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President's Message

Garrett Guillozet, MPH, R.S., REHS, AEMT
Franklin County Public Health

Hello colleagues and members! I can't believe that summer is almost over. It seems like yesterday we were gathered together at the spring AEC. However, as summer draws to an end, it is evident that our work is never done. Between the seemingly endless



temporary food events, septic system installs, nuisance complaints, and pool inspections, there is always something that needs our attention. The same is true for our association. Your district directors and district planning committees have been hard at work preparing our district conferences. The directors and planning committee members deserve medals and accolades for their dedication and perseverance. They have worked diligently on building agendas that cover many facets of the practice of environmental health. I encourage each of you to attend your district fall conference, and become involved at your district level. Planning Committees are always looking for new volunteers and perspectives. If you have an idea or suggestion, please share it with your district director! As a reminder, district director elections occur at each district conference, and the new district director's term begins on January 1.

I also wanted to recap our recent Legislative and EH Programs Update meeting which was held on August 16, 2018. ODH was very gracious and offered updates for a wide range of EH programs. New survey methodologies for pools, campgrounds, and food were discussed. Additionally, ODH provided updates on proposed rule updates for various programs. As the rule update process begins, OEHA will communicate and solicit feedback from our membership. If you are interest in a particular program, please contact us to be include in the specific program's

committee. Committees are tasked with reviewing proposed rules and providing feedback on behalf of the association.

Additionally, a Request for Proposal (RFP) for an EH Data System will be released soon. ODH is working alongside The Ohio Department of Administrative Services to release a RFP for a system which will eventually replace Healthspace. ODH has requested that OEHA and AOHC provide a representative to the RFP review committee. As this process gets underway, OEHA will provide updates to the membership.

Lastly, as discussed at the August 16 meeting, the board is requesting input from our membership on any legislative topics and ideas. We are preparing for a busy lame duck session of the Ohio legislature. Now is our time to finalize and prepare for any last minute legislative priorities. We are also actively preparing for a new session of the Ohio legislature. The board has been and will continue to discuss our legislative priorities in preparation for the next biennial budget. We are striving to be more proactive in this process. It is imperative that you engage with us in this process. There is no topic that is unimportant or too small to be addressed legislatively. We urge you to send us ideas, problems, or suggestions that could be addressed in either the lame duck session or via the next biennial budget.

I hope you find time to enjoy the last few days of summer, and I am looking forward to seeing you all at the fall conferences.

All the best,
Garrett A. Guillozet
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Recognizing Ohio's Newest Registered Sanitarians

In this section we recognize those individuals who successfully met the standards to earn the title Registered Sanitarian in the State of Ohio. In this issue we congratulate the following individuals who achieved the status of Registered Sanitarian from June 1, 2018—August 31, 2018:

- Annie M. Bartosh
- Jennifer Lynne Campos
- Cory Benjamin Powell
- Trevor Risner
- James David Smith
- Richard Mason Welch
- Sara N. Cole
- Michael Dwight Hesson
- Jeffrey Martin Keenan
- James Patrick Moriarty
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Featured District Director's Message: Southeast

Niki Lemin, MS, R.S./REHS, MEP
Franklin County Public Health

Hello fellow environmental public health professionals! What a great time to be in our profession! So much has changed since I began my career and I am excited to be a part of the change. Are you?!



Some years ago, I was entering this new-to-me career of environmental public health and had no idea this profession even existed. My time as a city code enforcement officer gave me the edge over other candidates and I began my career investigating nuisance complaints and animal bites. Since then, I've worked in disaster preparedness and response, academia, healthcare safety and back again to my roots in environmental public health as Assistant Health Commissioner/Director of Environmental Health at Franklin County Public Health.

Being an environmental public health professional has been very rewarding. It's different every day and I know that we are making a difference. We are a profession not just of regulation, but of education, too. That also means we need to keep ourselves educated, involved and informed. I would encourage you all to stay abreast of emerging topics, join a committee or workgroup, put your hat in the ring for a seat on a board or council, and let your voice be heard regarding legislative matters.

It's been said that the only constant is change. So, when faced with something new, we turn to each other and rely on each other for advice, assistance, resources, and so much more. This connection with one another is just one of the many values of being an OEHA member. Take advantage of it! Reach out and connect with your peers across the state. See what they're doing and how they do it. We can be a valuable resource to each other as we continue to navigate an ever-changing world and profession.

As the summer wraps up and we head into fall, I want to take a moment to highlight the Southeast District conference. This was my first term as District Director and second year on the planning committee.



