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October 6, 2016



Event Highlights

Health disparities research networking reception

October 6
4:00-6:00 PM
Waterhouse Room, Gordon Hall

HLC Diversity Dialogue: Race, Racism, and Health

David Williams
October 11
Noon-1:00 PM
Harvard Medical School,
Armenise Amphitheater

Voices in Leadership: Boston Mayor Marty Walsh

Live webcast
October 11
12:30-1:00 PM

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Listen: Antibiotic resistance, eating disorders, kidney stones and roller coasters



In our latest podcast: The “fundamental threat” of antibiotic resistance, why anti-obesity efforts may backfire in some cases, and scientists identify a dizzying treatment for kidney stones.



An obligation to take risks

Harvard Chan Dean Michelle A. Williams, ScD '91, talks about her life in science and her vision for the School.



How our work and home environments shape health

[Cassandra Okechukwu](#) studies how different environments—such as our homes and our workplaces—shape our health.



Watch: Experts assess Zika response

During a Forum webcast, experts assessed the response to the Zika outbreak and discussed the risk of birth defects in the U.S. and Puerto Rico.

Around the School



Alumni return to campus for annual weekend

Alumni returned to the School on September 23–24 to reconnect with former classmates, learn more about current research in public health, and meet new Dean Michelle A. Williams.



Can businesses make a profit while saving the planet?

Common goals such as reducing waste and inefficiency are good for the economy, the environment—and public health, said Rick Fedrizzi, CEO of the U.S. Green

Building Council, during a speech at the Harvard Club of Boston.

Get your flu shot

Flu shots will be administered on October 13 and 27 in the Kresge Cafeteria from 9:00-11:00 AM. The clinic is free to all faculty, staff and students with a valid Harvard ID. University Health Services will only have a limited amount of vaccine at these clinics. The clinics will remain open until all doses have been administered, which may occur before 11:00.

Are you presenting at APHA 2016?

The Annual Meeting and Expo for the American Public Health Association will be held in Denver, CO from Sunday, October 30 to Wednesday, November 2, 2016. The School's booth at the conference will showcase the work done here and promote the idea of graduate and professional studies to attendees. If you will be presenting at APHA, please email admissions@hsph.harvard.edu by October 13 with your name, title, and the presentation/session number, date, and title. A list of Harvard Chan presenters will be displayed at the exhibit booth.

Register for Discover Brigham 2016

Discover Brigham brings together the Brigham and Women's Hospital community with the broader Boston health care ecosystem to educate and inspire collaboration around innovative science, technology and medicine. The theme of this year's Discover Brigham is "Collaborate, Translate and Accelerate." The event takes place November 10, from 11:00 AM-6:00 PM at BWH. [Sign up here](#).

In the news

"Churning" following the Affordable Care Act hasn't worsened, but remains a problem

Video: David Williams discusses health, race, and policing

Poll: Drug, insurance companies blamed for high health care costs

Cost-effectiveness panel issues new guidelines

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