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What is the Public Health Funder Network? Our Mission Statement

The Public Health Funder Network (PHFN) is a community of grantmakers, donors and APHA members who recognize that philanthropy serves an important role in the improvement of population health outcomes and the overall health of communities. The goal of the PHFN is to promote a cross-sector approach to solving complex public health challenges by networking and sharing best practices. The PHFN places a special focus on philanthropy as a catalyst to drive change through innovative strategies and partnerships with local communities and stakeholders.

Calendar of APHA-PHFN Activities, Nov. 11-14

Sun., Nov. 11

[Public Health Funder Network Social Hour](#)

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Session no. 294.0, 5:30-7:30 pm

Mon., Nov. 12

[Funding Grassroots, Community Solutions to Address Social Determinants of Health](#)

Session no. 3017.0, 8:30-10 am

Moderator: Noelle Dorward, *The Colorado Trust*

Panelists: Courtney Saxler, MPH, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*; Elina Alterman, MSW, MPH, *Kansas Health Foundation*; Thomas McAuliffe, MA, *Missouri Foundation for Health*; Noelle Dorward, *The Colorado Trust*

[Public Health Funder Network Business Meeting](#)

Session no 419.0, 1-2:30 pm

[Centering Racial and Health Equity within Government: Lessons from Richmond, E. Salinas, Long Beach and Building Healthy Communities](#)

Session no. 3341.0, 3-4:30 pm

Moderator: Sandra Witt, DrPH, *The California Endowment*

Panelists: Johann Frazier, *City of Richmond (CA)*; Katie Balderas, MPH, *City of Long Beach (CA)*; Lauren Padilla-Valverde, *The California Endowment*

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Tuesday, Nov. 13

What Funders Can Do As The Opioid Epidemic Reconfigures Health Policy And Funding

Session no: 4012.0, 8:30 -10 am

Moderator: Tym Rouke, *New Hampshire Charitable Foundation*

Panelists: Gabrielle de La Gueronniere, JD, *Legal Action Center*; Michele Merritt, *New Futures*

Exploring Challenges, Barriers and Results of Funders Collaborating to Expand Equity with Comprehensive School-based Health Services

Session no. 4137.0, 10:30 am-12 pm

Moderator: Francie Wolgin, MSN, RN, *Growing Well*

Panelists: Erika Cybulskis, *Delta Dental of Michigan, Ohio and Indiana/The Delta Dental Foundation*; Rosemary Veniegas, PhD, *California Community Foundation*; Jennifer Chubinski, PhD, *Interact for Health*

Funding and Building Cross-Sector Collaboratives to Improve Children's Health

Session no. 4331.0. 3-4:30 pm

Moderator: Nineequa Blanding, MPH, *The Boston Foundation*

Panelists: Desire' Shepler, MPH, *R.O.C.K. Mat-Su*; Lisa Wade, *Athabascan Nation, Chickaloon Village*; Vanessa White, JD, *State of Alaska Court System*; Jerry Troshynski, RN, BSN, MPA, *Mat-Su Health Foundation*; Nineequa Blanding, MPH, *The Boston Foundation*; Charles Rutheiser, PhD, *Annie E. Casey Foundation*; Heather Nelson, PhD, MPH, *Health Resources in Action*

In Their Own Words: Community Organizers' Messages to Funders about What Works, Challenges Faced, and Relevance for Growing Health Equity Now

Session no. 4398.0, 5-6:30 pm

Moderator: David Rebanal, DrPH, MPH, *San Francisco State University*

Panelists: David Rebanal, DrPH, MPH, *San Francisco State University*; Meredith Minkler, DrPH, MPH, *UC Berkeley School of Public Health*; Maria Acosta, MPH, *San Francisco State University*; Robin Pearce, MPH, *University of California, Berkeley*; Drew Astolfi, *Center for Community Change*; Jordan White, MPH, *Robert Wood Johnson Foundation*