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**SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEALTH
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2019 SCPHA Annual Conference

Advocacy: The Voice of Public Health for Today and the Future

April 24 – 26, 2019
DoubleTree Resort by Hilton Myrtle Beach Ocean Front
(formally Springmaid Beach Resort)
Myrtle Beach, SC

Registration Information Packet

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Conference Overview and Tentative Agenda

Please join SCPHA at our 2019 SCPHA Annual Conference! “**Advocacy: The Voice of Public Health for Today and the Future**” to be held April 24 - 26, 2019, in the beautiful coastal city of **Myrtle Beach**. We’re excited to hold our conference back in Myrtle Beach again this year. We welcome our members and public health professional colleagues, as we network and learn. The focus of the conference is on the work we do with partners and further public health—in all fields and disciplines of public health.

We will convene **Wednesday, April 24 through Friday, April 26, 2019, at the DoubleTree Resort by Hilton, Myrtle Beach Ocean Front**, and the (former Springmaid Beach Resort). Join us on **Tuesday, April 23, 2019**, for early networking opportunities and our early-bird reception by checking in Tuesday, so you don’t miss a minute of the conference!

We are excited to announce our conference opening keynote speaker, Lisa F. Waddell, MD, MPH, Senior Vice President MCH and NICU Innovation and Deputy Medical Director with the March of Dimes. March of Dimes has built a successful, impactful 80 year legacy of research, education and advocacy for Moms and babies. Dr. Waddell leads a team to prevent preterm birth, birth defects, and infant mortality. She will share an overview of public health and partnerships from a national perspective.

We’re excited about our schedule of speakers and presenters on a variety of topics that will provide enhanced opportunities for collaborative relationships between professionals with various disciplines and staff from various agencies charged with addressing public health in South Carolina. The goal of the Annual Conference is to have collaborative work between those preparing for careers in Public Health and professionals performing heroic work each day.

The Continuing Education Committee will be applying for CEUs, as noted elsewhere in this document.

The tentative agenda outlines the conference’s activities and presentations by both keynote speakers and concurrent session speakers... Do not miss out as we will hear from public health professionals in agencies and academia, and learn from them and each other.

Our tentative agenda outlines the conference’s activities and presentations focus — and what you will listen to our fantastic keynote speakers, as well as our current session speakers!

Contact Gloria A. McCurry, President-elect, Program Chair, if you have specific questions about agenda topics, speaker credentials, and continuing education credits for your specific discipline, etc. at mccurrga@gmail.com

2019 SCPHA Annual Conference & Professional Development Training

Tentative Agenda

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Myrtle Beach, South Carolina

Tuesday, April 23, 2019

3:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Exhibits, Registration, Continuing Education and Membership Setup
4:00 pm – 11:00 pm	Hotel Check-in
5:30 pm – 7:30 pm	Early Bird Reception and Networking Event

