



"Introduction to Epidemiology in Public Health"

Monday, April 10, 2017 | 9:00am-4:30 pm | Atlanta Marriott Marquis Hotel



COURSE DESCRIPTION AND LEARNING OBJECTIVES

The purpose of this one-day interactive training is to cover basic skills and fundamentals of epidemiology to non-epidemiologists working in public health agencies.

The training workshop is part of the Region IV Public Health Training Center's **Public Health Practice Academy** series. The goal of the Public Health Practice Academy is to provide public health professionals, serving underserved populations and areas, with core skills that can be used in public health decision making.

By the end of this **specific training**, participants will be able to:

- ▶ Define epidemiology and how the science works to guide public health action
- ► Understand basic types of epidemiologic studies and the situations in which they are most appropriately used
- Calculate and interpret basic measures of frequency and measures of association used in public health settings

Series Objectives - By the end of the Academy, participants will be able to:

- ► Select sources of public health data and information
- Use a variety of approaches to disseminate public health information
- ▶ Apply knowledge towards the program planning process

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Target Audience: Public health practitioners in governmental public health, project managers/coordinators, analysts, administrators, health educators, program planners, nurses, physicians, and specialists from a variety of public health disciplines. This content is aimed for non-epidemiologists who would benefit from an introductory overview or refresher for basic content in epidemiology.



REGISTRATION AND LOGISTICS

► DATE/TIME: Monday, April 10, 2017 | 9:00am-4:30 pm (Sign-In begins at 8:30am)

▶ **LOCATION:** Atlanta Marriott Marquis Hotel 265 Peachtree Center Ave NE, Atlanta, GA 30303

► CONTACT/PLANNER: Michelle Carvalho, MPH, CHES, MLCARVA@emory.edu

REGISTER FOR THIS EVENT

Sign up as part of GPHA registration. The workshop is free and limited to the first 50 individuals with confirmed (paid) registration to the GPHA Annual Conference & Meeting.



CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

Continuing Education credits are offered at no additional cost.

▶ CME: This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention and School of Public Health, Emory University. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME®) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention designates this live educational activity for a maximum of **6.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits**™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.



- ► CNE: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention is accredited as a provider of Continuing Nursing Education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. This activity provides 6.0 contact hours.
- ▶ **IACET CEU:** The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention is authorized by IACET to offer **0.6 CEU's** for this program.
- ▶ CECH: Sponsored by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, a designated provider of continuing education contact hours (CECH) in health education by the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc. This program is designed for Certified Health Education Specialists (CHES) and/or Master Certified Health Education Specialists (MCHES) to receive up to 6 total Category I continuing education contact hours. Maximum advanced level continuing education contact hours available are 0. CDC provider number GA0082.

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