ACTSI – Community Engagement Research Program (CERP) 

Presents

Community Health Matters:

“Building Successful Academic and Community Partnerships to Achieve Health Equity”

When: Thursday, May 28, 2015 (9:00am – 4:45pm) & Friday, May 29, 2015 (9:00am-12:30 pm)

Keynote Speaker: Derrick Tabor, PhD, Program Director, Center of Excellence Program (P20) 
National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NIMHD)

What: The 2nd Annual CERP Community Partnership Forum will provide participants with the tools required to develop and sustain, successful and mutually-beneficial, community-university research partnerships to increase public health in Atlanta, and beyond.

Why: 1) To identify public, private and community organizations that wish to participate in Community-based Participatory Research (CBPR).
2) To forge strong alliances among academic and community-based organizations to accelerate community development.
3) To provide Training Workshops on key topics requested by our partners.
4) To highlight current and previously funded “Best Practices” in CERP community focused research.
5) To increase capacity-building to improve the health of citizens throughout Atlanta.

Where: Morehouse School of Medicine (MSM), National Center for Primary Care Building, 720 Westview Drive, SW, Atlanta, GA. 30310

RSVP Required: For additional information please contact or RSVP to Ms. Gail McCray 
Phone: 404-752-1645; Email: gmccray@msm.edu
*Please provide your Name, Title, Organization, Telephone, Fax and E-mail address

To register online for the Forum: https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=6e3194
Driving Directions/Parking:

From I-285 SE
- I-285SE to I-20 West
- I-75/85N to I-20 West
- I-20 West to Atlanta University Center/Lee Street Exit (Exit #55B).
- At end of exit ramp (at stoplight), turn right onto Lee Street.
- Go one block to the first driveway on the right and turn in to the parking garage (by the Security Gate).
- After parking, take the elevator down to the ground level and sign in at the Security Desk in the Public Safety Office.
- Security will direct you to your destination.

From I-285 SW
- I-285SW to I-20 East
- I-20 East to Lowery Boulevard/Atlanta University Center/Lee Street Exit (Exit #55A&B).
- Go to second red light at Lee Street.
- Turn left onto Lee Street and go through the red light to the first driveway on the right and turn into the parking garage (by the Security Gate).
- After parking, take the elevator down to the ground level and sign in at the Security Desk in the Public Safety Office.
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**Public Transportation:**

MSM is accessible by the Metro Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority (MARTA). The closest stop is the West End. For more information about public transportation, visit [MARTA](#).

**Local Accommodations:**

Below is a listing of hotels that are convenient to the MSM Westview campus. The numbers in parentheses indicate the distance from campus.

1) **Castleberry Inn & Suites (0.8 miles)**
   186 Northside Drive Southwest, Atlanta, GA 30313
   Phone: (404) 893-4663; [Website: Castleberry.ReservationCounter.com]

2) **Omni Hotel at CNN Center (1.5 miles)**
   100 CNN Center
   Atlanta, GA -30303; [Website: OmniHotelAtlanta.Reservations.com]

3) **Hilton Garden Inn Atlanta Downtown (1.6 miles)**
   275 Baker Street, Atlanta, GA 30313
   Phone: (404) 577-2001; [Website: Hilton.ReservationCounter.com]

4) **Holiday Inn Atlanta Downtown-Centennial Park Hotel (1.7 miles)**
   101 Andrew Young International Blvd., Atlanta, GA 30313
   Phone: (404) 604-2031; [Website: www.holidayinn.com/Atlanta]

5) **The Westin Peachtree Plaza (1.8 miles)**
   210 Peachtree Street, Atlanta, GA 30303
   Phone: (866) 716-8128; [Website: WestinPlazaAtlanta.Reservations.com]

6) **The Ritz-Carlton, Atlanta Downtown (1.9 miles)**
   181 Peachtree Street, Atlanta, GA 30303
   Phone: (404) 215-4666; [Website: Ritz-Carlton.ReservationCounter.com]
   **Ask For:** Morehouse School of Medicine Rate

7) **Atlanta Marriott Marquis (2 miles)**
   265 Peachtree Center Avenue NE, Atlanta, GA 30303
   Phone: (404) 521-0000; [Website: www.atlantadowntown.com/go/atlanta-marriott-marquis]