Wednesday, April 24, 2019

8:00 am – 4:00 pm	Registration, Continuing Education, Membership Information, Silent Auction and Exhibits Open	
8:30 am – 9:00 am	Welcome, Logistics, Greetings, Invocation Public Health Quote of the Day Martina Mitchell, MPH, CHES President, South Carolina Public Health Association	
9:00 am – 10:00 am	Opening Keynote Session <i>Public Health Impact and the Power of Partnerships</i> Lisa F. Waddell, MD, MPH	
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Break Visit Exhibits and Silent Auction Poster Session Setup	
10:30 am – 11:30 am	Keynote Session <i>Immunizations in South Carolina – Why Vaccines are Still Important</i> Teresa Foo, MD, MPH	
11:30 am – 2:00 pm	Lunch Provided Invocation <i>Bridging the Gap: Establishing Impactful Partnerships with the Faith Community</i> Pamela Price, BS, RN Award Presentations Exhibitor Recognition	
2:00 pm – 2:45 pm	Concurrent Session I Topic A - <i>New Member Orientation</i> Lillie M. Hall, MPH Topic B – <i>Have You Been Scammed?</i> Doris Williams	Concurrent Session I <i>Observational Studies on Hygiene Behaviors in South Carolina</i> Robert Wolff, BA, MA, PhD, CH <i>Live Health South Carolina: The SC State Health Improvement Plan</i> Suzanne Sanders, MPH, MCHES Barbara Grice, MSPH, MCHES
2:45 pm – 3:15 pm	Break Visit Exhibits and Silent Auction	
2:45 pm – 3:15 pm	Posters Session <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Kimberly Jenkjins, RN, BSN; Katherine Aielke, RN, MPH; Vinita Leedom, MPH, CIC – SC Birth Defects Program: An Analysis of Critical Congenital Heart Defects Shyamkumar Sniran, MD, MPA, MPH, MS; Saira Khan, MSc, Mphil; Icurm Azhar, MSc – Relationship Between Disengagement Beliefs, Perceived Risks-benefits, Smoking Self-efficacy and Motivation to Quit Smoking Among Adult Smokers Jennifer Mandelman, MPH; Julia Brown, BS – The Opioid Crisis: Exploring the Epidemic and National Response Craig Pfeifer, PhD, SCAT, ATC; Ryan Sacko, PhD, ATC, CSCS, TSAC-F; Andrew Ortaglia, PhD, MSPH; Paul Beattie, PhD, PT, OCS, FAPTA; David Stodden, PhD, CSCS – Fit to Play? Health-Related Fitness Levels of Youth Athletes: A Pilot Study Paul Gangarosa, MPH; Khadiga Shan, student; Autuma Philback, student – Health Literacy Assessment for Indigent Populations in Charleston and North Charleston, South Carolina Carlie Fass, student; Kathleen McInvale Trejo, PhD – Exploring College Students Knowledge of the Field of Public Health Using Social Media Christy Koltath-Cattano, PhD, Paul Gangarosa, MPH; Michelle Latzer, student – Reproductive Health Needs and Challenges among Homeless Women in Charleston, South Carolina 	
3:15 pm – 4:15 pm	Keynote Session <i>Opioids/Narson Dispensing</i> Chief Dale Long	
4:15 pm – 5:00 pm	SCPHA Annual Business Meeting Amendment Vote to Constitution & Bylaw's Announcement of Newly elected Officers for 2019 - 2020	

