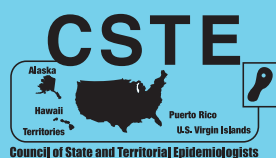


2011-2012 annual report



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Letter from the President and the Executive Director

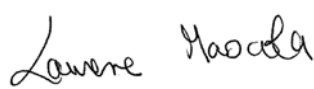
Dear CSTE members, leaders, partners, and stakeholders,

The Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists' 2011-2012 Fiscal Year brought change and opportunity. We hosted the 2012 CSTE Annual Conference, Public Health in 2012: Stand Up and Be Counted, in Omaha, NE, which boasted 94 breakout sessions, 54 roundtable sessions, 3 well-attended plenary sessions, a record 12 pre-conference workshops and meetings, and more. We said goodbye to Executive Director Pat McConnon, who retired after 10 years at CSTE. And we welcomed our new Executive Director, Jeffrey Engel, who comes to CSTE with public health experience in North Carolina as State Health Officer and State Epidemiologist.

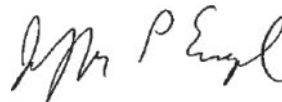
Since the close of the last fiscal year, CSTE has announced a new strategic plan that lays out a new vision, "using the power of epidemiology to improve the public's health," as well as new objectives for the organization. CSTE is well-positioned to remain relevant and responsive to its members as the home for applied public health epidemiologists.

This report outlines our progress and accomplishments during the 2011-2012 Fiscal Year as we look forward to our continued work to support applied epidemiology and public health surveillance.

Sincerely,



Laurene Mascola



Jeff Engel



Laurene Mascola, MD, MPH
*Los Angeles County
Department of Public Health
2012-13 CSTE President*



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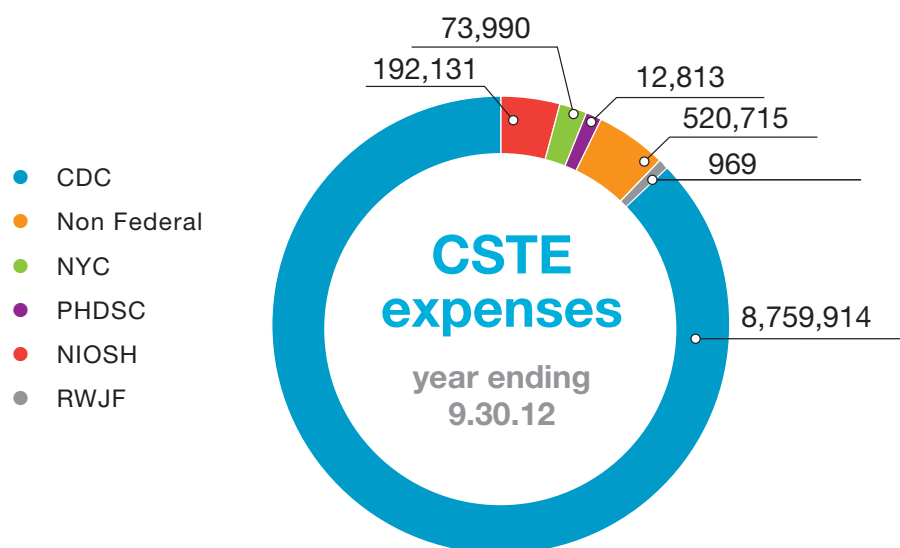
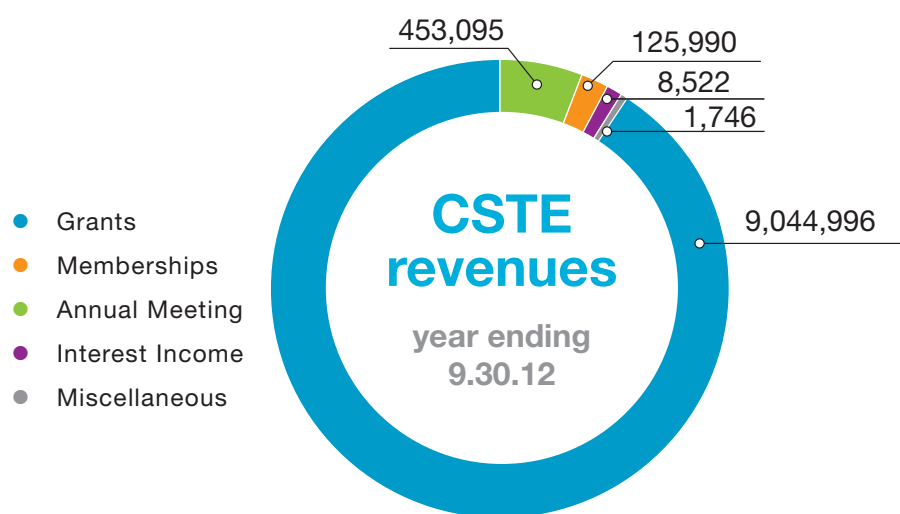
Oregon Department of Human Services