A big "Thank You!" to the planning committee members who have been meeting monthly to plan a great conference. This year's conference, "Changes, Challenges and Opportunities," is being held September 18-19 at The Ohio University Inn & Conference Center in Athens, OH. In keeping with the ever-changing nature of our profession, the conference will highlight traditional and non-traditional environmental public health areas of practice. Attendees will learn about food safety, body art, illegal search and seizure, performance management, climate change, health equity, vendor collusion, Legionella outbreak investigations, and much more!



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Vice President's Message

Sarah Burkholder, R.S., MPH
Tuscarawas County Health Department

Before I introduce myself, let me begin by saying that it is truly an honor to serve OEHA as Vice President this year. Working with such a dedicated group of individuals on the Annual Education Conference (AEC) Planning Committee and Board of Directors has been a highlight of my career.



I am a proud graduate of Kent State University. In 2006, I earned my Bachelor's Degree in Psychology and Biology. I prepared for and eagerly embarked on a laboratory career immediately after graduation, never imagining that I would eventually find my true passion in Environmental Health. In 2008, I took a leap of faith and made a total career change when I joined the Medina County Health Department in the Food Protection Program. I spent 9 ½ wonderful years with this Department where I worked with an amazing group of public health professionals. It was especially rewarding to participate in the Accreditation process. During this time, I developed a love for Quality Improvement (QI) and found myself always raising my hand to lead or participate in numerous QI projects.

In 2015 I was once again a proud Kent State graduate. This time earning my Master of Public Health (MPH) with a focus in Health Policy and Management. Through my Practicum experience I researched and developed the framework for a comprehensive onboarding program for the Medina County Health Department.

This April I began a new chapter in my career with the Tuscarawas County Health Department in the Water Quality program. Again, I am fortunate to work with a group of talented, dedicated public health professionals. It has been exciting and challenging to expand my knowledge and experience with numerous program areas in Environmental Health and I look forward to becoming a more well-rounded Sanitarian. My relocation to the Tuscarawas County Health Department came with the added bonus of serving my hometown community and spending more time with family.

The role OEHA has played in my personal and professional growth cannot be understated. Being an active participant in this organization has been incredibly rewarding and I encourage all Sanitarians to get involved. Again, I am honored to be your Vice President and look forward to a fantastic 2019 AEC! Save the date: April 11th and 12th at the DoubleTree Hotel, 175 Hutchinson Avenue, Columbus, OH.





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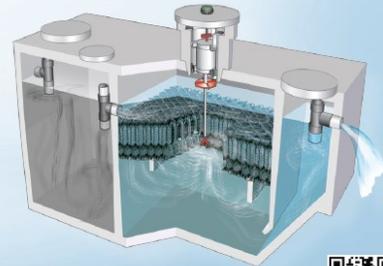
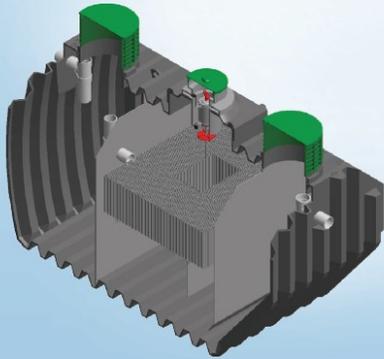


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New Sanitarian Advisory Board Appointed

Most, if not all of you reading this are now aware of the fact that when the Governor's Budget Bill (HB 49) was signed into law on June 29, 2017, the Board of Sanitarian Registration was abolished and administrative functions related to the registration of sanitarians in Ohio was moved to the Ohio Department of Health (ODH). That change became effective on September 29, 2017. The former Board of Sanitarian Registration is now known as the Sanitarian Advisory Board.

While the Board's name and office location has changed, many things remain the same. The law has not changed with respect to the requirements to be a Registered Sanitarian or Sanitarian in Training. The following statutory requirements remain unchanged:

- Individuals are still required to renew their registration on an annual basis;
- The definition of the practice of environmental health has not changed;
- There is no change in the educational requirements to become registered;
- There is no change in the testing requirement;
- There is no change in the continuing education requirement; and
- The licensure portal (eLicense) will continue to be used for all application and renewal processes.

In addition, Stephanie Youst continues to serve as the Program Administrator for the Sanitarian Advisory Board.

Probably the biggest difference between the Board of Sanitarian Registration and the new Sanitarian Advisory Board is the function of each. The Board of Sanitarian Registration operated as one unit by reviewing requests and applications, discussing various aspects of each and formally voting on those items. It was a very democratic process. The RS Board met approximately every 8 weeks to conduct routine business and Board members often served several 3 year terms.

