

Date: April 24, 2019

To: Eileen Donoghue, City Manager

From: Kerran Vigroux, Director of Lowell Health and Human Services

Re: Permission to attend New England Public Health Conference in Kennebunkport, Maine, for: Colleen da Silva, Public Health Nurse Manager, Afia Boahemaah, Public Health Nurse, and Carol Moriarty, Public Health Nurse

Colleen da Silva, Afia Boahemaah, and Carol Moriarty are requesting to attend the New England Public Health Conference, offered June 13 and 14, 2019, at the Colony Hotel, 140 Ocean Avenue, Kennebunkport, ME. This trip will include two full conference days, and one travel evening on the night before the conference.

The focus of the conference is on capturing the emerging issues of community and public health. In attending this conference, the nurses will enhance their job-related knowledge and performance.

The costs are as follows (for three people):

\$1155	Registration
\$300	Round trip mileage
\$910	Hotel cost, including taxes
<u>\$570</u>	Per Diem
\$2935	Total Cost

Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Kerran Vigroux

Director of Lowell Health and Human Services

# New England Public Health CONFERENCE



## Capturing the Emerging Issues of Community and Public Health

Thursday & Friday,  
June 13-14, 2019

**The Colony Hotel**  
140 Ocean Avenue  
Kennebunkport, Maine

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### FEATURED SPEAKERS



**MARGARET FRANCKHAUSER, MS, MPH, RN,** President/CEO, NextFifty Initiative, Denver, CO



**JOSHUA DION, DNP, ACNP-BC, RN-BC,** Owner of Integrated Pain Care of Bedford NH, Assistant Professor, MGH Institute of Health Professions, Boston, MA



**ANN DUCKLESS, MA,** Community Educator & Prevention Specialist, NAMI New Hampshire



**JENNIE V. DUVAL, MD,** Chief Medical Examiner, State of New Hampshire, Concord, NH



**MATT FLEMING, ICAC Task Force Member,** Bedford Police Department, Bedford, NH



**COLLEEN KERSHAW, MD,** Infectious Disease, Dartmouth-Hitchcock, Lebanon, NH



**CINDY PETERNELJ-TAYLOR, MSC, BSCN, RN, DF-IAFN,** Professor, College of Nursing, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Canada, and Editor-in-Chief, *Journal of Forensic Nursing*



**DONNA PLOURDE, BA,** Executive Director, Real Life Giving, Manchester, NH



**BARBARA SATTLER, DRPH, RN, FAAN,** Professor, Public Health Program, University of San Francisco, CA

### PLANNING COMMITTEE

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### CONFERENCE AGENDA

#### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 2019

4:00 – 5:30 PM **Early Registration**  
Want a chance to sleep a little later or enjoy a more leisurely breakfast? Take advantage of our early registration opportunity.

#### DAY 1 THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2019

7:30–8:00 AM **Registration and Coffee**  
8:00–8:15 AM **Welcome and Opening Remarks**  
8:15–9:45 AM **KEYNOTE: The Future of Aging: You and the World Will Never be the Same** ..... Margaret Franckhauser  
Developed societies like the United States are aging at a rapid rate, and the changes are not temporary. Yet, our society was designed and built to accommodate a younger population. How will we prepare for a different world? This session will address the world phenomenon of aging, consider what lies ahead in healthcare & society and will share trends and innovations that will alter the world we know.

10:05–11:20 AM **PLENARY 1: The Health Impacts of Food and Agriculture** ..... Barbara Sattler  
This session will explore a range of human and ecological health risks associated with the way in which we grow, raise, process, distribute, and eat our food. We'll look at the lifecycle from farm to table through a health lens.

11:30 AM–12:30 PM **Lunch (provided)**  
12:30–1:45 PM **Concurrent Sessions (Choose either A or B)**  
**SESSION A: Infectious Complications of Opioid Use Disorder and Injection Drug Use** ..... Colleen Kershaw  
**SESSION B: Shining the Light on Trauma Informed Care** ..... Cindy Peternelj-Taylor

2:00–3:15 PM **PLENARY 2: The Opioid Epidemic from the Medical Examiner Perspective** ..... Jennie V. Duval  
This presentation will discuss the impact of the opioid epidemic on the medical examiner community. A brief description of specific drugs implicated in the epidemic is followed by an overview of the proper investigation of drug related deaths, toxicology testing and pathologic findings.

