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How Can Use of the Performance Standards Drive National, State and Local Public Health Policy?

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Seven national public health organizations – CDC, APHA, ASTHO, NACCHO, NALBOH, NNPHI, and PHF – have partnered to develop national model performance standards for state and local public health systems and local governing entities, based on the framework of the ten essential public health services. Numerous state public health systems, local public health systems, and boards of health have used the national standards since the launch of the NPHPSP in 2002 and find it a valuable tool for assessing public health activities and identifying opportunities for improvement. The standards were recently updated to ensure the content remains current and to address opportunities for user-friendliness and streamlining.



Performance Standards as Good Policy: The NPHPSP as Valuable Tools in Shaping National, State and Local Practice

Laura Landrum, MUPP Association of State and Territorial Health Officials Chicago, IL

This presentation will provide a macro overview of the NPHPSP and highlight the new Version 2 release, and discuss how they have incorporated language into legislation for state health improvement planning and used the NPHPSP and state-level MAPP activities in response to this legislation.

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Political Leadership, Health Policies and Health Disparities in Developed and Developing Nations
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National Public Health Performance Standards Research Findings

F. Douglas Scutchfield, MD College of Public Health
University of Kentucky Lexington, KY

This presentation will discuss some of the key data findings from the research into the NPHPSP in a very lay-friendly way and in a manner that highlights the implications and opportunities for public health practice and policy.

National Public Health Performance Standards Program: A User's Perspective

Judy Monroe, MD Indiana State Department of Health Indianapolis, IN

As the current State Health Commissioner that is leading the use of the state and local assessments, Dr. Monroe discusses NPHPSP application from a high-level standpoint as well as how she sees the NPHPSP fitting in with overall health initiatives in the state. Also, as an early adopter of Version 2, she will speak about use of the new NPHPSP instruments.

Conference Details:

Contact Hours: None for this program.

Registration: www.adph.org/alphtn

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