

16th Annual Minority Health Conference

**Youth and Families of Color:
"What's Going On?"**

February 17-18, 1994

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This informative one-and-a-half-day program is the sixteenth in a series of conferences from the UNC School of Public Health focusing on special health concerns of minorities in North Carolina and the Southeast. This year's conference will focus on traditional and emerging concerns of students and public health and human service professionals. Topic areas to be presented during this conference include: Families of Color and Health Care Reform, Minority Youth and Violence, and Minority Youth and Sexuality.

Conference Agenda

February 17, 1994

8:00 am Registration (*Rosenau Hall*)

9:00 Welcome and Introduction (*Rosenau Auditorium*)

Monica Bynoe, RN, President
Minority Student Caucus
Master's Student, Department of
Health Behavior and Health Education
School of Public Health, UNC-CH

Michel Ibrahim, MD
Dean, School of Public Health, UNC-CH

H. Garland Hershey, DDS
Vice Chancellor for Health Affairs
and Vice Provost, UNC-CH

Barbara Pullen-Smith, MPH
Director, Office of Minority Health
N.C. Department of Environment,
Health and Natural Resources

9:30 Keynote Address (*Rosenau Auditorium*)

Linda A. Randolph, MD, MPH
Clinical Professor, Department of
Community Medicine
Mt. Sinai School of Medicine
New York, New York

10:45 Break

11:00 Minority Youth and Violence (*Rosenau Auditorium*)

James Mills
Executive Director, Philadelphia
Anti-Drug Anti-Violence Network
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Moderator: Scottie Davis
Master's Student, Department of
Health Policy and Administration
School of Public Health, UNC-CH

12:15 pm Conference luncheon (*Carolina Inn*)
Exhibits (*Rosenau Student Lounge, 2nd Floor*)

1:30 Minority Youth and Sexuality (*Rosenau Auditorium*)

Bambi W. Sumpter, DrPH
Education Associate
South Carolina Department of Education
Columbia, South Carolina

Moderator: DeVetta Holman, MPH
Assistant Director for Health Education
Student Health Services, UNC-CH

2:45 Break

3:00 Concurrent Breakout Sessions

• Sexuality Panel Discussion
(*Rosenau Auditorium*)
Lana Dial, MSPH, MPH
Commission of Indian Affairs
N.C. Department of Administration
Raleigh, North Carolina

Anna J. Peele, N.C. Cooperative Extension
Family and Child Services
Sampson County, North Carolina

Moderator: Angela Black, Master's Student
Department of Epidemiology
School of Public Health, UNC-CH

• Violence Panel Discussion
(*1301 McGavran-Greenberg*)
Dorothy C. Browne, DrPH, Associate Professor
Department of Maternal and Child Health
School of Public Health, UNC-CH

• Violence Panel Discussion (continued)
James Mills

Gloria Insua Vaca, MA
Executive Director, Durham Companions
Durham, North Carolina

Moderator: Percy Motley, Master's Student
Department of Biostatistics
School of Public Health, UNC-CH

4:00 Concurrent Breakout Sessions

• "Medicine Wheel" HIV Stage Play
(*Rosenau Auditorium*)

Clisby R. Locklear, Director
Tribal Health Services
Tuscarora Tribe of N.C.
N.C. Minority AIDS Education Program
Pembroke, North Carolina

Moderator: Katie Lowry, Master's Student
Department of Maternal and Child Health
School of Public Health, UNC-CH

• Minority Youth and Sexuality
(*1301 McGavran-Greenberg*)

Mary Vernon, MD, MPH
Division of Adolescent and School Health
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Atlanta, Georgia

Bambi Sumpter, DrPH

Moderator: LaTonya Danzy
Master's Student, Department of
Environmental Sciences and Engineering,
School of Public Health, UNC-CH

5:00 Adjourn

February 18, 1994

8:00 am Registration (*Rosenau Hall*)

8:30 Introduction (*All sessions will be held in
Rosenau Auditorium*)

8:45 Families of Color and Health Care Reform

Vernellia Randall, RN, MSN, JD
Assistant Professor, School of Law
University of Dayton
Dayton, Ohio

Moderator: Kara Morgan, Master's Student
Department of Health Policy and Administration
School of Public Health, UNC-CH

10:15 Break

10:30 Health Care Reform Panel Discussion

Ron Levine, MD, MPH, State Health Director
N.C. Department of Environment,
Health and Natural Resources

John Hatch, DrPH, Kenan Professor
Department of Health Behavior and Health
Education, School of Public Health, UNC-CH

Vernellia Randall, RN, MSN, JD

Moderator: Willie McKinney, MS
Doctoral Student, Department of
Environmental Sciences and Engineering
School of Public Health, UNC-CH

12:30 pm Adjourn

Previous Minority Health Conference Titles and Keynote Speakers

1977

Perspectives on the Health of the Black Populations

Floyd McKissick, JD
President, Soul City Company
Soul City, North Carolina

1978

**Health Policy Impacts:
On and By Minority Peoples**

John L.S. Holloman, MD
Past President
NYC Health and Hospitals Corporation
New York, New York

1979

**Reaching Minorities Where They Are . . .
A Challenge to Health Professionals**

Bailus Walker, Jr, PhD
Administrator
Environmental Health Administration
Government of the District of Columbia

1980

The Deprivation of Life: Death and Disease in Minority Communities

E. Frank Ellis, MD, MPH
Regional Health Administrator, DHHS
Region V
Chicago, Illinois

1981

Dying for a Job: Health Status of Minorities in the Workplace

George L. Lythcott, MD
Special Assistant to the Surgeon General
U.S. Public Health Service, DHHS
Rockville, Maryland

1982

The Minority Elderly—We're Still Here

Theodore R. Sherrod, MD, PhD
Professor, Department of Pharmacology
University of Illinois at Chicago

1983

Quality Health Care: A Birthright?

Clay E. Simpson, PhD
Director, Division of
Disadvantaged Assistance
Bureau of Health Professionals
Health Resources and Services
Administration, Hyattsville, Maryland

1984

Fact vs Fiction: Crisis In the Workplace

Aileen T. Compton, PhD
Manager, Health Safety and
Environmental Affairs
Research and Development
Smith Kline and French Laboratories
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

1985

Current Issues in International Health Care Practice

John W. Hatch, DrPH
Professor of Health Behavior and
Health Education, School of Public Health
The University of North Carolina at
Chapel Hill

1986

Policy Implications For Improving Health In Minority Communities

Charles Cook, MD
Former Chief, Adult Health Section
NC Department of Human Resources
Raleigh, North Carolina

1987

**Healthy Lifestyles:
Preserving the Public's Health**

Jesse F. Williams, MD
Director, Cumberland County Health
Department
Fayetteville, North Carolina

1988

**Improving Minority Health Status:
A Public Health Challenge**

Iris Shannon, PhD
Associate Professor
Rush College of Nursing
St. Lukes Medical Center
Chicago, Illinois

1991

Innovative Approaches to Minority Health Issues

Ronald Ferguson, PhD
Associate Professor of Public Policy
The Kennedy School of Government
Harvard University

1992

Beyond the Rhetoric: Developing Solutions to Minority Health Issues

Deborah L. Coates, PhD
Director, Institute for Healthier Babies
March of Dimes Birth Defects
Foundation
White Plains, New York

1993

**Operation Prevention:
Mobilizing Community Action**

Spencer Holland, PhD
Director, Center for Educating
African-American Males
Morgan State University