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## Certification in Public Health (CPH) Exam Preparation Session

### Date and Time

Saturday, January 7, 2012

7:00AM to 4:15PM

### Location

University of Kentucky  
College of Public Health - Room 115  
Lexington, Kentucky 40506

### AGENDA

<u>Time</u>	<u>Core Topic</u>	<u>Faculty</u>
07:00am - 10:00am	Registration / Welcome	John Williams, DrPH <i>Program Director</i>
07:30am - 09:00am	Epidemiology	Steven Browning, PhD
09:15am - 10:45am	Biostatistics	Richard Charnigo, PhD
11:00am - 12:30pm	Environmental Health Sciences	David Mannino, MD
<b>Working Lunch</b> Public Health Biology - TBA		
1:00pm - 2:00pm	Social and Behavioral Sciences	Robin Vanderpool, DrPH
2:15pm - 3:15pm	Health Policy and Management Cross-Cutting Competencies	John Williams, DrPH
3:30pm - 4:00pm	Successful Candidates' Perspectives	Panel
4:00pm - 4:15pm	Evaluation	

For more information about the CPH exam and how to register for this session

<http://www.mc.uky.edu/publichealth/currentstudents.html>

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## DEAN'S DISTINGUISHED LECTURE SERIES

### College of Medicine Dean's Distinguished Lecture Series

Noon to 1 pm, Monday, December 12, 2011  
Pavilion A Auditorium

## "Not Quite What I Was Planning: Evaluating Unintended Consequences of Health Policies"



**William O. Cooper, MD, MPH**  
Professor and Vice Chair,  
Department of Pediatrics  
Vanderbilt University  
School of Medicine

Provided by Frederick C. de Bear, M.D.  
Dean, College of Medicine

The University of Kentucky College of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians. The University of Kentucky College of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 1 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. The University of Kentucky College of Medicine presents this activity for educational purposes only. Participants are expected to utilize their own expertise and judgment while engaged in the practice of medicine. The content of the presentations is provided solely by presenters who have been selected for presentations because of recognized expertise in their field.

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If you require special arrangements to attend this activity, please contact 323-3387.

#### Objectives:

1. Understand strategies for evaluating unintended consequences of health policies.
2. Describe epidemiologic principles needed to explore policy questions.
3. Define vulnerable populations who might experience unintended consequences of health policies.

To view the DDLS schedule, please visit:  
<http://www.mc.uky.edu/medicine/ddls>



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## CPH DATES TO REMEMBER.....



Bring your lunch and join us for the webinar:

### Using Blogs to Enhance Teaching & Learning

Date: Tuesday, December 13, 2011, 12:00-1:00 pm  
Place: CPH Room 115  
RSVP: To Becki Flanagan by Monday, December 12  
[becki@uky.edu](mailto:becki@uky.edu) or 218-2092

Part of the "Best Practice in Teaching and Learning" series from ASPH

### Spring 2012 Semester "Tip-Off" Meeting

Mark your calendar for Monday, January 9, 11:00-2:00 for the College of Public Health Spring Semester "Tip-Off" Meeting. It will be held in the Lexmark Room of the Main Building on campus.

The agenda is currently incomplete, but it will include college updates, presentations on Interprofessional Education and distance learning, and important information as you begin the semester. The meeting will also include lunch. The full agenda will be forwarded as soon as it is finalized.



National Coordinating Center for Public Health Services & Systems Research

***DEADLINE: Monday, January 9, 2012, at 3 p.m. EST***

Call for Abstracts Now Open - 2012 PHSSR Keeneland Conference

The National Coordinating Center for Public Health Services & Systems Research (PHSSR) at the University of Kentucky is hosting the **2012 PHSSR Keeneland Conference from April 17-19, 2012**, in beautiful Lexington, Kentucky.

**The Call for Abstracts will close at 3 p.m. EST on Monday, January 9, 2012.** Researchers, practitioners and policymakers who are interested in sharing their work during the scientific sessions should visit the conference website at [www.keenelandconference.org](http://www.keenelandconference.org) or follow on Twitter, [www.twitter.com/keenelandconf](http://www.twitter.com/keenelandconf), for updates.

Questions regarding submission guidelines should be sent to the national program office via email, [abstracts@publichealthsystems.org](mailto:abstracts@publichealthsystems.org) or phone 859-218-2289.

Confirmed speakers for the 2012 conference include:

- [Dr. Harvey Fineberg](#)  
*President*  
Institute of Medicine (IOM)
- [Dr. Thomas Frieden](#)  
*Director*  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

Join close to 400 PHSSR colleagues to discuss the future of the nation's public health system. Previous programs, agendas and presentations are also available for download from the conference website.

**March 27-30, 2012** – 2012 Kentucky Public Health Association Annual Conference  
[www.kpha-ky.org](http://www.kpha-ky.org)

**March 29, 2012** - CCTS Spring Conference – Appalachian Health Summit  
Neurological Disorders: Quality of Life and Potential for Recovery  
Lexington Convention Center

**June 4-6, 2012** – 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Summer Series on Aging  
<http://www.mc.uky.edu/aging/summerseries/summerseries.htm>

## CPH 758 BEING TAUGHT DURING WINTER INTERSESSION

Interested in how health care systems operate in other countries? Want to log another credit hour over the winter break? Julia Costich will be teaching CPH 758, Comparative Health Systems, in hybrid format over the winter intersession using Blackboard with a single class meeting on January 9. If you have any questions, please email Dr. Costich at [julia.costich@uky.edu](mailto:julia.costich@uky.edu).

## Recycle Your Printer Cartridges

### Printer Cartridge Recycling Fund-Raiser

The Science Department at Winburn Middle School would greatly appreciate your used printer cartridges, as they use this recycling effort as a much needed fund raiser. They accept any type of used cartridge—laser, inkjet, large, small! If you have any from work or home, would you kindly bring them to **Dr. Steve Browning** (a collection box will be located outside his office **(209B in CPH)**). As you may know, Winburn is a school with many needs and very few resources and the Science Department obtains a good portion of their funding from this recycling effort. Many thanks for your consideration and support.

**Have anything you want to post in the Friday Letter? Send it to Sharon Keys, [skeys@uky.edu](mailto:skeys@uky.edu) or give her a call at 859-218-2043.**