5:00 pm	Adjourn
5:30 pm – 7:30 pm	President's Reception

Thursday, April 25, 2019

8:00 am – 4:00 pm	Registration, Continuing Education, Membership Information, Silent Auction and Exhibits Open	
8:30 am – 9:30 am	Public Health Quote of the Day Keynote Session <i>State of Public Health in South Carolina</i> Nicholas E "Nick" Davidson, MS, MA, CPM	
9:30 am – 10:15 am	Concurrent Session II Topic A – <i>The Impact of Opioids on Infants: Managing Abstinence in Newborns Part 1 of 2</i> Michelle M. Greco, RNC-MNN, BSN Topic B – <i>Using Telehealth to Bring Diabetes & Nutrition Counseling to Rural Areas in South Carolina</i> Anita Longan, MS, RDN/LD, CDE, BC, ADM	Concurrent Session II Topic C – <i>Increasing the Impact of Health Education in the College Setting through Enhanced Understanding of the Health Beliefs and Priorities of Young Adults</i> Anna Cass, MPH, PhD Elizabeth Holt, MPH, PhD Topic D – <i>Prevalence and Projected Increase in Severity of Chronic Conditions among Medicaid-Eligible Adults in South Carolina</i> Carol Stone, PhD, MPH, MA, MAS
10:15 am – 10:45 am	Break Visit Exhibits and Silent Auction	
10:45 am – 11:30 am	Concurrent Session III Topic A – <i>The Impact of Opioids on Infants: Managing Abstinence in Newborns Part 2 of 2</i> Michelle M. Greco, RNC-MNN, BSN Topic B – <i>Breaking Patterns of the Past: A Brighter Outlook for Sickle Cell Disease in South Carolina</i> Frances Ashe-Goins, RN, MPH, FAAN, PhD (Hon)	Concurrent Session III Student Contributed Papers Topic C – <i>Investigating SC Men's Vasectomy Knowledge Using Amazon's Mechanical Turk</i> Ashley White, MSPH Topic D – <i>Impact of Housing Values from Opioid Epidemic in South Carolina</i> Michele Elchinger, MS, MPA Caitlin O'Loughlin, MA, PhD, candidate
11:30 am – 12:15 pm	Concurrent Session IV Topic A – <i>Getting Your Light Out from Under the Bushel Basket: Collaborating with Partners who Do Not Know You Exist</i> Michelle L. Myer, DNP, RN, APRN, CPNP Topic B – <i>Leveraging Government Financial Resources to Support Community Improvements</i> Rich P. Timmons, BS, MPA Suzanne Sanders, MPH, MCHES	Concurrent Session IV Topic C – <i>The Maternal Mortality Review Committee: A Collaborative Effort to Reduce Maternal Mortality in South Carolina</i> Katherine Zielke, BS, RN, MPH Portavia Featherstone, MSPH Kimberly Jenkins, RN, BSN Topic D – <i>Invisible Enemy in Your Home: RADON</i> Leslie Coolidge, MCRP
12:15 pm – 1:45 pm	Lunch (On Your Own) Visit Exhibits and Silent Auction	
1:45 pm – 2:45 pm	Keynote Session <i>Stress Management</i> Donna D. Williams, MHRM	
2:45 pm – 3:30 pm	Break Visit Exhibits and Silent Auction	
3:10 pm	Silent Auction Closes at 3:10 pm All items are to be claimed by 3:30pm	
3:30 pm – 4:15 pm	Concurrent Session V Topic A – <i>Hands Across the Agency – Advocacy and Education is a Joint Effort for Children with Elevated Blood Lead Levels</i> Mildred L. (ML) Tanner, EPA, LRA Topic B – <i>The Carbon Monoxide Blitz Model – Engaging the Community</i> Amber Williams, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC Robin Dawson Estrada, PhD, APRN	Concurrent Session V Topic C – <i>PrEPMesC</i> Bobby Rogers, Jr., M.Ed James J. Gibson, MD, MPH Topic D – <i>True Strength</i> Corey Ingram, LMSW
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Exhibit Breakdown	
4:15 pm – 5:00 pm	SCPHA Section Meetings Everyone is welcome to attend any of the section meetings whether a member or not.	

ATOD	Awaiting Information
Epidemiology & Disease Control	Awaiting Information
Environmental Health	Awaiting Information
Health Education	<i>Emergency Preparedness in South Carolina Perceptions from Limited English Proficient (LEP) Individuals</i> Edena Guimaraes, DrPH
Health & Human Services	Awaiting Information
Management Support	Section Business Meeting and <i>Public Health Across the Board</i> Gloria A. McCurry, Chair
Nutrition	Section Business Meeting Brooke K. Brittian, Chair
Public Health Nursing	<i>Looking for Lead in all the Strange Places</i> Mildred L. (ML) Tanner, EPA, LRA
Public Health Social Work & Counseling	Awaiting Information
Student	Awaiting Information
5:00 pm	Adjourn

Friday, April 26, 2019

8:30 am – 12:00 pm	Continuing Education, and Membership Information Open
	Public Health Quote of the Day
9:00 am – 10:00 am	Keynote Session <i>A Human Trafficking Emergency</i> Chandra Cleveland-Jennings, BA
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Break
10:30 am – 11:30 am	Keynote Session <i>Work, but Don't Forget to Live</i> Brenda Anderson, BS
	Closing Session
11:30 am – 12:00 pm	<i>Final Remarks and Door Prizes</i> Martina Mitchell, MPH, CHES President, South Carolina Public Health Association
	Adjourn
11:00 am	Hotel Check-Out

You are cordially invited to SCPHA's

Early Bird Reception and Networking Event

Tuesday, April 23, 2019
5:30 — 7:30 p.m.
All are invited to attend!

Itinerary of Special Events

Early Bird Networking Event: Tuesday, April 23, 2019 from 5:30 – 7:30 pm with location TBA for our Early Bird Networking Event. All are invited! Details will be included with your conference reminder notices and in the conference program! Attendees are encouraged to check into the DoubleTree Resort by Hilton, Myrtle Beach Ocean Front on Tuesday, April 23, 2019.

Conference Attire: Meeting conference attire for all conferences sessions is casual business apparel. Due conference room temperatures vary, so please dress appropriately and bring jacket, sweater, or wrap.