JOE MCLAUGHLIN

Member At-Large

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and Social Services

financials for year-ending september 30, 2012



2012

state dues paid

	Paid	Unpaid
Alabama	✓	
Alaska	✓	
American Samoa		✓
Arizona	✓	
Arkansas	✓	
California	✓	
Colorado	✓	
Connecticut	✓	
Delaware	✓	
District of Columbia	✓	
Federated States of Micronesia		✓
Florida	✓	
Georgia	✓	
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Nebraska	✓	
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New Hampshire	✓	
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New Mexico	✓	
New York	✓	
North Carolina	✓	
North Dakota	✓	
Northern Mariana Island		✓
Ohio	✓	
Oklahoma	✓	
Oregon	✓	
Pennsylvania	✓	
Puerto Rico	✓	
Rhode Island	✓	
South Carolina	✓	
South Dakota	✓	
Tennessee	✓	
Texas	✓	
Utah	✓	
Vermont	✓	
Virgin Islands		✓
Virginia	✓	
Washington	✓	
West Virginia	✓	
Wisconsin	✓	
Wyoming	✓	

steering committee accomplishments

Core and National Office Activities

- CSTE served as liaisons to ASTHO, APHL, USDA, CDC, FDA, and other organizations and agencies
- Leadership and member participation on CIFOR, JPHIT, the ELR Taskforce, and ACIP
- Provided subject matter experts to meet with CDC leaders and within its Centers, Institutes, and Offices to strategize for success on topical issues, assessment, data analysis, survey design and execution, informatics and interpretation of public health data
- Continued to create a recognizable forum and network for epidemiologists and public health professionals to seek guidance on policy, methods, interpretation of reports, professional development and other resources for use in their daily activities as applied public health epidemiologists
- Provided technical assistance to public health agencies and organizations and related institutions
- Hosted the 2012 CSTE Annual Conference (“Public Health 2012: Stand Up and Be Counted”) in Omaha, NE in June 2012, which included 12 concurrent preconference workshops, 94 breakout sessions, numerous roundtable sessions, and hundreds of poster presentations
- Supported three regional epidemiology meetings – the Northeast, Southeast, and Western epidemiology meetings
- Conducted national assessments to determine the authority and respective responsibilities of federal, state, local, and tribal governments to conduct the public health core functions most closely related to epidemiology and surveillance, such as:
 - o State Reportable Conditions Assessment
 - o Varicella surveillance assessment
 - o 2012 NEDSS assessment
 - o Assessment of state public health department access to state workers’ compensation data
 - o International Health Regulations assessment
- Published articles and reports including the following examples:
 - o October 21, 2011 – State Electronic Disease Surveillance Systems – United States, 2007 and 2010 – *MMWR*
 - o December 23, 2011 – Food Safety Epidemiology Capacity in State Health Departments – United States, 2010 – *MMWR*
 - o January 2012 – Challenges to Recruitment and Retention of the State Health Department Epidemiology Workforce – *American Journal of Preventive Medicine*
 - o March 30, 2012 – The Epidemiology Workforce in State and Local Health Departments —United States, 2010 – *MMWR*
 - o National assessments of epidemiology capacity
 - o 4 CSTE quarterly newsletters

