FEATURED | HEALTH: A CALL TO ACTION

Presenter Name(s)	Institution	Presentation Title	Room
KEYNOTE SPEAKERS — 9:00am - 9:30 am & 1:00pm - 1:30pm			
Andrea Caracostis, MD, MPH	HOPE Clinic	Innovation and equity beyond the clinic walls	Houston
Salil Deshpande, MD, MBA	UnitedHealthcare Community Plan of Texas	The importance of supporting whole-person health	Houston
BREAKOUT SESSION 1 — 9:45am - 10:45am			
Nikhil Dhurandhar, PhD, FTOS	Texas Tech University	A comprehensive approach for obesity management in primary care settings	Space City
Leah Whigham, PhD, FTOS	UTHealth School of Public Health El Paso		
Ruth Rechis, PhD	University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center	Be Well Communities: Mobilizing communities for health	Downtown
Virmarie Correa-Fernandez, PhD	University of Houston	Behavioral health among Latinx adults: Findings from the Health of Houston Survey and related initiatives	Midtown
BREAKOUT SESSION 2 — 11:00am - 12:00pm			
Peggy B. Smith, PhD, MA	Baylor College of Medicine	Using a medical home for youth as a social determinant portal for employment	Skyline
Emily Foxman	Urban Harvest	Equity in the local food system	Bayou City
Tyler Froberg	Recipe for Success		
Nick DeBrock	Recipe for Success, Hope Farms		
Karim Alston	GREEN		
Jorge Olvera	GREEN		
Maria Aguirre-Borrero	Avenue (formerly Avenue CDC)	The intersection between housing and health	Downtown
	BREAKOUT SESSION 3 — 1:2	45pm - 2:45pm	1
Adriana M. Strutt, PhD, ABPP	Baylor College of Medicine	Addressing health disparities in specialty care: Strutt MacDonald Equitable Healthcare Model	Skyline
Sheara W. Jennings, PhD, MSW	University of Houston	Using social determinants of health to implement	
Edward Reddics	Change Happens!	a HIV/teen pregnancy intervention through	Midtown
Jeffery Guidry, PhD	Guidry & Associates	community and school partnerships	
Margo Melchor, RDH, MEd, EdD	UTHealth School of Dentistry at Houston	Reaching the hard to reach: Using mobile clinics to care for the underserved	Downtown
Sanghamitra Misra, MD, FAAP, ABIHM	Baylor College of Medicine/ Texas Children's Hospital		
	PANEL DISCUSSIONS - 3:0	opm - 4:00pm	
Virmarie Correa-Fernandez, PhD (Moderator)	University of Houston		
Allison Rosen, MS	Baylor College of Medicine	Uncovering needs in local communities while conducting health equity work and finding collaborative solutions	Bayou City
Felicia Latson, LCSW-S	Legacy Community Health		
Helen Stagg, MSW, LMSW, CPS	Change Happens!		
Diane Arms	Avenue 360		
Robiel Abraha, MSPH	Episcopal Health Foundation		
Daphne Hernandez, PhD, MSEd, FAAHB (Moderator)	UTHealth Cizik School of Nursing	Collaborative work across communities and how to create the most meaningful impact through coalitions	Downtown
Shane Chen	Asian American Health Coalition		
Sherea Cary	African American Health Coalition		
Norma Olvera, PhD, MA			
	Hispanic Health Coalition		



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