New Member Orientation: New Member Orientation will be held on opening day. Anyone who joined since June 1, 2017, or is interested in becoming a member, is invited to attend. The Orientation is an opportunity to learn more about the organization and to find out how to get involved.

President's Reception: The President's Reception will be held Wednesday, April 24, 2019 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., attire will be casual business apparel.

Exhibitors: The vendors and agencies that display at the conference are very important to our conference. You don't want to miss learning about their services and products. Be sure to talk to representatives to learn about current resources and services..

Silent Auction: The auction offers more fun to everyone by bidding on great items, and services. The auction is a great way to raise money for the organization and have fun at the same time. The Silent Auction will close Thursday, April 25, 2019 at 3:10:p.m. All items must be paid and picked up by 3:30 p.m.

CALLING ALL SHOPPERS !!!!

If this got your attention - then the silent auction at the 2019 SCPHA Annual Conference is where you need to be. This year's committee members have been busy collecting various items for you to browse and bid on. The silent auction begins Wednesday morning and stay open at designated times until the closings Thursday afternoon. There will be lots of themed baskets; party/beach groupings; Christmas collectibles; SCPHA quilt; gift certificates; hotel/golf packages; girls' night out; family fun night and much more. So please bring your checkbook or cash and place your bid on wonderful items. The committee is still accepting new items. All proceeds go, not only to support the association's educational growth, but to help fund various activities. Remember purchased items are tax deductible. We do not accept credit cards.

Make sure you register for the 2019 Annual Conference to cash in on some of the great silent auction items. See you in April!

Donna Culbreath & Garrett Gardner

Continuing Education Units (CEU's)

This annual professional development and training program will be applying for CEUs. Participants must attend 90% of the program in order to receive a certificate of attendance. No partial credit will be given. The following discipline credentialing entities will be contacted about credit hours.

Health Education: CHES and MCHES Category I by SC DHEC Division of Collaborative Health Improvement, an approved provider of continuing education credits by the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc. (NEHEC).

Nursing: Mid-Carolina AHEC is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the South Carolina Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission of Accreditation.

Prevention Counselors: South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation and SC Association of Prevention Professionals and Advocates (SCAPPA).

Social Work: SC DHEC, Office of Public Health Social Work, an approved provider of Continuing Education Credits by the South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, Board of Social Work Examiners.

General: Mid-Carolina AHEC and meets the SC AHEC Best Practices Standards

A table will be setup in the registration area where attendees can find more information regarding specific credit information. Be sure to sign the attendance sheets at each session attended. Attendance certificates will be given to all attendees who participate in the full conference.

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Conference Registration Information

Registration:

Registration form is included in the registration packet and also available on the SCPHA website: www.scpa.com. There are three (3) ways to register:

- **Register and pay online:** Visit www.scpa.com, click Events, 2019 SCPHA Annual Conference, and Register and pay through Pay Pal.
- Register online and mail in payment: SCPHA, ATTN: Gloria A. McCurry, 116 Rockerfella Lane, Columbia, SC 29223.
- Mail in registration form and payment to SCPHA, ATTN: Gloria A. McCurry, 116 Rockerfella Lane, Columbia, SC 29223

Registration Deadline: Conference registration AND payment are due **Wednesday, April 17, 2019.**

Membership Rate: In order to receive the member rate, you **MUST** be a current member in GOOD FINANCIAL STANDING (*membership dues are paid and up to date as of the date of your registration or by the registration deadline, whichever comes first*).

On-site registration and payment will be available, but pre-registration is encouraged, or you will be **assessed a late charge**.

If you have any questions regarding your membership dues or registration, please contact Gloria A. McCurry at mccurrga@gmail.com or (803) 788-0309.

Cancellation: Cancellation **MUST** be received in writing by the administrative coordinator, Gloria A. McCurry at mccurrga@gmail.com, no later than Friday, **April 19, 2019**. Cancellation made after **April 19, 2019**, will result in **forfeiture of your full registration fee**.

Upon arrival to the conference location, please stop by the Registration table to receive your conference registration packet. The packet will contain the conference program, any updates that occurred after the program was printed. and your name badge.

