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THE ARTHUR ASHE INSTITUTE FOR URBAN HEALTH IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE SUNY DOWNSTATE JOHN CONLEY DIVISION OF MEDICAL ETHICS AND HUMANITIES PRESENTS

"A New Social Compact

to Achieve Optimal Health for All"

Keynote Speaker

Georges C. Benjamin, M.D.

Executive Director of the American Public Health Association

FRIDAY DECEMBER 2nd 2022

10AM-12NOON

ALUMNI AUDITORIUM 395 Lenox Road Brooklyn, NY 11023 Lunch will be provided

Please click invite to RSVP or Call 646-251-6128 by November 28, 2022

On December 3, 1992, tennis champion, humanitarian and activist, Arthur Ashe, founded the Arthur Ashe Institute for Urban Health at SUNY Downstate Health Sciences University. Arthur Ashe envisioned an Institute that would address the inequities that existed in healthcare through innovative health promotion and health education programs. In creating the Institute, Arthur Ashe wanted to focus on improving health outcomes within the community through strategic partnerships to conduct research, raise health awareness, increase the representation of individuals of color in the health professions and inform health policy.

ABOUT

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Georges C. Benjamin, M.D., is a well-known health

policy leader, practitioner and administrator. He currently serves as the executive director of the American Public Health Association, the nation's oldest and largest organization of public health professionals. He is a former secretary of health for the state of Maryland. Dr. Benjamin is a graduate of the Illinois Institute of Technology and the University of Illinois College of Medicine. He is board-certified in internal medicine, a Master of the American College of Physicians, a fellow of the National Academy of Public Administration, a fellow emeritus of the American College of Emergency Physicians, and a member of the National Academy of Medicine. He serves on several nonprofit boards such as Research! America, the Truth Initiative, the Environmental Defense Fund, and the Reagan-Udall Foundation. He is also a former member of the National Infrastructure Advisory Council, a council that advises the President on how best to assure the security of the nation's critical infrastructure.

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