In contrast, it has been decided that the

Sanitarian Advisory Board will meet twice each year and acts in an advisory capacity to the Director of the Ohio Department of Health. All actions requiring approval receive preliminary evaluation by the Chief of the Bureau of Environmental Health & Radiation Protection and the Program Administrator with a recommendation provided to the Director of the Ohio Department of Health. This is done approximately every two weeks which has resulted in quicker approval of applications and requests for continuing education. Each Board member will be limited to two (2) consecutive three (3) year terms.

All information related to sanitarian registration is available on the Ohio Department of Health's website and can be accessed by using the alphabetical index. There you can find a link to the Ohio e-License portal, important forms and continuing education information.

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- Chad Brown, RS
Director of Environmental Health
Licking County Health Department
- Tonia Burford, RS
Environmental Health Director
Summit County Public Health
- Teri Gerhardt, RS
Chief, Division of Food Safety
Ohio Dept. of Agriculture
- Gina Kramer, RS
Executive Director
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- Jennifer Reed, RS
Quality Control Specialist
Wendy's

As always, should you have any questions pertaining to sanitarian registration, feel free to contact Stephanie Youst at (614) 466-1772 or via email at stephanie.youst@odh.ohio.gov. The mailing address for the Sanitarian Advisory Board is as follows:

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Fellow Environmental Health Professionals:

On behalf of the Northwest OEHA Planning Committee, I would like to cordially invite you to attend the NWOEHA 2018 Fall Conference. This year's conference will be held October 11 & 12 at the Kalahari Resort and Conference Center in Sandusky, Ohio. The planning committee is dedicated to providing you with an excellent conference experience. The educational sessions are comprised of a wide variety of speakers and topics, giving the opportunity to earn up to 12.0 CEUs.

Included in this packet, you will find the following enclosures:

- Conference Agenda
- Conference Registration Form (*Deadline: September 28, 2018*)
- Room Reservation Information (*Deadline: September 10, 2018*)
- Nomination Form for Outstanding Sanitarian Award and Membership Award

This year, Kalahari Resort and Conference Center has provided us with a link for reserving rooms online. The link is <https://stay.kalahariresorts.com/ohio#groupSignIn> and the group code is 25494. Remember to book as soon as possible.

Please take time to consider nominating a colleague for the Outstanding Sanitarian Award or the OEHA Membership Award. We have outstanding sanitarians in the Northwest that deserve to be recognized, so let's do it. The winner would then be in the running for a State Award at the AEC in the spring of 2019!

It has been an honor to serve as the District Director for the Northwest OEHA. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at 419-238-0808 extension 105 or via e-mail at bmenchhofer@vanwertcountyhealth.org. I am looking forward to seeing you at this year's conference.

Sincerely,

Britt C. Menchhofer, R.S.

Britt C. Menchhofer, RS
Northwest District Director, Ohio Environmental Health Association



Northwest District Conference



2018 NWOEHA Fall Conference Conference Agenda

Thursday, October 11, 2018

8:00 am - 8:30 am	Exhibits Open (Foyer)	Registration / Continental Breakfast	
8:30 am - 8:45 am		President's message Aloeswood/Leopardwood	
8:45 am - 9:45 am		Tangent Company and the Future of Water Adam Arnold, Tangent Company	
9:45 am - 10:00 am		BREAK	
CONCURRENT SESSIONS		ALOESWOOD/LEOPARDWOOD	ROSEWOOD
10:00 am - 10:45 am		Passive On-Lot Systems Charles Ray, Presby Environmental	Assistance Dogs for Achieving Independence Jenny Bartos, The Ability Center of Greater Toledo
10:45 am - 11:30 am		Frostline Spray Irrigation Systems Trevor Jones, Frostline Spray Irrigation Systems	Emergency Preparedness Dan Baker, Toledo-Lucas Co. Health Dept.
11:30 am - 12:30 pm		LUNCH / AWARDS IN SAGEWOOD	
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm		Using Drones in Public Health Chris Aldrich, Toledo Aerial Media	
CONCURRENT SESSIONS		ALOESWOOD/LEOPARDWOOD	ROSEWOOD
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm		Aseptic Techniques in Tattooing and Body Piercing Patrick McCarthy, Piercology, Inc	Food Safety Training...Creating FUN and Engagement! Chip Romp, National Restaurant Association
2:30 pm - 2:45 pm		BREAK	
CONCURRENT SESSIONS		ALOESWOOD/LEOPARDWOOD	ROSEWOOD
2:45 pm - 3:30 pm		Aseptic Techniques in Tattooing and Body Piercing (continued) Patrick McCarthy, Piercology, Inc	NW Ohio Environmental Crimes Task Force Derek Hassinger, OEPA
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Why Our Lakes are the Same Color as Our Lawns Dr. Timothy Davis, NOAA Great Lakes Environmental Research Lab and BGSU		

Total CEUs: 6.25

Please Note: Speaker dates and times are subject to change.

