

Program Agenda

- 9:00AM – 9:10AM** **Welcome**
Maryjane Puffer, The L.A. Trust for Children’s Health
- 9:10AM – 9:40AM** **Keynote Speaker: Debra Duardo, Ed.D.**
- 9:40AM – 10:30AM** **Plenary: Problem solved! Using design thinking to solve your SBHC’s most common challenges**
Presenters: Gina Airey, Rachel Hamburg, Gina Airey Consulting
Room Location: Redwood
- 10:30AM – 10:45AM** **Break**
- 10:45AM – 11:45AM** **Workshop Breakout**
- Session 1:**
 “Teen Suicide Prevention”
 Presenter: Cheryl Karp Eskin, Teen Line
 Room Location: Big Sur
- Session 2:**
 “Sustainability of Oral Health Services in LAUSD” (30 min)
 Presenters: Dr. Conrado E. Barzaga, Dr. Elmer Hilo, Center for Oral Health, Dr. Timothy Martinez, University of New England School of Dentistry
 Room Location: Sierra
- Session 3:**
 “Best Practices in Sexual + Reproductive Health Care for Teens”
 Presenter: Amber Eisenmann, California Family Health Council
 Room Location: Tahoe
- 11:45AM – 11:55AM** **Break**
- 11:55AM – 12:55PM** **Workshop Breakout**
- Session 1:**
 “School Based Oral Health Policies”
 Presenters: Liliana Velazquez, The Children’s Partnership, Frances Walsh, The L.A. Trust for Children’s Health, Fatima Morales, Children Now
 Room Location: Big Sur
- Session 2:**
 “Ahead of the Curve: Leveraging Continuous Quality Improvement as a Bridge to OST and Community Health”
 Presenters: Amira Resnick, Ben Melendrez, Alliance for a Healthier Generation
 Room Location: Sierra
- Session 3:**
 “Youth Rights: Sexual and Reproductive Health Policies in School-Based Health Settings”
 Presenter: Sylvia Castillo, California Family Health Council
 Room Location: Tahoe
- 12:55PM – 1:50PM** **Lunch & Plenary: A Place for SBHCs within the New Era of Alternative Payment Models in Medicaid**
Presenters: Ben L. Bynum, M.D., Vital Healthcare Capital, Winston F. Wong, M.D., Disparities Improvement and Quality Initiatives Kaiser Permanente
Room Location: Redwood
- 1:50PM – 2:00PM** **Closing Remarks**
Jan Marquard, California State University, Northridge

9:10AM – 9:40AM

Keynote Speaker: Debra Duardo, M.S.W, Ed.D.

Los Angeles County Superintendent of Schools

Debra Duardo, M.S.W, Ed.D., was appointed Los Angeles County Superintendent of Schools by the Board of Supervisors effective May 15, designating her as the top education leader of the nation’s most populous and diverse county.

Previously executive director of Student Health and Human Services for the Los Angeles Unified School District, Dr. Duardo now serves as the chief executive officer for the Los Angeles County Office of Education, and as secretary of the County Board of Education. In this post, Dr. Duardo provides leadership and support to the superintendents and other top administrators of the county’s 80 K-12 school districts.

She has more than 20 years of professional experience working with at-risk students and their families. Her unique life experience as a high school dropout able to overcome obstacles and rise to the position of executive director drives her passion to ensure that all students receive an education in a safe, caring environment and that every student is college-prepared and career ready.

As LAUSD’s executive director of Student Health and Human Services, she was responsible for the administrative oversight of support services and district programs including Student Medical Services, School Nursing, School Mental Health, Pupil Services, Dropout Prevention and Recovery, Health Education, Community Partners and Medi-Cal programs.

She holds a master’s degree in Social Work from the University of California, Los Angeles and a doctorate from UCLA’s Graduate School of Education and Information Studies.

Appointed by former Los Angeles Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa, she also serves as a City Commissioner on the Commission for Community and Family Services.



Workshop Sessions

9:40AM – 10:30AM **Plenary:** Problem solved! Using design thinking to solve your SBHC's most common challenges

Presenter: Gina Airey, Rachel Hamburg, Gina Airey Consulting

Room Location: Redwood

Description:

We will facilitate a fun, interactive workshop using design thinking methodology to stimulate participants to solve a real world problem they experience in their SBHCs that challenges their ability to do their job and fulfill their center's mission. After a brief design thinking primer, we will guide the group (working in small teams) through a series of exercises that will allow them to explore the problem from multiple perspectives (e.g. clinician, patient, school principal) to understand the web of issues underlying the problem and to develop both empathy and depth of understanding. By the end of the workshop, each small group will have designed a solution to the problem at hand. We will conclude by facilitating a full group discussion about the solutions they came up with and help participants understand how they can continue to use a design thinking approach to solve other problems in their SBHCs. The workshop will be appropriate for participants playing a variety of roles in SBHCs, as everyone faces challenges in their workplace/role.