steering committee accomplishments

Chronic Disease/Maternal and Child Health/ Oral Health Steering Committee

- Participated in consultancies to provide expert testimony and input as it relates to epidemiology and surveillance, such as Youjie Huang from the Florida Department of Health, who provided support in the development of a pilot of the Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System in Bangladesh in December 2011 and Patti McKane for the Michigan Department of Community Health who served on the PRAMS Scientific Workgroup and provided input on improving the PRAMS questionnaire.
- Attended and supported the attendance of members to national meetings to establish partnerships and provide technical expertise and the 9th National Forum for Heart Disease & Stroke Prevention and the 17th Annual Maternal and Child Health Epidemiology Conference
- Authored 2 position statements on revisions of the National Oral Health Surveillance System: *Proposed New and Revised Indicators for the National Oral Health Surveillance System (12-CD-01)* and *Developmental and Emerging Indicators for the National Oral Health Surveillance System (12-CD-02)*
- Convened a workgroup and began drafting an orientation manual for lead chronic disease epidemiologists
- Cohosted (with NACDD and/or CDC) a number of webinars for chronic disease epidemiologists, including a training on the new BRFSS Ranking Methods, Effective Distribution of Public Health Data, and the Health Equity Index.
- Provided ongoing support of the MCH Epi Group, a collaboration between CSTE, AMCHP, and CityMatCH to promote the use of data to guide public health practice and improve maternal and child health
- Conducted a national assessment of methods and best practices used by maternal and child health epidemiologist in conjunction with AMCHP and CityMatCH through the MCH Epi Group
- Developed program specific modules for the 2013 Epidemiology Capacity Assessment in the areas of chronic disease, maternal & child health, and oral health for deployment in early 2013

steering committee accomplishments

Cross Cutting Steering Committees

- Hosted an in-person meeting of the Health Disparities Subcommittee in May 2011 in collaboration with CDC's Office of Minority Health and Health Disparities to establish a framework for indicator methodology and measuring and tracking health disparities in state, local, tribal, and territorial health agencies. This meeting produced an interim document from collaborators at the Harvard School of Public Health's Public Health Disparities Geocoding Project (PHDGP)
- Convened a regional workshop in February 2012 focusing on promoting AI/AN health and improving the quality of and access to health data for AI/AN people in the Western United States (AK, AZ, CA, CO, ID, NM, NV, OR, UT, and WA) that included representatives from federal partners such as IHS, state and local health departments, TECs, tribes, and tribal health programs
- Awarded the "National Epidemiology Recognition Award for Outstanding Practice in Addressing Racial and Ethnic Disparities" to Ashley Borin, a CDC/CSTE Applied Epidemiology Fellow at the Multnomah County Health Department in maternal and child health, for her work on racial disparities of self-reported postpartum depressive symptoms among foreign born women in Oregon
- Supported 52 CSTE Applied Epidemiology Fellows in 29 states and 6 large cities/counties. Placements included fellows in the following program areas:
 - o 31 infectious disease
 - o 6 maternal and child health
 - o 8 environmental health
 - o 4 chronic disease
 - o 1 substance abuse
 - o 2 injury billets
- Provided a competency-based Fellowship training and orientation for Class IX Fellows in late August 2011, which focused on improving writing and presentation skills, knowledge of the public health system, public health law, risk communications, and other subjects pertinent to the transition of fellows into applied epidemiology roles
- Awarded scholarships to 10 epidemiologists at state and local health departments to participate in the University of Illinois at Chicago's online Public Health Informatics Certificate program
- Established the Applied Public Health Informatics Fellowship (APHIF) program, in collaboration with CDC, ASTHO, and PHII
- Selected 8 Class I APHIF Fellows to strengthen the workforce in applied public health informatics at state and local health agencies
- Convened 7 new State Epidemiologists in February 2012 to meet with over 60 CDC subject matter experts and leaders and become familiar with activities and resources that support state health departments