Northwest District Conference



2018 NWOEHA Fall Conference Conference Agenda

Friday, October 12, 2018

8:00 am - 8:30 am	Exhibits Open (Foyer)	Registration / Continental Breakfast		
8:30 am - 8:45 am		Opening Comments/ Business Meeting Aloeswood/Leopardwood		
8:45 am - 9:45 am		Circle of Care Continued Peter Schade, Health Commissioner, Erie County Health Department		
9:45 am - 10:00 am		BREAK		
CONCURRENT SESSIONS		ALOESWOOD		ROSEWOOD
10:00 am - 11:00 am		Ohio Plumbing Code TBD		Overview of Animal Disease Response in Ohio Mark Lyons, DVM, USDA and Jenna Gregorich, Ohio Poultry Association
11:00 am - 12:00 pm		Positive Aspects of Accreditation Jason Orcena, Health Commissioner, Union County Health Department		
12:00 pm - 1:00pm		LUNCH IN SAGEWOOD		
CONCURRENT SESSIONS		ALOESWOOD	ROSEWOOD	SAGEWOOD
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm		A Local Perspective on the Voluntary National Retail Food Program Standard Mark Janowich & Nina Johannsen, Erie Co HD	Pool Troubleshooting Mike Hamer, Premier Pool Management	EH Director's Mtg.
2:00 pm - 2:45 pm		FSO/RFE Fire Systems Jason Casey, State Fire Inspector	TBD	EH Director's Mtg.
2:45 pm - 3:00 pm		BREAK -Raffle Prizes Available		
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm		Rabies Dr. Amber Singh, Ohio Department of Health		
4:00 pm - 4:30 pm		Wrap Up		

Total CEU's: 5.75

Total CEU's for both days: 12.0

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Northeast District Conference



NEOEHA FALL CONFERENCE OCTOBER 9th and 10th, 2018 GALAXY RESTAURANT – WADSWORTH, OHIO

Dear Colleagues:

I hope you will join us at the 2018 Northeast District Fall Educational Conference where we can share ideas, renew our professional friendships, and enjoy the fall colors at the Galaxy Restaurant in Wadsworth, Ohio.

The theme for the 2018 Northeast District Fall Educational Conference will be ***“Tricks to Treat the Environment and Protect Public Health”***. The conference program will include a variety of topics for everyone. This year’s conference will feature 38 speakers, hospitality rooms, exhibitors, George Eagle raffles, and a Tuesday night sit down banquet. If you attend the banquet, there will be an entertaining presentation by Colton Masters, our District Director Elect, about deciphering internet information (fact or fiction?). Come join us for a delicious dinner, networking with fellow colleagues, and obtain an additional continuing education unit! Our conference will offer 12 hours of continuing education for sanitarians, along with hours for wastewater operators, water operators, and pesticide license holders. Special thanks to our hard working Northeast District Planning Committee, as well as our exhibitors and hospitality hosts who make our conference educational and fun!

This year the committee is planning a Chinese basket raffle to benefit the George Eagle Scholarship Fund. We will also be having our traditional 50/50 raffle. These fundraisers have been a great success in the past and we need your continued support to help this worthy cause. Feel free to contact any of the planning committee members or me to donate items for the raffle.

For additional information regarding the pre-conference events, Chinese raffle donations or nominating someone for the future District Director Elect position, the Outstanding Sanitarian award, or the Gary Matson Membership Recognition, please visit the OEHA website or contact me directly at (330) 662-0448, (330) 723-9523 or moconnell@medinahealth.org.

Hotel arrangements can be made by contacting the Comfort Inn and Suites hotel at (330) 336-7692. Please identify yourself as being with NEOEHA – North East Ohio Environmental Health Association in order to receive a special group rate. The conference group room rate will be \$100 plus tax per night for a standard deluxe guest room (rate guaranteed until September 8, 2018). So reserve your room today!

