

DRAFT AGENDA

Expert Consultation on the Effects of Climate Change on Children's Health

Hosted by

President's Task Force on Children's Environmental Health Risks and
Safety Risks to Children

Subcommittee on Climate Change

10 July 2014

- 8:30 Welcome - HUD head of climate resiliency (invited)
- 8:35 Remarks – EPA Administrator Gina McCarthy - invited
- 8:45 Remarks - HHS Assistant Secretary for Health Howard Koh - invited
- 8:55 Q and A—Khesha Reed, EPA and Sandra Howard, HHS moderators
- 9:15 Interagency Special Report on the Impacts of Climate Change on Human Health in the United States: An Assessment of Observed and Projected Climate Change Impacts on Human Health – John Balbus, Senior Advisor for Public Health, NIEHS
- 9:30 Panel One: Thermal Extremes –Marcus Sarofim, EPA, Moderator
Perry Sheffield, Mt. Sinai Medical Center
Julia Gohlke, U. Alabama
Ruth Etzel, U. Wisconsin
Lindsay Avalos, Kaiser Foundation
Stefanie Sarnat, Emory U. (tentative by remote)
Discussion
- 10:45 Panel Two: Extreme Weather and Disasters/Mental Health & Stress
Jennifer Lowry, Children's Mercy Hospital
Shao Lin, NY State DOH
John Fairbank, Duke (invited)
Discussion
- 11:45 Lunch
- 1:00 Panel Three: Air Quality Impacts – Susan Anenberg, EPA, moderator
Frederica Perera, Columbia U.
Meredith McCormack, Johns Hopkins U.
Discussion
- 1:45 Panel Four: Water Quality and Waterborne Disease –Juli Trtanj, NOAA, Moderator
Erin Lipp, U. Georgia
Rita Colwell, U. Maryland (invited)

Discussion

- 2:15 Panel Five: Food Quantity, Quality, Availability and Safety/Foodborne Disease
Samantha Ahdoot, Pediatric Assoc. of Alexandria
Lynn Goldman – George Washington U.
Isabel Walls, USDA
Discussion
- 2:45 Panel Six: Vectorborne and Zoonotic Disease – Allison Crimmins, EPA, Moderator
Jonathon Patz (by remote) U. Wisc-Madison
Discussion
- 3:15 Break
- 3:30 Research Needs Discussion (all panelists)- Janet Gamble, EPA Moderator
- 4:15 Taking Action to Protect Children's Health: Linda Birnbaum, NIEHS and Joel Scheraga, EPA
- 4:45 Next steps for the PTF Subcommittee on Climate and Health – Sandra Howard, Khesha Reed
- 5:00 Adjourn