steering committee accomplishments

Environmental Health/Occupational Health/Injury Steering Committee

- Produce and refined a suite of climate change indicator templates (informational guides) and how-to guides (instructional guides), piloting them in 10 states and 1 municipality
- Made the completed indicators available to all state and local health departments and other interested professionals
- Convened the 3rd Disaster Epidemiology Workshop in May 2012 to discuss *Improving and Sustaining Epidemiologic Practice in Disasters and Emergency Events*
- Convened the inaugural Regional Disaster Epidemiology Training in April 2012 to bring together 3 existing federal tools for epidemiologists in disaster settings – Community Assessment for Public Health Emergency Response (CASPER), Emergency Responder Health Monitoring and Surveillance (ERHMS), and the Assessment of Chemical Exposures (ACE)
- Developed guidelines for biomonitoring activities in state, local and territorial health agencies to provide information about the design, conduct, interpretation, and application of biomonitoring activities in public health settings
- Conducted an assessment of state cancer cluster investigations and protocols to further our understanding of how states and local health departments approach cancer cluster investigations, the extent of their involvement in these investigations, the resources used in these investigations, and the resources needed
- Participated in consultancy opportunities as requested by public health partners related to environmental health, such as:
 - o ASTHO-organized National Alliance for Radiation Readiness (NARR), which has developed a website for the Alliance and a toolkit on responding to a dirty bomb incident for inclusion in the NARR clearinghouse
 - o Unregulated Drinking Water Initiative (UDWI) led by the Tracking Program at CDC/NCEH
 - o Leadership group for the CDC-organized poison community of practice, which has developed a national assessment to identify common impediments to poison center-health department collaborations and identify best practices
 - o Safe States Injury Surveillance Workgroup (ISW), which focuses on surveillance for poisonings
 - o APHA national environmental health partnership council
- Maintained 20 occupational health indicators to help states build occupational health capacity by providing them with tools to collect and generate important basic information about the occupational health status of the community
- Published the 2008 occupational health indicator data
- Developed a standard set of Occupational Health Indicators that could be used to measure the baseline health of working populations and changes that take place over time to improve consistency and availability of occupational disease and injury surveillance data

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steering committee accomplishments

Environmental Health/Occupational Health/Injury Steering Committee

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- Met regularly with NIOSH staff and other federal and non-federal partners to continue serving as an important vehicle for ongoing communication between NIOSH and states
- Defined the role of states in a nationwide occupational health surveillance system
- Outlined guidelines for minimum and comprehensive state-based occupational health activities
- Developed a set of occupational health indicators to provide information about a population's health status with respect to workplace injury and illness
- Provided technical assistance to states with little occupational health surveillance capacity
- Authored and introduced 1 occupational health position statement to influence national policy and standards around epidemiology and surveillance
- Participated in consultancies to provide expert testimony and input as it relates to epidemiology and surveillance, such as Martha Stanbury of the Michigan Department of Community Health, who represented CSTE at the first meeting of the National Environmental Health Partnership Council April 4-5, 2012

Infectious Disease Steering Committee

- Co-chaired CIFOR, a multi-disciplinary collaboration that has developed and distributed national guidelines and training opportunities for conducting foodborne surveillance, outbreak, and response activities
- Funded 22 multidisciplinary trainings in state and regional sites for 1,068 public health professionals during 2011-2012 to use the CIFOR Toolkit to identify recommendations from the *CIFOR Guidelines for Foodborne Disease Outbreak Response* and improve outbreak response in their jurisdictions
- Participated in infectious disease-related consultancy opportunities requested by public health partners
- Coordinated peer-to-peer technical assistance consultations for new and less established HIV Surveillance Coordinators
- Funded Arizona, Oklahoma, and New Mexico to study the risk factors for pH1N1 deaths in American Indian individuals matching AI/AN deaths to hospitalized and outpatient controls in order to develop a better understanding of mortality risk factors in the AI/AN population