Thank you for the privilege of serving,

Melissa K. O’Connell, RS, REHS
Northeast OEHA District Director

Northeast District Conference



2018 Northeast OEHA - Fall Educational Conference Agenda

Time Slots	Speaker	Topic Title	Room
Tuesday, October 9, 2018			
7:30 – 8:15	Registration		
8:15 – 8:25	Business Meeting		Venus/Mars
8:25 – 8:50	District Director and President's Address Melissa O'Connell and Garret Guillozet		Venus/Mars
8:50 – 9:50	Janet Stout, PhD	Legionella In Your Pipes: Who Should Worry?	Venus/ Mars
9:50 – 10:10	Break – Visit Exhibitors		
10:10 – 11:10	Courtney Myers	<i>Between the Sheets: Bed Bugs from the Public Health Perspective (Vector 10a)</i>	Mars
	Bill Zawiski and Desaree Masters	<i>Fats, Oils, and Grease (FOG) River Contamination Investigation</i>	Moonglow
	Lee Carl Finley	<i>Thoughts on Being an Effective Generalist</i>	Venus
11:10 – 12:10	Patrick Gsellman	<i>Akron CSO Improvement Program (Sewage)</i>	Mars
	Jeff Patzke	<i>OEPA Investigating Drinking Water Contamination in Ohio by Per-and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS)</i>	Moonglow
	Robert Bennet	<i>Lead Paint Contaminate Review</i>	Venus
12:10 – 1:10	Lunch		
1:10 – 2:10	Charles Ray	<i>Passive on lot Solutions (Sewage)</i>	Mars
	Sunita Shakya and Sanghamitra Bisoyi Kent State University Student presentations	<i>Understanding Blood Lead Level Acquisition of new Immigrants and 2013-2017 Private Water System (PWS) Data Mapping</i>	Moonglow
	Steve Rich	<i>Norovirus Outbreak Investigation</i>	Venus
2:10 – 3:10	Ken Curry	<i>GIS Applications for Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems</i>	Mars
	Rick Douglas	<i>Scrap Tire Management</i>	Moonglow
	Mark Burnett	<i>FSO Plumbing</i>	Venus
3:10 - 3:30	Break – Visit Exhibitors		
3:30 – 4:30	Lou Richmond	<i>Septic Tanks: From Cement to Service (Sewage)</i>	Mars
	Brandon Mantel	<i>Using a Downhole Camera for Diagnosing and Solving Water Well Problems</i>	Moonglow
	Ellen Salehi	<i>Campylobacter Outbreak Investigation Involving Puppies</i>	Venus
4:30 – 5:30	Hospitality Rooms		
5:30- 7:30	Banquet and Entertainment: Colton Masters Deciphering the Internet 1 CEU if you attend the banquet presentation!!!		Starlight
7:30 – 12:00	Hospitality Rooms		

Tricks to Treat the Environment and Protect Public Health

Northeast District Conference



2018 Northeast OEHA - Fall Educational Conference Agenda

Time Slots	Speaker	Topic Title	Room
Wednesday, October 10, 2018			
8:30 – 9:00	Registration		
9:00 – 10:00	Carolyn Watkins	<i>Leveraging Funds to Reduce Diesel Emissions</i>	Mars
	John Foraker	<i>Fresh Water & Recirculation Splash Pads</i>	Moonglow
	Hannah Windle and Jason Ahrens	<i>Brewery/Winery Licensing and Micro Brewery Inspection</i>	Venus
10:00 – 10:15	Break – Visit Exhibitors		
10:15 – 11:15	Paul Westlake	<i>Meningitis Outbreak Investigation</i>	Mars
	Sarah Badenhop	<i>Body Art Rule Review</i>	Moonglow
	Eric Gzodzinski	<i>Sweet Things About Public Health</i>	Venus
11:15 – 12:15	John Blakeman, Judy Shaw, Wil Hemkers	<i>New Algal Nutrient Retention Program</i>	Mars
	Kelvin Rogers	<i>Bug Bites: Mosquitoes, Zika, and Ticks (Vector 10d)</i>	Moonglow
	Mike Tedrick	<i>Starting a Food Safety Education Program</i>	Venus
12:15 – 1:15	Lunch		
1:15 – 2:15	TBA	<i>TBA</i>	Mars
	Kurt Princic and Barry Grisez	<i>Ohio EPA Case Study - ARCO Recycling Inc.</i>	Moonglow
	Minchen Vickers	<i>Chinese Cuisines and Food Safety Challenges</i>	Venus
2:15 – 3:15	Jack Wade	<i>Hurricane Harvey Response</i>	Mars
	James Belt	<i>Ohio Pesticide Law Update, Review, and Enforcement (Vector – Core)</i>	Moonglow
	Rick Bokanyi	<i>Biofire Lab Test</i>	Venus
3:15 – 3:30	Business Meeting and George Eagle raffle drawings		Moonglow

