

# *National Capital Region Asthma Partnership Conference*

*"Partnering across state lines to address the burden of asthma"*

Thursday, May 6, 2010, 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Kellogg Conference Center, Gallaudet University

## **Agenda**

- 8:30 am – 9:00 am Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 am – 9:30 am Overview of Asthma in the National Capital Region
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| <b>Andrew William Curtis</b><br>Asthma Program Manager<br>Virginia Department of Health                               | <b>Edwina Davis-Robinson, MS, CHES</b><br>Asthma Program Manager<br>District of Columbia Department of Health |
| <b>Rachel Hess-Mutinda, LGSW</b><br>Asthma Program Coordinator<br>Maryland Department of Health<br>and Mental Hygiene | <b>LaVerne Jones, MPH</b><br>Asthma Epidemiologist<br>District of Columbia Department of Health               |
| <b>Linda Nwachukwu, MPH</b><br>Asthma Control Program<br>Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene             |   |
- 9:30 am – 10:15 am Putting the NHLBI Asthma Guidelines into Practice
- Opening Remarks*  
**James P. Kiley, PhD**, Director, Division of Lung Diseases,  
National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, National Institutes of Health
- Guidelines Update*  
**Judith Taylor-Fishwick, MSc, AE-C**, Director (USA Office),  
National Respiratory Training Center
- 10:15 am – 11:00 am Healthy Homes
- Patrick N. Breyse, PhD, CIH**, Director, Division of Environmental Health Engineering,  
Department of Environmental Health Sciences, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public  
Health; Director, Center for Childhood Asthma in the Urban Environment
- Janet A. Phoenix, MD, MPH**, Assistant Research Professor, Department of Environmental  
and Occupational Health, School of Public Health and Health Services, The George  
Washington University; Executive Director, Coalition for Environmentally Safe Communities
- 11:00 am – 11:45 am Social Marketing Campaigns
- Anne Marie O'Keefe, PhD, JD**, Associate Professor, School of Community Health and  
Policy, Department of Health Policy and Management, Morgan State University
- Kristy Miller, MA**, Senior Public Affairs Officer, Indoor Environments Division,  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- 11:45 am – 12:00 noon Break
- 12:00 noon – 1:00 pm Lunch/*Keynote Address: Regional Efforts to Enhance Wellness in the Workplace*  
**Donald Shell, MD, MA**, Health Officer, Prince George's County Health Department
- 1:15 pm – 3:00 pm **Workshop 1:** Implementing and Promoting the NHLBI Guidelines Regionally  
**Workshop 2:** Regional Approaches to Asthma in the Urban Environment and Healthy Homes  
**Workshop 3:** Implementing an Asthma Social Marketing Campaign throughout the Region
- 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm Workgroup Facilitators' Summary Reports and Wrap-up