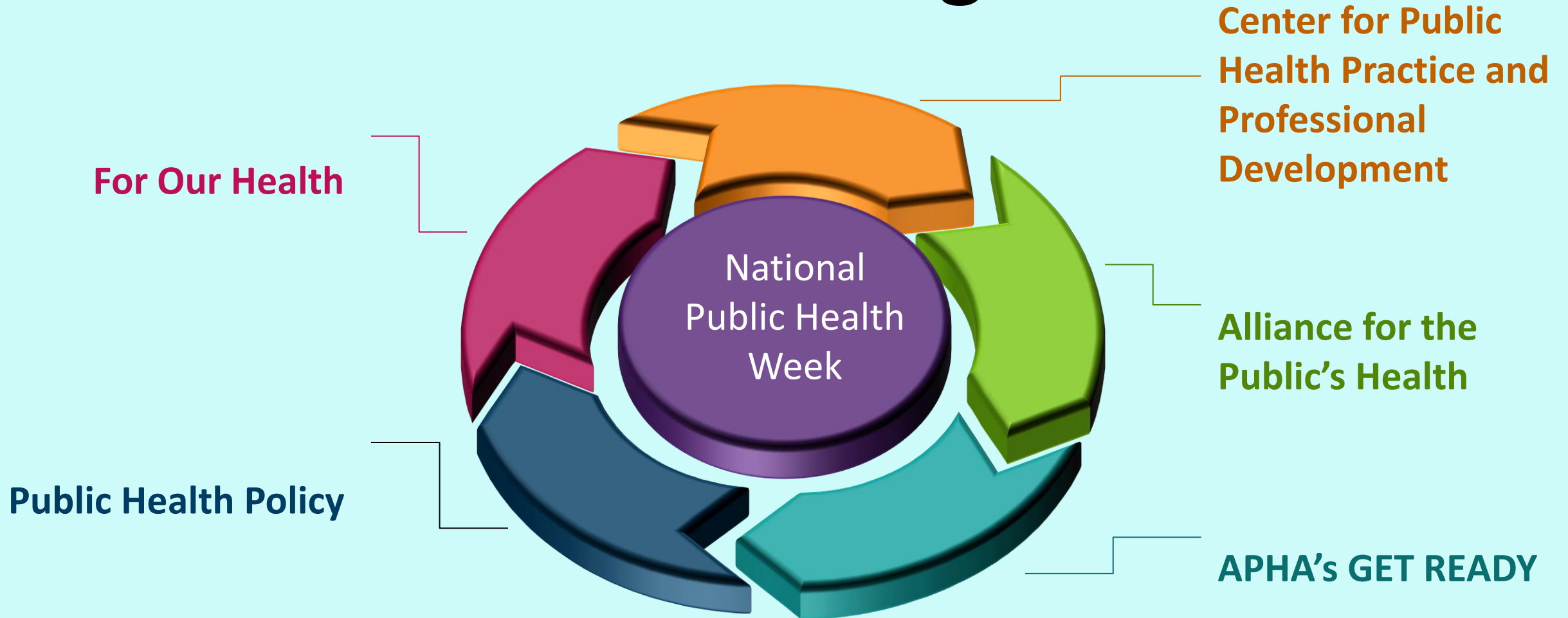


NAVIGATING CHOICES

Get Involved

Join APHA in discussing the latest news and research, sharing best practices and advocating for the health of all people.

Centers and Programs



* Also offer a variety of professional development and continuing education opportunities. Through webinars, trainings, and other methods, we enhance the knowledge and skills of public health professionals and those interested in public health.

AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION

Strategic Plan

To achieve optimal, equitable health and well-being for all, APHA will:



Build Workforce Capacity and Effectiveness



Champion Public Health



Advance Equitable Public Health Practices and Outcomes



Improve Member Engagement and Satisfaction



Execute Operational Excellence

APHA SECTIONS - 33

Represent public health programs and disciplines

Aging and Public Health	Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drugs	Applied Public Health Statistics	Chiropractic Health Care	Community Health Planning and Policy Development	Community Health Workers
Disability	Environment	Epidemiology	Ethics	Food and Nutrition	Health Administration
Health Informatics Information Technology	HIV/AIDS	Injury Control and Emergency Health Services	Integrative, Complementary and Traditional Health Practices	International Health	Law
Maternal and Child Health	Medical Care	Mental Health	Occupational Health and Safety	Oral Health	Pharmacy
Physical Activity	Foot and Ankle Health	Public Health Education and Health Promotion	Public Health Nursing	Public Health Social Work	School Health Education and Services
		Sexual and Reproductive Health	Vision Care		

APHA Caucuses – 17

Based on identity and issues

The Academic and Practice Linkages in Public Health Caucus

American Indian, Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Caucus

Asian & Pacific Islander Caucus for Public Health

Black Caucus of Health Workers

Caucus on Homelessness

Caucus on Public Health and the Faith Community

Caucus on Refugee and Immigrant Health

Community-Based Public Health Caucus

Family Violence Prevention Caucus

Latino Caucus

LGBTQ Health Caucus

Men's Health Caucus

Peace Caucus

Socialist Caucus

Spirit of 1848 Caucus

Vietnam Caucus

Women's Caucus

- ✓ Annual Meeting and Expo
- ✓ American Journal of Public Health
- ✓ *The Nation's Health*
- ✓ Public Health Newswire
- ✓ Social Media
- ✓ Books
- ✓ Public Health CareerMart
- ✓ Advocacy
- ✓ Continuing Education
- ✓ National Public Health Week
- ✓ Get Ready Campaign

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP



Join us in the
new online
home for
public health
professionals!



Membership Types

Student Member	\$90.00
Early-Career Professional (graduate past 24 months)	\$140.00
Regular Member	\$230.00
Discounted Regular (gross salary less than \$45,000)	\$115
Retired	\$105



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"We all deserve access to a culture of health – living as long as you can, as well as you can, and having a short but glorious ending. It also means having a system in place that ensures we can all achieve it."

~ APHA Executive Director Georges Benjamin, MD

APHA 2025

ANNUAL MEETING & EXPO

NOVEMBER 2-5, 2025 • WASHINGTON, D.C.

Making the Public's Health a National Priority

Washington, D.C. | November 2-5, 2025

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