

2017 Pesticide Regulatory Education Program
Pesticides and Public Health Pest PREP Course
Seattle, Washington – Draft 7-10



DAY 1: Monday
July 17, 2017

Leeward Room

- 6:45 Breakfast in the Windward Room
- 7:45 Registration and Coffee/Tea
- 8:00 **Welcome to the Pesticides and Public Health Pest PREP Course**
Hector Castro, Communications Director, Washington State Department of Agriculture, Policy & Communications
Dea Zimmerman, US EPA Office of Pesticide Programs, Field & External Affairs Division
Carol Black, Washington State University
- 8:30 **Icebreaker and Introduction Exercise**
- 9:15 **Overview of Office of Pesticide Programs Authorities and Activities for Public Health Pests**
Susan Jennings, Senior Advisor on Public Health, US EPA Office of Pesticide Programs
- 9:45 **FY18-21 FIFRA Cooperative Agreement Guidance and Public Health Pests**
Dea Zimmerman, US EPA Office of Pesticide Programs, Field & External Affairs Division
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 **Association of Structural Pest Control Regulatory Officials (ASPCRO) Current Activities and Workgroups on Public Health Pests**
Liza Fleeson Trossbach, Virginia Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services
- 10:45 **Proactive Communication about Pesticide Applications in Metropolitan Areas**
Hector Castro, Washington State Department of Agriculture, Policy & Communications
Karla Salp, Washington State Department of Agriculture, Policy & Communications
- 11:45 Group Photo
- 12:00 Luncheon in the Windward Room
- 1:00 **Risk Communication**
Eric McNulty, Harvard T. H. Chan School of Public Health
- **Why Risk Communication Is an Exercise in Leadership**
 - **Understanding the Risk Situation**
- 3:00 Break
- **Connectivity: Three Zones of Risk Communication**
 - **Case Discussion**
 - **Conclusion and Final Discussion**
- 5:00 **Adjourn**
- 5:30 **One-Hour Hotel Reception – Top of the Hilton - Soundview**



DAY 2: Tuesday
July 18, 2017

Leeward Room

- 6:45 Breakfast in the Windward Room
- 8:00 **A Brief Overview of the Incident Command Structure**
Dea Zimmerman, US EPA Office of Pesticide Programs, Field & External Affairs Division
- 8:15 **Overview of the Zika Virus Health Threat and Associated Mosquitoes**
Sarah Michaels, New Orleans Mosquito, Rodent, & Termite Control Board
- 8:25 **EPA Office of Pesticide Programs Zika Response Activities and Communications with Regions and SLAs**
Susan Jennings, US EPA Office of Pesticide Programs
- 8:45 **Florida's Response and Lessons Learned with Zika**
Kelly Friend, Florida Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services
- 9:30 **City of New Orleans' Response and Zika Preparations**
Sarah Michaels, New Orleans Mosquito, Rodent, & Termite Control Board
- 9:50 **Facilitated Discussion on Lessons Learned with a Focus on Mosquito Vectors**
Linda Johns, Montana Department of Agriculture
- 10:10 Break
- 10:25 **Ticks and Human Disease Threats in the United States**
William Nicholson, CDC National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Disease
- 10:50 **A Case Study for Addressing Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever**
William Nicholson, CDC National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Disease
- 11:15 **New York Tick Response Experiences**
Joyce Rodler, New York Department of Environmental Conservation
- 11:30 **New Hampshire Tick Response Experiences**
David Rousseau, New Hampshire Division of Pesticide Control
- 11:45 **Facilitated Discussion on Lessons Learned with Public Health Pest Response Plans**
Linda Johns, Montana Department of Agriculture
- 12:00 Luncheon in Windward Room
- 12:15 Luncheon Address: **Efforts in Global Health and Vectors**
Dan Strickman, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
- 1:00 **Registration Challenges When Facing Public Health Threats**
- Section 24(c) Special Local Need Registrations – *Charlie Clark, Florida Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services (Adobe Connect)*
 - Section 18 Exemptions from Registration – *Mike Kelly, Texas Department of Agriculture*
 - Illegal Products in the Marketplace – *Lucia Graham, California Department of Pesticide Regulation*
 - Pest Control Devices – *Ed White, Office of Indiana State Chemist*



- 2:15 **Facilitated Discussion on Registration Issues**
John Pitcock, Kentucky Department of Agriculture
- 2:45 Break
- 3:00 **Pesticide Applicator Certification and Licensing Programs: Categories and Capacity for Addressing Public Health Pests**
Derrick Lastinger, Georgia Department of Agriculture
Jennifer Wren, Georgia Department of Agriculture
Mike Kelly, Texas Department of Agriculture
- 4:00 **Novel Approaches for Mosquito Control**
Sarah Michaels, New Orleans Mosquito, Rodent, & Termite Control Board
- 5:00 **Adjourn**

DAY 3: Wednesday
July 19, 2017

Leeward Room

- 6:45 Breakfast in the Windward Room
- 8:00 **The One Health Concept for Zoonotic Diseases and Public Health Pests**
Wayne Clifford, Washington State Department of Health
- 9:00 **Norway and Roof Rat Behavior as it Applies to Management**
Timothy Madere, New Orleans Mosquito, Rodent, & Termite Control Board
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 **Proper Rodenticide Use and Pesticide Label Interpretation**
Timothy Madere, New Orleans Mosquito, Rodent, & Termite Control Board
- 11:15 **The Myths for Norway and Roof Rat Management**
Timothy Madere, New Orleans Mosquito, Rodent, & Termite Control Board
- 11:30 Luncheon in Windward Room
- 12:30 **Walking / Metro Bus Field Trip**
- **Rodent Management at Pike's Place Market**
 - **Infectious Disease Research Institute**
 - **Washington State Department of Health Hotel Inspections**
- 5:00 **Return to Hotel**



DAY 4: Thursday
July 20, 2017

Leeward Room

- 6:45 Breakfast in the Windward Room
- 8:00 **Management and Outreach Strategies for Programs, Projects, and Rules that Have Push Back from the Public**
Annemarie and Hans Bleiker, Institute for Participatory Management & Planning
- 9:45 Break
- 10:00 **Management and Outreach Strategies for Programs, Projects, and Rules that Have Push Back from the Public – continued**
- 11:45 **Head Up the Elevator to Lunch**
- 12:00 Luncheon in the [Top of Hilton – Soundview](#)
- 1:00 **Public Health Pest Response - Breakout Group Activity**
1: Sleepless in Seattle
2: Rat Tat Tat
3: Houston, We Have a Problem
4: Tick Tock Goes the Peri-Urban Clock
- 1:55 **Report out on Responses**
- 2:45 Break
- 3:00 **Federal Aviation Administration Regulations for Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS) for Pesticide Applications**
TBD, Federal Aviation Administration
- 3:20 **Drone Seed Experiences with 1) FAA Exemptions/Waivers to Apply Pesticides with Drones and 2) Applicator Certification in Multiple States**
Logan Ullyott, Drone Seed Company
- 3:45 **Washington Experiences with Application Certification and UAS Equipment Registration**
Lindsey Moses, Washington State Department of Agriculture
- 4:00 **Facilitated Discussion on UAS**
Robby Personette, Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade, & Consumer Protection
- 4:15 **Wrap Up and Action Items**
Dea Zimmerman, US EPA Office of Pesticide Programs, Field & External Affairs Division
- 4:30 **WSU PREP Campus Recognition**
- 5:00 **Adjourn**
- 6:15 **Off-Site Group Dinner at Elephant & Castle (1415 Fifth Avenue)**