3:20–4:35 PM **Concurrent Sessions (Choose either C or D)**  
**SESSION C: Recognizing and Responding to Human Trafficking in a Healthcare Context** ..... Donna Plourde  
**SESSION D: The Connect Program: Best Practices in Recognizing and Responding to Suicide Risk** ..... Ann Duckless

#### DAY 2 FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 2019

7:30–8:00 AM **Registration for New Attendees and Coffee**  
8:00–9:15 AM **PLENARY 3: 24/7 Connectedness to Technology: Impact on Health and Well-Being** ..... Ann Duckless  
As a "Call to Action", participants will learn of emerging research in the role that connectedness to technology, e.g. mobile-based and social media, plays in human development of all ages; communication and relationships with self and others; neurological changes; and how all of this impacts mental health and well-being

9:45–11:00 AM **Concurrent Sessions (Choose either E or F)**  
**SESSION E: Occupational and Environmental Health Risks Associated with Food Production** ..... Barbara Sattler  
**SESSION F: Chronic Pain Management in an Opioid-phobic Society** ..... Joshua Dion

11:10 AM–12:25 PM **PLENARY 4: Criminalization of Mental Illness in the Era of Mass Incarceration** ..... Cindy Peternelj-Taylor  
In this era of mass incarceration, jails and prisons have become de facto psychiatric institutions. Exploring the criminalization of mental illness through a social-ecological lens, provides opportunities to collaboratively advocate for a new way of moving forward, one that is informed and guided by the principles of health equity, public safety, and social justice.

12:30–1:30 PM **Lunch (Provided)**  
1:30–2:45 PM **PLENARY 5: Cybercrime** ..... Matt Fleming  
2:45–3:00 PM **Evaluations and Departures**

# 2019 NEW ENGLAND PUBLIC HEALTH CONFERENCE GENERAL INFORMATION

**TARGET AUDIENCE:** This conference is ideal for nurses and other healthcare professionals who practice in a variety of public health settings.

**LOCATION:** The Colony Hotel, Kennebunkport, Maine. This 1914 Grand Oceanfront hotel is included in the national Trust's Historic Hotels of America. Spectacularly situated on the rock promontory overlooking the Atlantic Ocean and the mouth of the Kennebunk River, it has a heated salt-water swimming pool, private, safe, surf beach, and gorgeous organic gardens. It's located within walking distance (1 mile) of the charming village of Kennebunkport.

**HOTEL INFORMATION:** A block of overnight rooms have been reserved at the special conference rate of \$139 garden side single and \$229 ocean side single per night plus tax; includes a full breakfast. Make reservations directly with the hotel – ask for the Saint Anselm College block. Overnight room reservation deadline: Rooms will be held until April 28, 2019. Thereafter, rooms and group rate may no longer be available. For additional information and directions, please call The Colony Hotel at 800-552-2363 or visit their website: [www.thecolonyhotel.com](http://www.thecolonyhotel.com).

**GROUP DISCOUNT:** If five or more people from the same agency register at the same time for the same conference, you may deduct 10%. Mailed registrations must arrive in the same envelope. Faxed registrations must arrive together. Not combinable with Early Registration Discount.

**EARLY REGISTRATION DISCOUNT:** In order to receive Early Registration Discount, payment in the form of a check, Visa or MasterCard must accompany registration form and be in our office by May 1, 2019. All payments must be received by the start of the conference or a personal check/cash/credit card will be necessary to attend. Not combinable with Group Discount.

**CANCELLATION/REFUND POLICY:** Registrants who are not able to attend or send a substitute can obtain a refund of registration fees, minus a \$60 processing fee. A written request must be received by May 28, 2019. REFUNDS WILL NOT BE ISSUED AFTER THIS DATE – NO EXCEPTIONS.

**CONFIRMATIONS:** your confirmation will be emailed to you. Since some concurrent sessions will be limited in size, early registration is advised.

**CONFERENCE HANDOUTS:** A link will be emailed to all participants 10 days prior to the start of the conference.

**TAPING IS NOT ALLOWED.**

**CONTACT HOURS:** this conference carries a maximum of 11.75 contact hours for this conference.

**MORE INFORMATION/SPECIAL NEEDS:** Please call 603-641-7086. You may also visit [www.anselm.edu/cne](http://www.anselm.edu/cne).

Saint Anselm College is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Northeast Multistate Division, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

## CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

**MAIL:** Saint Anselm College, Continuing Ed #1745  
100 Saint Anselm Drive  
Manchester, NH 03102-1310

**PHONE:** 603-641-7086,  
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### CONCURRENT SESSION SELECTIONS (REQUIRED)

Assignments will be made on a **FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE** basis.

Date	Session (please circle)
Thursday, June 13	A or B C or D
Friday, June 14	E or F

### REGISTRATION FEES

**NOTE:** Conference fee includes continental breakfast, lunch, and breaks.

	EARLY: by May 1	REGULAR: after May 1
1-day Registration <input type="checkbox"/> Th <input type="checkbox"/> Fri	_____ \$205	_____ \$230
2-day Registration	_____ \$385	_____ \$430