5th ANNUAL TRANSPORT SYMPOSIUM
Advancing the Science of Community Engaged Research: Lessons Learned from COVID-19

AGENDA

8:30 - 8:45 AM

Welcome and Introductions

Wayne Riley, MD, MPH, MBA, MACP
President, Downstate Health Sciences University
TRANSPORT Principal Investigator

TRANSPORT Principal Investigators
Moro Salifu, MD, MBA, MPH, MACP, Carla Boutin-Foster, MD, MSc, and Marcus Lambert, PhD

TRANSPORT Scholar
Opening Remarks - Portia Thomas, DNSc, RN-CNE, MPH, Nurse Scientist and Postdoctoral Associate, Department of Medicine, Special Treatment and Research (STAR) program, Downstate Health Sciences University

8:45 - 9:15 AM

Keynote Speaker
Eliseo Pérez-Stable, MD,
Director, National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NIMHD)

9:35 - 10:30 AM  Panel 1

What is Community Engagement? The Evolution of Community Engagement in Healthcare

Moderator: Azure Thompson, DrPH, MPH, Assistant Professor, Department of Community Health Sciences, Department of Health Policy and Management, School of Public Health, Downstate Health Sciences University
Discussant: Dr. Jumbo/TRANSPORT Scholar, Assistant Professor & Clinical Coordinator Medical Informatics Program, Presiding Officer/ School of Health Professions, Downstate Health Sciences University

Panel 1 Speakers:
Derek M. Griffith, PhD, Founder and Co-Director of the Racial Justice Institute
Founder and Director of the Center for Men's Health Equity, Professor of Health Systems Administration and Oncology, Georgetown University

Barbara A. Israel, DrPH, Professor
Health Behavior & Health Education Director, Detroit Community-Academic Urban Research Center
School of Public Health, University of Michigan

Thomas Ives Mackie, MPH, PhD, Associate Professor and Chair
Department of Health Policy and Management/School of Public Health
Downstate Health Sciences University

Angela G. Reyes, MPH, Executive Director and Founder Detroit Hispanic Development Corporation

10:30 – 10:35 AM  5 Minute Break
### 10:35 – 11:30 AM  Panel 2

**Community Engagement Models: How have we engaged the Community thus far?**

**Moderator:** Aimee Afable, PhD, MPH, Associate Dean for Community Engagement and Associate Professor, Department of Community Health Sciences, School of Public Health, Downstate Health Sciences University  
**Discussant:** Qudsia S. Banu, MD/TRANSPORT Scholar, Associate Medical Director, Ambulatory Care Services, Brookdale Hospital and Medical Center

**Panel 2 Speakers:**  
- **Adam Aponte, MD, MSc, FAAP**, Chief Medical Officer East Harlem Council or Human Services, Inc  
- **Ngozi Moses, MSc**, Executive Director, Brooklyn Perinatal Network, Inc  
- **Natasha Williams, EdD, MPH**, Associate Professor, Institute for Excellence in Health Equity Center for Healthful Behavior Change Graduate Advisor, Population Health PhD Program  
- **Vilcek Biomedical Sciences, NYU Grossman School of Medicine**  
- **Porez Luxama, MS**, Executive Director, Life of Hope  
- **Christina Pardo, MD, MPH, F.A.C.O.G.**  
  - Vice Chair of Quality Improvement and Innovation  
  - Director of Health Equity, Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology  
  - Downstate Health Sciences University

11:30 – 11:35 AM  5 Minute Break

### 11:35 – 12:25 PM  Panel 3

**Future Directions and Capacity Building**

**Moderator:** Carla Boutin-Foster, MD, MSc, Associate Dean for Diversity Education and Research, Professor of Clinical Medicine, Dept of Medicine, Downstate Health Sciences University  
**Discussant:** Marlene Camacho-Rivera, ScD, MS, MPH/TRANSPORT Post-Doctoral Fellow Program Graduate  
- Assistant Dean for Student Engagement and Success, Assistant Professor of Community Health Sciences/ School of Public Health, Downstate Health Sciences University

**Panel 3 Speakers:**  
- **Susan Beane, MD**, Executive Medical Director, Healthfirst Clinical Partnerships  
- **Zahirah McNatt, DrPH, MHSA**, Assistant Commissioner  
  - Bureau of Brooklyn Neighborhood Health, Department of Health and Mental Hygiene  
- **Marilyn Fraser, MD**, Chief Executive Officer  
  - Arthur Ashe Institute for Urban Health Research Associate Professor, Department of Medicine  
  - and the School of Public Health, Downstate Health Sciences University  
- **Avital Havusha**, Vice President for Programs, New York State Health Foundation  
- **M Gabe Rodriguez**, Executive Director of Development for Research  
  - Downstate Health Sciences University  
- **Victor D. Sutton, PhD, MPPA**, Director, Preventive Health & Health Equity Principal Investigator  
  - Community Engagement Center, Jackson Heart Study,  
  - COVID -19 Health Disparity State Team Lead, Mississippi State Department of Health

12:30PM  Closing Remarks  - Moro Salifu, MD, MBA, MPH, MACP