

*The Black Caucus of Health Workers
and
The Society for the Analysis of African-American Public Health Issues*

Present

Public Health Symposium 2002

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The Public Health Implications of Obesity in African-Americans

Loews Hotel, Regency Ballroom A

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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11:00-4:00 p.m.	REGISTRATION
12:00-1:30 p.m.	KEYNOTE LUNCHEON <i>The Public Health Implications of Obesity in African-Americans</i> Shiriki K. Kumanyika, PhD, MPH Center for Clinical Epidemiology & Biostatistics University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine
1:30-1:45 p.m.	BREAK
1:45-2:00 p.m.	WELCOME
2:00-3:00 p.m.	Diabetes & CVD: State of the Science <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Overview of the Diabetes Type II clinical trials○ Cardiovascular disease in the African American community
3:00-3:15 p.m.	BREAK
3:15-4:15 p.m.	Interventions to prevent obesity <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Increasing physical activity in African-Americans- community initiatives○ National African American Physical Activity (NAAPA) Task Force
4:15-5:00 p.m.	Policies to Eliminate Health Disparities <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ <i>REACH initiative update</i>○ <i>Healthier US Initiative: overview & implications</i>
5:00-5:30 p.m.	Closing & announcements