You are cordially invited to SCPHA's
President's Reception

Wednesday, April 24, 2019

5:30—7:30 p.m.

All are invited to attend!

(casual business apparel)

2019 SCPHA Annual Conference Registration Form
 DoubleTree Resort by Hilton,
 Myrtle Beach Ocean Front Hotel
 Myrtle Beach, South Carolina
April 24 – 26, 2019

Participant Information (*Print or Type name as you wish it to appear on the badge*)
 Everyone attending this meeting must register. An identification badge is required for admission to all events.

Name: _____ Title: _____
 Agency/Organization: _____ Program Area: _____
 Address: _____ Credentials: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Telephone: (____) ____ - _____
 Email Address: _____ SCPHA Member #: _____

*Please list any special needs, requests, or dietary restrictions: _____

REGISTRATION	Early Reg. (April 17 th)	Late/On-Site (after April 17 th)	Number Attending	Total Amount Paid
Full Conference (Wednesday - Friday)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member - Conference Fee	\$185.00	\$210.00		\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Members (<i>current in good standing</i>)	\$150.00	\$190.00		\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Member Retiree or Member Student <i>(current in good standing)</i>	\$90.00	\$135.00		\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Registration Fee for Speakers Only (one day)	\$50.00			\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Registration Fee for Speakers Only (full conference)	\$75.00			\$ _____
One Day Registration				
<input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday or <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday	\$75.00	\$80.00		\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Friday	\$30.00	\$30.00		\$ _____
I will attend the following special events:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Early Bird Reception, Tuesday, April 23, 2019 (5:30 pm - 7:30 pm) [Included in conference registration fee] <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No President's Reception, Wednesday, April 24, 2019 (5:30 pm - 7:00 pm)				

Payment Information: A check or copy of PO/DEV **must** be attached to this registration form and received by **Wednesday, April 17, 2019**.
 You may also register online and pay through PayPal: Visit www.scpa.com and click Events.

Cancellation Policy: Cancellation must be received in writing by the membership coordinator, Gloria McCurry at mccurriga@gmail.com, no later than
 Wednesday, April 17, 2019. Cancellation made after Thursday, April 18, 2019, will result in forfeiture of your full registration fee.

Please make Check or Money Order Payable to:
SC Public Health Association

Return completed form and check/mo (or copy of PO/DEV) to:

SCPHA
Attn: 2019 Annual Conference Registration
Gloria A. McCurry
 116 Rockerfella Lane
Columbia, SC 29223

Questions?

- Please contact SCPHA membership coordinator at 803-788-0309 or mccurriga@gmail.com or access our website scpha.com.
- If paying by personal or company check, the receipt will be in your registration packet.

Payment Method:

- Check/Money order payable to SCPHA
- Online through PayPal
- PO/DEV# (with copy) _____

For SCPHA Office Use Only
 Receipt No. 19 - _____ Date Rec'd _____

Payment Amount \$ _____

- Purchase Order No. _____
- Check/MO No. _____
- PayPal Trans ID _____
- SCPHA - authorized by _____
- Date of Deposit _____

Conference and Hotel Accommodations

Property Location: The DoubleTree Resort by Hilton Myrtle Beach Ocean Front is located at 3200 South Ocean Boulevard, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, 29577, just moments from the beach.

Enjoy a coastal getaway at the DoubleTree Resort by Hilton Hotel Myrtle Beach Oceanfront, set across 27 acres on the south end of Ocean Boulevard. This resort has beautiful private beaches and plenty of activities, with Myrtle Beach State Park just to the side. Kick off your vacation with a warm DoubleTree chocolate chip cookie at check-in.

Conveniently located by the Myrtle Beach International Airport & the Market Common District. The hotel is a quarter mile. Enjoy watching the planes take off over the ocean into the horizon. The hotel offers outdoor pools, heated indoor pools, and two lazy rivers.

The DoubleTree Resort has 35,000 sq. ft. of meeting space, including three ballrooms accommodating 500 guests each. Let our friendly event planners oversee your beachfront party or conference.