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steering committee accomplishments

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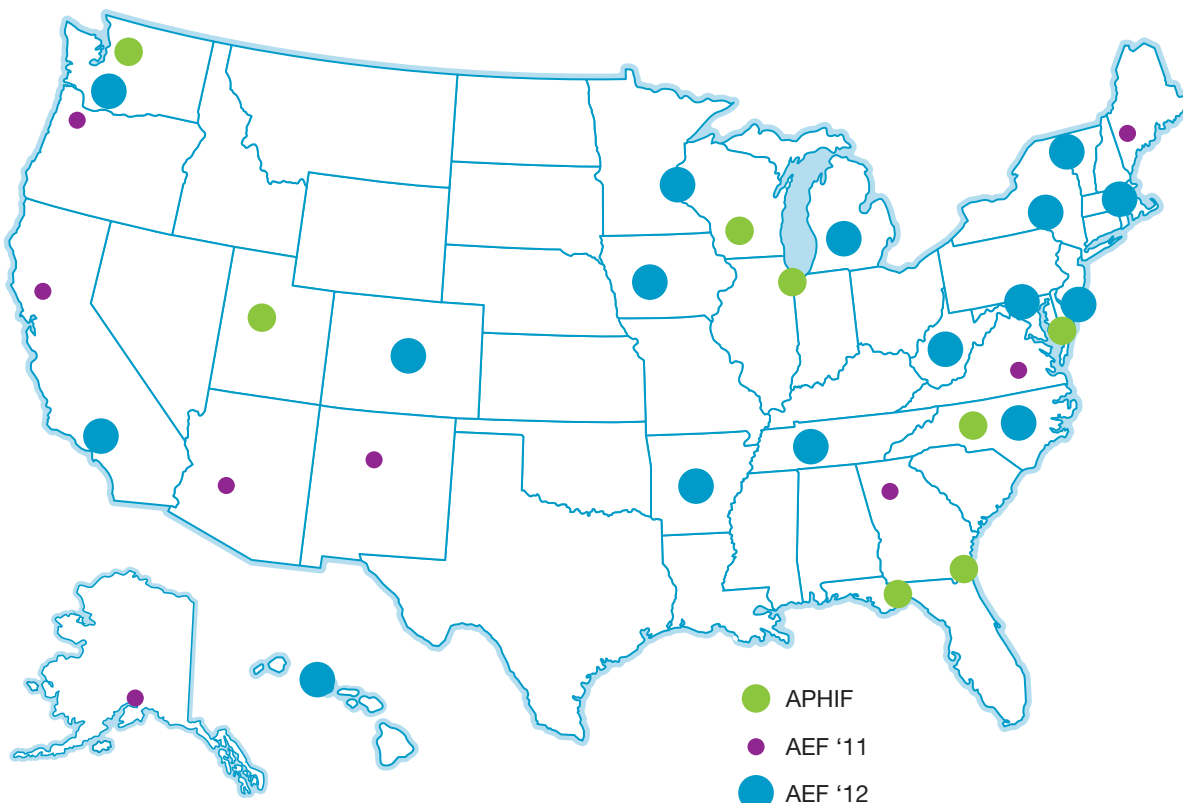
- Queried HIV Surveillance Coordinators to better describe the current resources, needs, infrastructure, and practices of state and local HIV surveillance programs in order to form recommendations about the HIV Surveillance FOA in February 2012
- Participated in an advisory group to revise chapters of the Technical Guidance for HIV/AIDS Surveillance Programs
- Hosted a webinar series to introduce HIV surveillance programs to the revised Technical Guidance chapters and explain how programs can implement the revised guidance
- Developed the HIV Surveillance Coordinators Training Manual
- Hosted an introductory webinar about the CDC Data Security and Confidentiality Guidelines for HIV, STD, TB, and hepatitis programs
- Revised the Epi-Ready Training course modules and completed pilots in early 2012
- Convened 2 CIFOR Council meetings in September 2011 and March 2012
- Finalized the *Evaluation of Cluster Definitions for Foodborne Outbreak Investigations*
- Co-hosted the “Culture-Independent Diagnostic Testing Forum: Charting a Path for Public Health” with CDC and APHL in April 2012
- Increased preparedness for an influenza pandemic or other potential large scale infectious disease outbreaks through improved surveillance and response methods by supporting twelve states and large urban areas to participate in the Influenza Incidence Surveillance Project
- Funded 5 pilot states to continue evaluating influenza-associated hospitalization reporting
- Supported an annual national meeting of Influenza Surveillance Coordinators in conjunction with CDC
- Authored and introduced 14 infectious disease position statements to influence national policy and standards around epidemiology and surveillance
- Participated in consultancies to provide expert testimony and input as it relates to epidemiology and surveillance, such as:
 - Richard Danila from the Minnesota Department of Health represented CSTE at the Board of Scientific Counselors Meeting held in Atlanta, GA by CDC’s Office of Public Health Preparedness and Response in early 2012.
 - CSTE participated in Influenza Surveillance Reviews to perform routine and 5-year reviews of countries receiving CDC Influenza Division international non-research cooperative agreement funds to build capacity in laboratory and epidemiologic surveillance. These reviews have been completed with input from CSTE members such as Katrina Hedberg (State Epidemiologist, OR), Duc Vugia (Infectious Disease Branch Chief, CA) and Joseph McLaughlin (State Epidemiologist, AK) in Armenia, Georgia, and Nepal, respectively.

