Alabama Asthma Coalition
Annual Meeting
September 21, 2018
ADPH in Montgomery

The Alabama Asthma Coalition is pleased to announce the Program for the September 21, 2018 meeting to be held at the Alabama Department of Health, 3060 Mobile Highway, Montgomery, AL 36108. The meeting will be from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Lunch will be provided by AstraZenaca.

The presentation are a broad sampler of asthma initiatives in Education, Healthcare or Advocacy. They include reports & updates from the EPA, ADPH, and AAP-AL Chapter. There are research posters and innovative presentations. There will be small group discussions for the three focus areas on priorities.

Complete the Doodle Link Below with your Full name, Credentials, and Plans to attend: https://doodle.com/poll/ntth83qsagfben2v

Any inquiries about the Call for Abstracts should be submitted to alabamaasthmacoalition@gmail.com
Alabama Asthma Coalition (AAC) Quarterly Meeting-
September 21, 2018
Alabama Department of Health,
3060 Mobile Highway, Montgomery, AL 36108.
The meeting will be from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

8:40-9:00 Meet & Greet/Set up Posters & Displays

9:00 Welcome from Steering Committee: Ellen Buckner, Chair, Ashley Lyerly, Vice-Chair, Linda Gibson-Young, and Amy Cajacob.

9:10-10:00 Presentations (15 minutes each):

a. Home Characteristics, Asthma Triggers Checklist, EPA Updates (Heidi LeSane, EPA)
b. Managing Asthma in Schools: Partnering with School Nurses for Asthma Education (Linda Gibson, Julee Waldrop, Brenda Lindahl)
c. Medicaid updates and transition programs (Felecia Pike, CHA, SW)

d. Improving Care for Pediatric Patients with Asthma in the Emergency Department: A Quality Improvement Project (Ashleigh F. Bowman, CRNP, MSN, CPNP-AC U. South Alabama) Lisa Dailey, DNP, NNP-BC, CPNP-AC University of South Alabama
e. Interprofessional Asthma Education for Self-Management (Donna Copeland, Ellen Buckner, Kristina Miller, Tim Optholt, USA, Samford)
f. Variations of PM2.5 and ozone levels in the southern region of the United States and their effects on health and medical expenditures Azita Amiri, PhD, Wafa Hakim Orman, PhD Brinda Mahalingam, PhD Anton Derbes (UAH)

10:00-11:00 Group/Committee Discussions (Review all 3 Priorities and Action Planning)

11:00-11:30 Break: View Posters/Displays
11:30-12:20 Presentations

  g. Network Perspective: State Asthma Coalition Partners (Stephanie Smith, UNM, virtual)
  h. Tobacco & Asthma Education Reimbursement Process (Ashley Lyerly, ALA)
  i. Updates from AAP/Alabama Child Health Improvement Alliance (Champion-AAP)

12:20-1:00 Lunch Sponsored by AstraZeneca, presentation “Fasenra (benralizumab) Subcutaneous Injection: A targeted treatment approach” by Sajani Barot (Mehta), Pharm.D, MBA, Senior Medical Science Liaison, Respiratory & Immunology-MS, AL, AstraZeneca, LP. (Presentation will not have CEU credit)

AAC Business meeting-Upcoming survey and webinars 2018-2019

1:00-1:50 Presentations:

  j. Extending Access to Care Using Telehealth (Sondra Reese, Carolyn Bern-ADPH)
  k. Focusing on Risk and on Treatment in Severe Asthma (Weilly Soong)
  l. Asthma Camps-WheezeAway, Asthma Camp Eagle, Consortium of Children’s Asthma Camps (Brenda Basnight, Linda Gibson-Young, Ellen Buckner)

1:50-2:00 Wrap up, Evaluation, Final Action Agenda for 2018-2019

This activity has been submitted to Alabama State Nurses Association (ASNA) for approval to award contact hours. Alabama State Nurses Association is accredited as an approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

Calendar:
AAC Survey September-October 2018
Webinars in November, 2018, February 2019, April 2019
Asthma Camps in Summer 2019
Annual Meeting September 2019