Guest Rooms and Suites:

Our guest rooms feature exterior corridors with ocean views and private balconies. Enjoy complimentary Wi-Fi, a 40-inch HDTV, mini-refrigerator, microwave and coffee maker. One-bedroom suites are perfect for families, with a king bed or two queen beds plus a living area with sofa sleeper. Handicap accessible rooms are also available. Pet friendly rooms with tile floors are also available.

Highlights:

- Guest rooms, including suites and handicap accessible rooms
- Gorgeous setting overlooking Myrtle Beach, and close to MYR Airport
- 35,000 sq. ft. of event space including three ballrooms and beachfront options
- On-site restaurants and bars, a fitness center and multiple pools
- Convenient location near shopping, entertainment and attractions
- Poolside cabanas, for rent, with lounge chairs, refrigerator/freezer with water and Wi-Fi

Dining Options:

The DoubleTree Resort offers a variety of oceanfront dining options. Start your morning with a full breakfast buffet, including cooked-to-order omelets. For lunch, savor a bowl of soup, hearty salad or a delicious sandwich at Ocean Blue. The extensive dinner menu includes fresh seafood and prime cuts of beef plus lighter options for your enjoyment. After a long day, enjoy nightly specials featuring cold beverages and appetizers at Ocean Blue Lounge. The Room Service menu is the perfect option to unwind in the comfort of your room after a day at the beach. There is something for everyone at the DoubleTree Resort. All-day dining and lounge located off of the main lobby.

Local Attractions:

Myrtle Beach, South Carolina is home to 60-plus miles of beaches, shopping, dining, water sports and live entertainment. Check out the shops, restaurants and nightlife at Broadway at the Beach, or visit the Family Kingdom seaside amusement park. Enjoy art and culture at the Nostalgia City & Museum, the Carolina Opry, the Myrtle Beach Civil War Collection and Brookgreen Gardens. There are several public golf courses near our hotel and Myrtle Beach State Park has trails, picnic areas and playgrounds.

Parking Services:

Free Self-Parking Secured – Available Covered – Available
Valet parking – Not Available

Smoking:

Not Available

Pets:

Service animals allowed: Yes

Pets allowed: Yes – Deposit: \$75.00 (Non-Refundable) Maximum Weight: 75 lbs.

Amenities and Services:

For Your Business Convenience

- Audio/Visual Equipment Rental
- Business Center
- Complimentary Printing Service
- Fax
- Meeting Rooms
- Notary Public
- Office Rental
- Photo Copying Service
- Printer
- Secretarial Service
- Video Conferencing Available

For Your Comfort and Convenience

- Automated Teller (ATM)
- Baggage Storage
- Bar Area
- Beauty Salon
- Coin Laundry (\$1.50)
- Concierge Desk
- Digital Key Available
- Electric Service
- Elevators
- Gift Shop

For Your Fitness and Recreation Convenience

- Beach
- Bicycle Rental
- Fitness Room

For Your Family's Comfort and Convenience

- Children's Activities
- Children's Menu
- Cribs
- Family Package Offered
- High chairs

- Guest Activity/Recreation Desk
- Laundry/Valet Service
- Luggage Hold
- Multi-Lingual Staff
- News Stand
- On-Site Convenience Store
- Room Service
- Safety Deposit Box
- Snack Shop

- Pool
- Putting Green

Visit the fitness facility, featuring state-of-the-art cardiovascular machines with individual TV monitors, free weights, and weight machines.

Directions to the Hotel Staff:

From North: Take I-95 S to US 74 E follow to NC 410. NC 410 to US 701 S to US 501 S. Follow 501 S to George Bishop Parkway, exit right. Follow George Bishop Parkway to end and turn right onto S Kings Hwy. At next light turn left onto S Ocean Blvd. and then right onto Springmaid Blvd.

From South: Take I-95 N to US 378 E to 501 S to George Bishop Parkway, exit right. Follow George Bishop to end and turn right onto S Kings Hwy. At next light turn left and next right onto Springmaid Blvd.

Hotel Guest Room Reservations:

A block of rooms has been reserved at the DoubleTree Resort by Hilton Hotel Myrtle Beach Oceanfront at a special conference rate of \$111.00 per night (plus 12% tax, \$11.00 resort fee and \$1.00 destination marketing fee for a total of \$136.32). **Check in:** 4:00 pm **Check out:** 11:00 am

Reservation Deadline:

Deadline for receiving the conference rate is EXTENDED TO Friday, March 29, 2019. After this date, rooms and rates will depend on availability.

