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S/N	Abstract/Session/Board	Title	Authors	Date & Time
1	Table 2: Session: Public Trust, Health Informatics Competencies, Precision Prevention and more using Artificial Intelligence (Roundtable)	AI safety in public health: scaling human expertise through tailored public communication to improve engagement	Kacey Ernst, PhD, Kenneth Komatsu, MPH and Sameer Halai	Monday, November 3 10:30 AM-12:00 PM
2	Table 8: Session: Climate and Health Action for Physical and Mental Wellbeing	Climate and Health Action for Physical and Mental Wellbeing in Rural Populations	Matthew Weinburke, DrPH, MPH, MCHES and Mona Arora, PhD, MSPH	Monday, November 3 10:30 AM-12:00 PM
3	Board 5: Session: Academic-Practice Linkages in Public Health Caucus Poster Session 2	Examining the relationship between experience and competency scores among non-manager and manager public health professionals	Caitlin Meyer, MPH, Abigail Stoica, MPH, Lauren Cater, MA, Kelly Morning, MPH, Gerold Dermid, MBA and Kelly A Reynolds, PhD	Monday, November 3 12:30 PM-1:30 PM
4	Board 3: Session: Broadly researched programs by ECPS at their worksite	Misinformation and Public Health: A Framework to Address Issues and Challenges	Omozusi Guobadia, MPH, Global Health, Kacey Ernst, PhD and Jill Castek, PhD	Monday, November 3 2:30 PM-3:30 PM
5	3288.0	Shared Insights, Stronger Outcomes: Participatory Evaluation in Action	Kathryn Ortiz Y Pino, MPH, Maia Ingram, MPH, Georgia Weiss-Elliott, MA and Priscila Ruedas, MPH	Monday, November 3 3:15 PM-3:30 PM

6	3003.0	Collaboration across sectors to improve substance use disorder prevention, treatment and recovery services in a rural county on the US-Mexico Border.	Kathryn Ortiz Y Pino, MPH and Yara M Castro	Monday, November 3 8:45 AM-9:00 AM
7	Board 2: Session: Injury Control and Emergency Health Services Late Breaker Posters II	From Trust to Commitment: Assessing Collaborative Capacity for Falls Prevention Using the Collaborative Governance Regime Framework in Arizona	Abdul Tawab Saljuqi, M.D., PhD, Elaina Richards, Veev Lovato, Hiyun Lee, Mon Lacea, Weatherly Hall, Kayla Silva, Abidemi Okechukwu, Ph.D, John Ehiri, PhD, MPH, MSc, Kirk Emerson and Bellal Joseph, MD, FACS	Monday, November 3, 10:30 AM-11:30 AM
8	Table 8: Session: Round Table: Leveraging and Developing Various Technologies in Healthcare	Describing Patient-Level Breast Cancer Screening Outcomes in a Federally Qualified Healthcare Center (FQHC) Electronic Health Record (EHR) System	Namrata Shivaprakash, MPH, MS, Rajan Sonik, PhD, JD, MPH, Elizabeth Shuster, MS, Michael Eaton, PA-C, Timothy Lee, MD, MS, Amanda Petrik, PhD, Gloria Coronado, PhD and Anne Escaron, PhD, MPH	Monday, November 3, 2:30 PM-4:00PM
9	Board 4: Session: Poster Session 6: Environmental Justice and Health Equity	Amplifying Community Voices: listening sessions identify opportunities and challenges for environmental justice organizations	Kathryn Ortiz Y Pino, MPH, Maia Ingram, MPH, Nathan Lothrop, PhD, Paloma Beamer, PhD2, Elizabeth Kamai, PhD3, Daniel Sestiaga Jr, Flor Sandoval and Georgia Weiss-Elliott, MA	Sunday, November 2 1:00 PM-2:00 PM
10	Board 10: Session: PHEHP Student Awards Poster	Barriers to care for chronic disease management during COVID-19: A cross-sectional survey of providers and patients in Arizona	Zoe Baccam, MPH MSW, Aminata Kilungo, PhD, Laurence Ehiri, MPH, Babasola Okusanya, Joy Luzingu, Tenneh Turner-Warren, Teresa Aseret-Manygoats and John Ehiri, PhD, MPH, MSc	Sunday, November 2 5:00 PM-6:00 PM

