8th Annual Community Engagement and Research Symposium  
Friday, March 22, 2019; 8:15 AM – 1:30 PM  
University of Massachusetts Medical School, Worcester, MA

SYMPOSIUM AGENDA

8:15 AM – 9:00 AM
Breakfast and Networking  
Albert Sherman Center, 1st floor, Multi-Purpose Room East/West

9:00 AM – 9:15 AM
Welcome  
Stephenie Lemon, PhD  
Director, UMCCTS Community Engagement and Research Section  
Professor, Department of Quantitative Health Sciences  
Division Chief, Preventive and Behavioral Medicine  
University of Massachusetts Medical School

Katherine Luzuriaga, MD  
Director, UMass Center for Clinical and Translational Science  
UMass Memorial Health Care  
Endowed Chair in Biomedical Research  
Vice Provost, Clinical and Translational Science  
Professor, Molecular Medicine, Pediatrics and Medicine

9:30 AM – 10:30 AM
Breakout Sessions

Session 1: Planning for sustainability in a time of uncertainty; getting to yes in the age of no  
(School Lobby, Faculty Conference Room S1-342)

Session 2: Lessons of Community Engagement: The Worcester Healthy Baby Collaborative (WHBC) and Infant Mortality in Worcester  
(Albert Sherman Center 5th floor, Large Conference Room AS5–2072)

Session 3: Engaging African Immigrants in Addressing HIV Disparities within the Population  
(Albert Sherman Center 7th floor, Large Conference Room AS7–2072)

Session 4: Parent Engagement and Empowerment: a community-based participatory trial to prevent childhood obesity in low-income children  
(Albert Sherman Center, Lecture Hall/Auditorium, 2nd floor AS2-2102)

10:45 AM – 12:00 PM
Introduction of Keynote Speaker  
Albert Sherman Center, 2nd floor

Building Capacity in Health Disparities Research  
Lecture Hall/Auditorium, AS2-2102

Keynote: Mona N. Fouad, MD, MPH  
Senior Associate Dean for Diversity and Inclusion  
Director and Professor, Division of Preventive Medicine  
Director, Minority Health and Health Disparities Research Center  
School of Medicine, University of Alabama at Birmingham

12:00 PM – 1:30 PM
Lunch and Poster Session  
Albert Sherman Center, 1st floor, Multi-Purpose Room East/West

1:30 PM
Wrap Up  
Albert Sherman Center, 1st floor, Multi-Purpose Room East/West

Room locations are subject to change on or before symposium day.

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