steering committee accomplishments

Surveillance/Informatics Steering Committee

- Updated and displayed the data gathered via the National and State Notifiable Disease Surveillance System (NNDSS)
- Populated a knowledgebase for the National Notifiable Disease Surveillance System (NNDSS) to include the State Reportable Conditions Assessment, State Reportable Query-Results Webpage, State Reportable Weblinks, Nationally Notifiable Conditions position statements, and the list of Nationally Notifiable Conditions
- Launched the 2011 State Reportable Conditions Assessment (SRCA) to update the list of nationally notifiable diseases and capture all state reportable diseases
- Submitted comments to the Federal Register on proposed changes to the Common Rule regarding Human Subjects Research Protections
- Shared information with members related to Meaningful Use and the Medicare and Medicaid Electronic Health Record Incentive Program. The public health objectives in Stages 1 and 2 of Meaningful Use, including electronic laboratory reporting, immunization registry reporting, and syndromic surveillance, are key activities in state and local health departments, and these rules have greatly affected state epidemiology programs.
- Submitted comments in response to the Notice of Proposed Rule Making for Stage 2 of Meaningful Use, recommendations on the 2014 Edition Electronic Health Records (EHR) Standards and Certification Criteria, and comments on the HHS Action Plan to Prevent Healthcare-Associated Infections modules on Ambulatory Surgical Centers and Long-Term Care Facilities

fellowship placements



As shown on this map, CSTE is impacting the applied public health workforce across the country. This map shows the current placements for fellows in the Applied Epidemiology Fellowship and the Applied Public Health Informatics Fellowship.

• AEF '11

Alaska
Oregon
California
Arizona
New Mexico
Georgia
Virginia
Washington
Maine

• AEF '12

Hawaii
Washington
California
New Hampshire
Vermont
Maryland
Tennessee
Arkansas
Colorado
Minnesota
Iowa
Michigan

• APHIF

Washington
Florida
Wisconsin
Illinois
Rhode Island

annual conference awards



Distinguished Leadership Award

The second annual CSTE Distinguished Leadership Award was presented to Dr. Marion Kainer. The award recognizes the efforts of a current CSTE Subcommittee Chair, Liaison, or Consultant who provides guidance, leadership, and dedication to the organization over the previous year.