10:45AM – 11:45AM **Workshop Breakout #1**

Session 1:

“Teen Suicide Prevention”

Presenter: Cheryl Karp Eskin, Teen Line

Room Location: Big Sur

Description:

Suicide is the 2nd leading cause of death among those 10-24 years old. Yet, many myths and misconceptions exist about suicide and depression in adolescents. This workshop teaches about the warning signs of depression and suicide, and how to intervene when you see a student is struggling. Information will be communicated via video, PowerPoint, and personal stories.

Session 2:

“Sustainability of Oral Health Services in LAUSD” (30 min)

Presenters: Dr. Conrado E. Barzaga, Dr. Elmer Hilo, Center for Oral Health, Dr. Timothy Martinez, University of New England School of Dentistry

Room Location: Sierra

Description:

In 2012 the U.S. Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) commissioned the Center for Oral Health to develop a unique school-based oral health care model. It was required that the model was comprehensive, coordinated, self-sustainable, and universal. Center for Oral Health will unveil an operational manual that will be available to other providers.

Session 3:

“Best Practices in Sexual + Reproductive Health Care for Teens”

Presenter: Amber Eisenmann, California Family Health Council

Room Location: Tahoe

Description:

Providing students with high-quality, confidential sexual and reproductive health care services can help them reduce their risk of unintended pregnancies and sexually transmitted diseases, and can improve overall health and educational outcomes. This session will review best practices for providing quality sexual health care and teach the tiered effectiveness approach to contraceptive counseling. Participants will learn about the current national screening, testing, treatment and counseling guidelines and recommendations for providing quality sexual and reproductive health services.

11:55AM – 12:55PM Workshop Breakout #2

Session 1:

“School Based Oral Health Policies”

Presenters: Liliana Velazquez, The Children’s Partnership, Frances Walsh, The L.A. Trust for Children’s Health, Fatima Morales, Children Now

Room Location: Big Sur

Description:

The Children’s Partnership, Children Now, and the L.A. Trust for Children’s Health propose to do a workshop to highlight and help advance the importance of oral health care for children. We will briefly review the significance of good oral health for students and its impact on academic performance. The overviews will be given by advocate agencies that play a key role in moving policy forward and help to make the connection between oral health advocacy and school-based health services.

Session 2:

“Ahead of the Curve: Leveraging Continuous Quality Improvement as a Bridge to OST and Community Health”

Presenters: Amira Resnick, Ben Melendrez, Alliance for a Healthier Generation

Room Location: Sierra

Description:

This session will introduce standardized language and best practices regarding physical activity and healthy eating that can help bridge school and OST efforts to create healthier environments for youth. Participants will engage in collaborative, skill-building activities to learn the assessment tools and Wellness Policy Toolkits, and practice applying them. With a focus on peer-learning, participants will generate ideas, partnerships, and reflect on existing best practices for bridging school, OST, and community efforts to promote health. The session will open with a physical activity ice-breaker to “walk the talk” and close with a reflection to identify next steps in this work.

Session 3:

“Youth Rights: Sexual and Reproductive Health Policies in School-Based Health Settings”

Presenter: Sylvia Castillo, California Family Health Council

Room Location: *Tahoe*

Description:

Providing high-quality, confidential sexual and reproductive health care services to teens and young adults reduces the risk of unintended pregnancy and sexual transmitted infections, and improves overall health and education outcomes. This session will review the legal protections California offers and best practices for teens and young adults to access these services, including the right to receive comprehensive, medically-accurate sex education in public schools, the ability for minors to consent to and obtain sensitive services confidentially, obtain confidential services under a parent’s health insurance plan, and seeking services during school hours.

12:55PM – 1:50PM

Lunch & Plenary: A Place for SBHCs within the New Era of Alternative Payment Models in Medicaid

Presenters: Ben L. Bynum, M.D., Vital Healthcare Capital, Winston F. Wong, M.D., Disparities Improvement and Quality Initiatives Kaiser Permanente

Room Location: Redwood

Description:

Executive Summary: SBHCs are a key part of the health care delivery system in many states, particularly in addressing the needs of low income and underserved communities. As the momentum for adopting alternative payment models (APM) develops and influences the reimbursement of Medicaid services, SBHCs should be included in APM models. SBHCs serve as vital primary care sites for youth living in low income communities. Delivery systems undergoing alternative payment model reform will do well to leverage SBHCs as a means to address health disparities experienced by low income, underserved youth.