

The Art of Refugee Health: Creatively Moving Forward Together

13TH ANNUAL LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH AND REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT AGENCY FORUM

A time to network and continue to support our new and established refugee communities.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 2020

SHOREVIEW COMMUNITY CENTER, SHOREVIEW ROOM

8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

4580 Victoria St N, Shoreview, MN 55126

SCHEDULE	AGENDA
8:00 - 8:25 A.M.	Registration and Networking
8:25 - 9:00 A.M.	Welcome, Announcements, and Opening Art as an Expression of Culture and Connection Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) Refugee and International Health Program Staff
9:00 - 9:30 A.M. 9:30 - 10:10 A.M.	Adapting to the Changing Landscape Policy updates affecting refugees, asylees, and victims of trafficking Micaela Schuneman, International Institute of Minnesota Health care for non-citizens Laura Melnick, Southern Minnesota Regional Legal Services, Inc.
10:10 - 10:20 A.M.	***** BREAK STRETCH NETWORK GET REFRESHMENTS *****
10:20 - 11:20 A.M.	Minnesota Resettlement Networks: A New Vision and Approach to Accessing Services Kristine Bjerkaas-Friesen, Resettlement Programs Office, Department of Human Services
11:20 - 12:30 P.M.	Highlights of Successful Community-Driven Health Programs Ta Da, Tonya Horn, and Ner Mu, Karen Chemical Dependency Collaborative Laura Sanka, Deqa Adan, and Fawsiya Maow, WellShare home visiting program and related services
12:30 - 1:15 P.M.	***** LUNCH NETWORK SLIDESHOW OF REFUGEE HEALTH STARS ****
1:15 - 2:00 P.M.	Mental Health and Social Support with Older Refugees MaiNhia Khang, Twin Cities Center for Psychology & Wellness, LLC
2:00 - 3:00 P.M.	Creating Life-Giving Congolese Community in Minnesota Panelists: Blaise Ntibonera, Lutheran Social Services of Minnesota; Lidia Sanguma Moderator: Margaret Yapp, Lutheran Social Services of Minnesota
3:00 - 4:00 P.M.	Introduction to STAR: Building peace and healthy power in our lives, families, and communities Donna Minter, Minnesota Peacebuilding Leadership Institute
4:00 - 4:30 P.M.	Wrap Up and Adjourn

Please complete your evaluation. Thank you for attending this forum!

This activity has been designed to meet the Minnesota Board of Nursing and the Board of Social Work continuing education requirements. Participants are responsible for determining credit requirements.

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