11	Board 7: Session: Epidemiology Section: POSTER SESSION: Clinical Epidemiology	Hand hygiene practices and adherence among banner university medical centre healthcare workers.	Sheneil Agyemang, MD, MPH, A-IPC, Davida Adofoli, MD, MPH, A-IPC, Akua Osei-Bonsu, MD and Paul Oppong, MD	Sunday, November 2 5:00 PM-6:00 PM
12	2073.0	Associations of serum carotenoids with risk of all- cause, cancer, and cardiovascular mortality among adult cancer survivors	LaShae Rolle, MPH, CPH, Harleen Kaur, PhD, Melissa Lopez- Pentecost, PhD, RDN, Richard Ramos, MPH, Rachel Kimble, MPH, Susan Kesmodel, MD, FACS, Cynthia Thomson, PhD, RD and Tracy Crane, PhD, RDN	Sunday, November 2, 2:30 PM-2:45 PM
13	Board 9: Session: Advancing women's health: Addressing maternal disparities, gendered health risks, and violence prevention	Women's Health in Low-Resource Settings: Insights from Community Listening Sessions Across Arizona	Sheila Soto, DrPH, MPH, Martha Moore Monroy, EdD, Martín Celaya, DrPH, MPH and John Ehiri, PhD, MPH, MSc	Tuesday, November 4 12:30 PM-1:30 PM
14	Board 8: Session: Poster Special Topics	Between the Scales and the Scars: The Interpersonal Burden of Body Weight on Children's Mental Health: Evidence from the 2021-22 National Survey of Children's Health (NSCH).	Fnu Kajal, Bin Suh, PhD, RN, Zhao Chen, PhD, MPH, Maia Ingram, MPH, Karl Krupp ¹ , Purnima Madhivanan, PhD, MBBS, MPH ³ and Scott Carvajal, PhD	Tuesday, November 4 12:30PM-1:30 PM
15	4250.0	Assessing heat action planning in Arizona through hierarchy of controls and socio-ecological model lens	Imran Hossain Mithu, MPH, Paloma Beamer, PhD, Maia Ingram, MPH and Mona Arora, PhD, MSPH	Tuesday, November 4 2:45 PM-3:00 PM
16	4315.0	The process of culturally adapting the Medical Nutrition Therapy program for African adults with type 2 diabetes in Benin, Africa	Halimatou Alaofe, PhD, Abidemi Okechukwu, Ph.D, Waliou Amoussa Hounkpatin, PhD and	Tuesday, November 4 4:30 PM-4:45 PM

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17	4300.0	Community campus partnership employing arts based methods to identify the social determinants of health impacting maternal and child health in rural and underserved communities in Arizona.	Martha Moore Monroy, EdD, Sheila Soto, DrPH, MPH, Martín Celaya, DrPH, MPH, Michelle Perez-Coronado, MPH Student, BS, Rodrigo Valenzuela Cordova, MPH, BS and John Ehiri, PhD, MPH, MSc	Tuesday, November 4 4:30 PM-4:45 PM
18	4326.0	PUENTES: Bridging Mental Health Gaps for Latino Seniors in Low-Resource Settings in Arizona	Sheila Soto, DrPH, MPH, Nora Guzman Navarro, MD, Fernando Silvas, RS, Brenda Sanchez, MPH, Silvia Morales, PsyD, Miguel Angel Perez Gonzalez, PsyD, Elena Monserrat Hernandez Mora, BA, Alma Luisa Lopez Fuentes, PsyD and Gisell Ahtziri Duarte Martinez, BA	Tuesday, November 4 4:30 PM-4:45 PM
19	4307.0	Adapting to Extreme Heat: A Structured Toolkit for Establishing Safe and Effective Cooling Centers	Royani Saha, Mona Arora, PhD, MSPH, Nate Young, Lincon Rath and Betsy Camara	Tuesday, November 4 4:32 PM-4:37 PM
20	4318.0	Building Evidence for the Implementation and Evaluation of Newly Established Trauma Recovery Centers: A Case Study from Arizona.	Yevheniia Varyvoda, PhD, Aminata Kilungu, PhD, Raymond Yurika, Teresa Aseret-Manygoats, Karen Boswell and John Ehiri, MSc, PhD	Tuesday, November 4 4:35PM-4:40 PM

