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Affiliate Meetings at APHA's 135th Annual Meeting November 3-7, 2007- Washington, DC

This year, APHA's Annual Meeting *Politics, Policy and Public Health* will be held in Washington, DC from November 3-7, 2007. APHA promises that participants will learn from experts in the field, hear about cutting-edge research and exceptional best practices, and discover the latest public health products and services.

If you have any questions regarding the meeting, transfers of reservations for hotels and airlines, please visit the Annual Meeting web site at <http://www.apha.org/meetings/>. If you still have questions after visiting the web site, please do not hesitate to contact Regina Davis Moss, Director of Affiliate Affairs at Regina.Davis@apha.org or Kaitlin Sheedy, Policy and Research Assistant at Kaitlin.Sheedy@apha.org.

Once again, the Committee on Affiliates has developed sessions to provide association development for Affiliate staff and leaders.

Committee on Affiliates Leadership Day: Renaissance Hotel, Ballroom West A

Saturday, November 3, 8:00am-1:00pm

The Committee on Affiliates invites Affiliate leaders to attend this meeting. At this meeting, the Affiliates discuss a myriad of issues including the proposed APHA policies. An invitation will be sent out soon for leadership day.

New Affiliate Leader Orientation to APHA: Renaissance Hotel, Meeting Room 5

Saturday, November 3, 1:00pm-2:00pm

This meeting gives new and old Affiliate leaders a better understanding of how APHA and Affiliates work together. In this meeting, we will discuss how APHA is organized, how Affiliates fit into APHA's governance model, and the many APHA boards, taskforces and workgroups in which Affiliate's work interfaces with APHA. During this meeting, Affiliate leaders will also be able to share best practices amongst each other.

Affiliate Executive Director's Meeting: Renaissance Hotel, Meeting Room 2

Saturday, November 3, 2:00pm-4:00pm

Affiliate staff are invited to attend the first formal Affiliate Executive Director's meeting at APHA's Annual Meeting. All staff is welcomed. More detailed information will be sent out soon. Jerry King, the Executive Director of Indiana, and Geoff Wilkinson, the

Executive Director of Massachusetts will be coordinating this meeting. Please contact them if you have any suggestions on topics that you would like to see addressed at this meeting.

Committee on Affiliates Reception: Renaissance Hotel, Ballroom West A

Saturday, November 3, 7:00pm-9:00pm

The Committee on Affiliates gives out its annual awards at this reception and offers an opportunity for affiliate members to socialize.

ISC/CoA Joint Meeting: Renaissance Hotel, Ballroom West A

Sunday, November 5, 2:30pm-5:00pm

The Committee on Affiliates and the Intersectional Council will meet to discuss how APHA sections and Affiliates can work together. This is a CoA meeting. Affiliates are not required to attend but your participation is encouraged!

Affiliate and Student Poster Sessions: Exhibit Halls D/E

Monday, November 5

CoA Scientific Sessions

1. Using Customer-Centered Marketing to Grow Your Organization: Renaissance Hotel, Meeting Room 3

Monday, November 5, 12:30pm-2:00pm

2. Making Policy Happen at Home: Affiliate Advocacy Activities Make the Difference at the Local, State and Federal Level: Renaissance Hotel, Meeting Room 4

Monday, November 5, 2:30pm-4:00pm

3. National Public Health Week and APHA Affiliates – Past Experiences and Future Plans: Renaissance Hotel, Meeting Room 3

Wednesday, November 8, 12:30pm-2:00pm

Committee on Affiliates Business Meetings

#1 Business Meeting: Renaissance Hotel, Meeting Room 2

Monday, November 5, 7:00am-10am

#2 Business Meeting: Renaissance Hotel, Meeting Room 7

Wednesday, November 7, 7:00am-10:00am