

Public Health Forum

Spring 2017 | Colorado State University

Friday, April 28, 2017
9:00 am – 4:30 pm
Colorado State University
Lory Student Center, North Ballroom
Fort Collins, CO

The Public Health Forum is held each semester to showcase master of public health (MPH) student capstone experience projects. The capstone is part of the MPH Practice-Based Learning curriculum offered at all three Colorado School of Public Health locations

Global Health & Health Disparities

9:00 am Natasha Volny
Addressing Disability Awareness and Inclusion Amongst Posner Center Members: An emBOLDen Alliances and Uhambo Collaboration

Physical Activity & Healthy Lifestyles

9:15 am Kelly Brown
Practice Greenhealth: Sustainable health care practices at Children's Hospital Colorado

9:30 am Jamila Bryant
Analyzing the Effectiveness of Playworks: A Physical Activity Program in Weld County School District 6

Epidemiology

9:45 am Xanna Burg
Federal Assistance Program Enrollment and Implications for Preterm Births in Colorado

10:00 am Catherine Davis
Characterization of Cases and Isolates of Enteropathogenic Escherichia coli (EPEC) – A Newly Reportable Disease in the State of Nebraska

10:15 am Colter DeWitt
Informing Best Practices of Meningitis Immunization for Boulder County Public Health

10:30 am Ethan Walker
Association of Household Air Pollution from Biomass Cookstoves with Self-Reported Symptoms Among Women in Rural Honduras

10:45 am Neil Yetz
An Analysis of the Social Network of Campus Connections and its Relationship to Youth Outcomes

Health Communication

11:00 am Alison Stribling
Increasing Public Awareness of Prescription Opioid Misuse and Overdose Prevention in Adams, Arapahoe, and Douglas Counties

Health Communication

11:15 am Jennifer Valerio
Lafayette's Choice: A Communication Campaign to Shift the Nutrition Environment for Kids

Global Health & Health Disparities

11:30 am Stephanie Bennett
Recommendations for Updating Community Engagement Resources in the Colorado Health Assessment & Planning System (CHAPS): A Systematic Approach

11:45 am John Commissaris
A Social Network Analysis Approach to Evaluating Collaboration of Organizations and Departments Working on Youth Mental Health and Emotional Well-Being in Northern Colorado.

12:00 pm Jillian Foss
Identifying Communication Challenges and Service Disparities for Spanish-Speaking Individuals in Fort Collins, CO: A Gap Analysis

12:15 pm Emily Lindly
Grant Writing for Smart Fit Girls, a Colorado Based Non-Profit Organization

POSTER SESSION

12:30 – 1:30

1:30 pm Taylor Kelley
Identifying Quality Improvement Gaps: A Staff Survey of the Larimer County Department of Health and Environment Clinic

1:45 pm Christa Timmerman
Identifying Quality Improvement Gaps: A Client Survey of the Larimer County Department of Health and Environment Clinic

Global Health & Health Disparities

2:00 pm Luke Martin
Spatial Epidemiology of Ticks and Tick-borne Diseases

2:15 pm Hannah Pensack-Rinehart
Camp GLOW (Girls Leading our World) Debre Birhan: Planning, Implementing, and Evaluating a Five-Day Female Empowerment Camp in Rural Ethiopia

2:30 pm Adriana Romero
A Public Health Evaluation Framework for a School, Water, and Hygiene Pilot Intervention in Rural Cambodia

2:45 Allison Scobie
Emergency Department (ED) Mass Casualty Management: An International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) Policy

3:00 pm Yusuf Tsambi
Pilot of college tuberculosis screening program using Surveillance for Tuberculosis Elimination Management System (STEMS) in 2 universities in Colorado and a policy brief on Need for Tuberculosis screening in universities and colleges in Colorado

3:15pm Angela Varnum
Stories of Working Equid Use & Sustainable Livelihoods

Animals People & the Environment

3:30 pm DeAnna Howell
Bioterrorism Preparedness: Systematic Review and Update of Treatment Guidelines for Plague

3:45 pm Tara Westenhiser
A Roadmap to Food Security in Boulder County: Examining the intersection of local food and food security

Public Health Nutrition

4:00 pm Marie Walsh
Healthy Food Pantry Assessment Resource Guide