



2021-2022 MPHA “Public Health Matters” Policy Forum Series

Local and Global: What Can We Learn From Each Other?

The four forums we have planned for the 2021-2022 year will be thought-provoking explorations of the challenges we face in our local and global public health efforts.

At this time the forums will be planned as virtual events. We will continue monitoring available information and will announce the return to in-person forum presentations on the MPHA website.

November 5, 2021...challenges in Education

This forum’s panelists and participants will explore the local and global challenges of meeting the educational needs of our populations across the lifespan. What should be our response to addressing the wide differences in educational achievement that exist?

January 14, 2022...challenges in Maternal and Child Health

Our panelists will consider the challenges we continue to face in addressing maternal and child health care needs. Despite efforts to reduce gaps in care locally and globally, the gaps remain. Why? What is the future?

March 4, 2022...challenges in Food & Nutrition

This forum will explore the local and global challenges of fair and equal access to safe and healthy food. Reliance on food shelves and other safety net organizations is growing. What has worked? What lessons have we learned?

May 6, 2022...challenges in a Coordinated Global Response

The final forum of this series will examine the public health response to the local and global public health crises we face. We will ponder together the question, “What can we do better?”

Registration for the forums is at www.mpha.net under Events. Forum panelists will be announced on the MPHA website before each forum. All forums are also broadcast on Facebook Live.

Networking begins at 7:45am. Each forum starts promptly at 8:00am and concludes at 9:30am.