Distinguished Partner Award

The second annual CSTE Distinguished Partner Award was presented to Dr. Matthew Boulton. The award recognizes an individual or organization that makes significant contributions to CSTE and the work of CSTE members.



Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) National Award for Outstanding Epidemiology Practice in Addressing Racial and Ethnic Disparities

The 2012 RWJF award was presented to Ashley Borin, a CDC/CSTE Applied Epidemiology Fellow at the Multnomah County Health Department in Portland, Oregon.



Pumphandle Award

The Pumphandle Award is awarded annually for outstanding achievement in the field of applied epidemiology. Two recipients were recognized:

Dr. Richard Hopkins of the Florida Department of Health.

and

Dr. Donald Hopkins of the Carter Center



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Super Staff Award

The twelfth annual Super Staff Award was presented to Annie Tran and Pat McConnon. The award was created as a way to recognize CSTE National Office Staff members for their dedication and for working “above and beyond” job requirements. Nominations are made and voted on by the CSTE staff.

Mentor Award

The third annual Mentor of the Year Award was presented to Alan Melnick. The award acknowledges the efforts of a primary mentor in the CDC/CSTE Applied Epidemiology Fellowship program who provides exceptional training experience, guidance, support, and dedication to the professional growth of the Fellow.

Hillary B. Foulkes Award

The sixth annual Hillary B. Foulkes Memorial Award was presented to two recipients: Teal Bell and Kim Hekman. The award is presented to a graduating Fellow in memory of Hillary Foulkes, a Class V CDC/CSTE Applied Epidemiology Fellow at the Texas Department of State Health Services working in Maternal and Child Health who unexpectedly passed away. The Hillary B. Foulkes Memorial Award was created to remember Hillary and her work by acknowledging a graduating Fellow who embodies her characteristics.

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position statements

Position statements and corresponding documents can be downloaded from the CSTE website at www.cste.org.

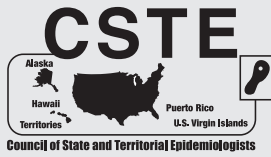
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Infectious Disease Steering Committee Statements		
Update to Public Health Reporting and National Notification for Hansen's disease	Raoult Ratard	12-ID-01
Public Health Reporting and National Notification for Leptospirosis	Brenda Rivera García	12-ID-02
Enhanced Laboratory Capability and Public Health Reporting for Brucella canis infections	James Kazmierczak	12-ID-03
Revisions Recommended for the Surveillance Case Definition for HIV infection	Eve Mokotoff	12-ID-05
Placing Central Line-Associated Bloodstream Infections (CLABSI) Under Nationwide Surveillance through the National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN)	Marion Kainer	12-ID-06
Public Health Reporting and National Notification for Measles	Kathleen Harriman	12-ID-07
Update to Rubella Case Definition	Kathryn Turner	12-ID-09
Environmental Health Steering Committee		
Proposal to support continuation of HAB illness surveillance with CDC coordination	Clifford S. Mitchell	12-EH-01
Chronic Disease Steering Committee		
Proposed New and Revised Indicators for the National Oral Health Surveillance System	Gregg M. Reed	12-CD-01
Developmental and Emerging Indicators for the National Oral Health Surveillance System	Gregg M. Reed	12-CD-02
Occupational Health Steering Committee		
Inclusion of Occupation and Industry as core data elements in Electronic Health Record (EHR) systems and in recommended elements in other minimum data sets	Robert Harrison	12-OH-01