Make reservations early at the following website link: <http://group.doubletree.com/SC-PublicHealthAssociation>, Simply copy and paste the URL above into your browser to access the exclusive rates available for this group: The entire URL must be copied and pasted for it to work properly.

For phone reservations, please call 1-855-778-1190 and reference group code PHA. The Group Name is: SC Public Health Association or SCPHA to get the conference rate. If you have an issue with making your reservation, please ask the reservation person to check with Nancy McGann to clarify the issue.

South Carolina Public Health Association

The South Carolina Public Health Association is a statewide organization for public health professionals and other individuals concerned with improving the health of South Carolinians. The mission of SCPHA is to protect and promote personal, community and environmental health; to exercise leadership in public health policy development and action; to provide a forum for matters pertaining to public health; and to foster scientific and professional development of our members.

Who are our members?

SCPHA is proud to claim members from a wide variety of public health professions including:

Social Workers	Nurses	Health Educators	Prevention Specialists
Agency Directors	Therapists	Engineers	Professors
Epidemiologists	Nutritionists	Environmental Professionals	Safety Managers
Emergency Preparedness Staff	Physicians	Public Information Officers	Infection Control Officers
Dentists	Sanitarians	Physical Activity Professionals	Future Professionals
Community Health Advocates			

Whether your profession is listed above or not, if you work to improve public health in South Carolina, then SCPHA is for you!

What can SCPHA membership do for you?

Professional Networking

Whether you are a public health professional, student, or advocate, membership in SCPHA demonstrates your commitment to public health. Through its workshops, philanthropic activities, and other events, SCPHA also provides you the opportunity to meet and associate with public health professionals and leaders.

SCPHA Annual Conference

The annual educational conference is the largest annual statewide meeting devoted to the discussion of public health issues. It features prominent speakers and experts from the national, state, and local levels. Members benefit from the skill building sessions, networking, and exhibits. You will gain a wealth of knowledge that can immediately help you in your career or within your community.

Policy and Advocacy

SCPHA identifies and examines priority public health issues. The Association promotes and advocates policies and practices deemed necessary to improve public health in South Carolina. SCPHA has established itself as an information resource for policy makers, government leaders, and the public.

The Bulletin

The Bulletin is SCPHA's newsletter, it updates members on current events, the organization, public health issues, and related activities for career minded individuals.

Public Health Infrastructure

SCPHA recognizes that a strong public health infrastructure is key to a healthier South Carolina. SCPHA encourages and communicates best practices. The Association also builds partnerships to address and promote public health issues.

Sharing of Information

Protecting and promoting public health means involving the public. Strong communications with public health stakeholders is a top strategy. Through activities such as Public Health Month, Mid-Year Conference and workshops, SCPHA is constantly pointing the spotlight on key health issues and practices.

Promoting Health

Sponsoring events and activities, engages members and the public to lead healthier lives and encourages the public to lead healthier lives.

SCPHA Membership Application Form

Name: _____ Credentials: _____

Home Address: _____
 Street Apt. Number City State Zip County

Employer: _____ Title: _____

*Business Address: _____
 Street Apt. Number City State Zip County

E-Mail: _____ Birth Date: _____
 Month Day

Home Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

SCPHA Section Affiliation <i>(Please Check)</i>	National Affiliation <i>(Please Check)</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> 01. Alcohol, Tobacco & Other Drugs <input type="checkbox"/> 02. Epidemiology & Disease Control <input type="checkbox"/> 03. Environmental Health <input type="checkbox"/> 04. Health Administration <input type="checkbox"/> 05. Health Education <input type="checkbox"/> 06. Health & Human Services <input type="checkbox"/> 07. Management Support <input type="checkbox"/> 08. Nutrition <input type="checkbox"/> 09. Public Health Nursing <input type="checkbox"/> 10. Public Health Social Work & Counseling <input type="checkbox"/> 11. Student	<input type="checkbox"/> APHA # _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

Are you willing to serve on a committee? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Demographic Information <i>(For Statistical Purposes Only)</i>
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