21	4323.0	Global Approaches to Indigenous Wellness: Factors of Wellness, Specific Populations and Health Conditions	Autumn Lester, BS, William Carson, PhD, MPH2, Angela Monetathchi, BS3, Bree Lameman, BS, Byron Upshaw, MPH, MS, Caleigh Curley, MPH, Adam Carl, Alison Watson, BS, Miguel Flores, Jennifer Erdrich, MD, MPH, MFA, FACS, FSSO and Felina Cordova-Marks, DrPH, MPH, MSc	Tuesday, November 4 4:45 PM-5:00PM
22	4288.0	Prevalence of cannabis use disorders and associated factors among privately insured adults with epilepsy: Analysis of the 2022 IQVIA national commercial claims database	Katarzyna Czerniak, MPH, PhD Candidate, Ross Shegog, PhD, Youngran Kim, PhD, Refugio Sepulveda, PhD, MPH, MPA, Robert Addy, PhD and Sahiti Myneni, PhD	Tuesday, November 4 5:15 PM-5:20 PM
23	5041.0	Compliance with central line and urinary catheter bundles: Insights from a multi-unit hospital study	Davida Adofoli, MD, MPH, A-IPC, Sheneil Agyemang, MD, MPH, A-IPC and Katherine Ellingson, PhD, CIC	Wednesday, November 5 9:15 AM-9:30 AM
24	Table 7 Session: Roundtable: CHWs Addressing Chronic Diseases	A new MINDSET: Efficacy of a community health worker-mediated online decision support to enhance epilepsy self-management and service linkage for people with epilepsy.	Ross Shegog, PhD, Katarzyna Czerniak, MPH, PhD Candidate, Rosalia Guerrero, MBA, CHWI, Suzanne Thomas, Rebecca Moreau, Robert Addy, Refugio Sepulveda, PhD, MPH, MPA and David Labiner, MD	Wednesday, November 5 8:30 AM-10:00 AM
25	Table 3 Session: Community Health Workers in Public Health Education and Health Promotion	From Screening to Self-Management: CHWs as Key Players in Chronic Disease Prevention	Rodrigo Valenzuela Cordova, MPH, BS, Alicia Hernandez, MPH student, BA1, Andrea	Wednesday, November 5 10:30 AM-12:00 PM

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26	5076.0	From Service to Research: The role of Mobile Health Unit CHWs in the ADHS Qualitative Health Needs Assessment	Andrea Contreras, CHW, Sheila Soto, DrPH, MPH, Martha Moore Monroy, EdD3, Rodrigo Valenzuela Cordova, MPH, BS2, Tania Felix, MD, Martín Celaya, DrPH, MPH4 and John Ehiri, PhD, MPH, MSc	Wednesday, November 5 11:15 AM-11:30 AM
27	5005.0	UNDERSTANDING THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN NATIVE AMERICAN IDENTITY AND HEALTHCARE UTILIZATION FOR NATIVE AMERICAN COLLEGE STUDENTS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA: A QUALITATIVE STUDY	William Carson, PhD, MPH, Byron Upshaw, MPH, MS, Kyra Long, MPH, MS, Stephanie Carroll, DrPH, MPH, Scott Carvajal, PhD3, Nicole Yuan, PhD, MPH and Felina Cordova-Marks, DrPH, MPH, MSc	Wednesday, November 5 8:30 AM-8:45 AM
28	5042.0	Puentes Mentales: Addressing Mental Health Gaps for Migrant Communities through Collaboration, Telepsychiatry and Student Engagement	Brenda Sanchez, MPH, CHES, CHW, Elena Monserrat Hernandez Mora, BA, Tania Felix, MD, Sheila Soto, DrPH, MPH, Dora Rodriguez, Silvia Morales, PsyD and Jill de Zapien, BA	Wednesday, November 5 9:30 AM-9:45 AM