subcommittees & liaisons by steering committee

Chronic Disease/ Maternal & Child Health/ Oral Health Steering Committee	Chair: Sara Huston, PhD
Subcommittees	
Cancer	Youjie Huang, MD
Chronic Disease Epidemiology Capacity Building	Renee Calanan, MS, PhD
Chronic Disease Surveillance and Informatics	Khosrow Heidari, MA, MS
Maternal and Child Health	Patricia McKane, DVM, MPH
Liaisons	
ASTHO Prevention Policy Committee	Chris Maylahn, MPH
BRFSS	Youjie Huang, MD
NACDD	Khosrow Heidari, MA, MS
National Salt Reduction Initiative	Juliet VanEenwyk, PhD, MS
Cross Cutting I Steering Committee	Chair: Katrina Hedberg, MD, MPH
Subcommittees	
Alcohol	Jim Roeber, MSPH
Alcohol and Other Drug Indicators	Steve Wirtz, PhD Tom Largo, MPH
Local Epidemiology	Brian Labus, MPH
Overdose	Denise Paone, EdD
Substance Abuse	Corinne Miller, PhD, DDS Michael Landen, MD, MPH
Workforce	Bob Harrison, MD, MPH
Liaisons	
SAMHSA	Duc Vugia, MD, MPH
Cross Cutting II Steering Committee	Chair: Joseph McLaughlin, MD, MPH, TM
Subcommittees	
Border / International Health	Ken Komatsu, MPH
Disparities	Duc Vugia, MD, MPH James Hadler, MD, MPH
Public Health Law	Priscilla Fox, BA, JD Jean O'Connor, JD, DrPH
Public Health Emergency Preparedness	Richard Danila, PhD, MPH
Tribal Epidemiology	Michael Landen, MD, MPH
Liaisons	
NACCHO	Cortland Lohff, MD, MPH
Environmental Health/ Occupational Health/ Injury Steering Committee	Chair: Martha Stanbury, MSPH
Subcommittees	
Climate Change	Paul English, PhD, MPH
Disaster Epidemiology	Rachel Roisman, MD, MPH
Environmental Epidemiology	Sharon Watkins, PhD, MA Henry Anderson, MD
Injury Surveillance and Control	Michael Bauer, MS

subcommittees & liaisons by steering committee

Occupational Health Surveillance	Tish Davis, ScD EdM Kenneth Rosenman, MD
Liaisons	
CDC/NIOSH Surveillance Coordination Group	Barbara Materna, PhD
CDC/NCEH	Jerry Fagliano, MD, PhD
Safe States (Formerly STIPDA)	Michael Bauer, MS
ASTHO Environmental Health Committee	Henry Anderson, MD
ASTHO Climate Change Collaborative	Paul English, PhD, MPH
ASTHO Radiation Alliance	Sharon Watkins, PhD
Infectious Disease Steering Committee	Chair: Alfred DeMaria, MD
Subcommittees	
Adult Immunization	Kathleen Harriman, PhD, MPH, RN
Child Immunization	Paul Cieslak, MD
Food Safety	Kirk Smith, DVM,MS, PhD
Healthcare-associated Infections	Marion Kainer, MD, MPH
HIV	Angelique Griffin, MPH
Influenza	Christine Hahn, MD Matthew Carter, MD, MPH
STDs	Lynn Sosa, MD
Liaisons	
ACIP	Christine Hahn, MD
ASTHO Infectious Diseases Committee	Christine Hahn, MD
FDA	Tim Jones, MD
HICPAC	Marion Kainer, MD, MPH
Immunization Action Coalition	Bernadette Albanese, MD, MPH
USDA	Vacant
NASPHV	Carina Blackmore, DVM, PhD
NASTAD	Angelique Griffin, MPH
NHSN Steering Committee	Marion Kainer, MD, MPH
Surveillance/Informatics Steering Committee	Chair: Janet Hamilton, MPH
Subcommittees	
Electronic Laboratory and Disease Reporting	Kathy Turner, MPH
Surveillance Policy	Tim Jones, MD
Surveillance Practice and Implementation	Lesliann Helmus, MS
Liaisons	
ASTHO Informatics Committee	Vacant
Epi-X	David Dassey MD, MPH
HL-7	Vacant
JPHIT	Corinne Miller, PhD
NAPHSIS	Steven Macdonald, PhD, MPH
NBS User Group	Erin Holt, MPH
Public Health Data Standards Consortium	David Blythe, MD, MPH



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