Tricks to Treat the Environment and Protect Public Health

Southwest District Conference



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Public Health Partners:

The Ohio Environmental Health Association is a collaboration of hard work of many sanitarians in local health departments, state agencies, and thriving businesses in our state. In this past year, OEHA worked with our lobbyists at Hick's Partners to guide the outcomes of House Bill 65 Sanitarian Reviews, House Bill 263 Dogs on Patios, and the revision to the RS Board to name a few. For our voices to be heard, it is imperative that we keep our association strong. Please consider joining our professional association and supporting our endeavors.

The Southwest OEHA Fall Conference Committee has worked diligently to bring you informative and relevant topics to the conference. We hope you can join us for the fall conference this year!

*Sinclair College Ponitz Center will once again be the location of the
OEHA Southwest District 2018 Fall Conference
On October 3rd and 4th, 2018*

The Ponitz Center is conveniently located right off the 1-75 corridor near downtown Dayton. Registration and membership applications are enclosed in this mailing and must be submitted by **September 18, 2018** in order to receive the pre-registration rate.

Enclosed are the Outstanding Sanitarian and Membership Recognition nomination forms. Show the other districts what Southwest Ohio public health has to offer!

The popular "Picture This!" only returns with your help!! If you have any pictures from the field, that only sanitarians can appreciate, share them with OEHA. I look forward to voting on the best picture every year. See the enclosed flyer for more details.

It has been a rewarding year working with the OEHA members of the State and Southwest. Thank you for allowing me this opportunity. I encourage you to get involved in the association either at the local or state level. If you are interested in joining our planning committee, please let a committee member know.

I look forward to seeing you in October.

Janel Hodges, RS
Southwest District Director

Southwest District Conference



October 3, 2018 Wednesday

<u>Time</u>	<u>Session Topic</u>	<u>Speaker</u>
7:30 AM - 8:15 AM	Registration	
8:15 AM - 8:30 AM	Welcome & Business Meeting	Janel Hodges, RS <i>Miami County Public Health SW OEHA District Director</i>
8:30 AM - 9:30 AM	La Soupe – Food: Rescue – Transform – Share	Suzy DeYoung <i>La Soupe</i>
9:30 AM - 9:45 AM	Room Change	
9:45 AM - 10:45 AM	Mobile Home Parks Under A New Department	Shannon Himes <i>Ohio Department of Commerce</i>
9:45 AM - 10:45 AM	Soil Limitations for On-Site Sewage Treatment	Matt Deaton <i>Deaton Soil Services</i>
9:45 AM - 10:45 AM	SIT to RS – How to prepare for the NEHA test –Panel Representation	Tracy Buchanan to moderate <i>Ohio Environmental Protection Agency</i>
10:45 AM - 11:00 AM	Room Change	
11:00 PM - 12:00 PM	Ohio Department of Health – Food Variances	Hannah Windle, RS <i>Ohio Department of Health</i>
11:00 PM - 12:00 PM	Project Dawn Opioid Addiction	Jordan Phillips <i>Miami County Public Health</i>
11:00 PM - 12:00 PM	SIT to RS – Ohio EPA wastewater treatment and disposal permitting, inspection and compliance processes in the Surface Water Program.	Mary Osika <i>Ohio Environmental Protection Service</i>
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch	
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	New Standard Inspection Report	Hannah Windle, RS <i>Ohio Department of Health</i>
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	New Technology in Wastewater	Don Carabin <i>Norweco</i>
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	SIT to RS – Ohio EPA Inspection and Compliance Processes in the Semi-Public Drinking Water Program	Mark Verbsky <i>Ohio Environmental Protection Service</i>
2:00 PM - 2:15 PM	Room Change	
2:15 PM - 2:30 PM	Presidents Address	Carrie Yeager, RS <i>Warren County Health District OEHA President-Elect</i>
2:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Tips to De-Escalate a Tense Situation	Kim McGuirk & Beth Adkins <i>Tri-County Board of Recovery and Mental Health Services</i>

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October 4, 2018 Thursday

<u>Time</u>	<u>Session Topic</u>	<u>Speaker</u>
7:30 AM - 8:15 AM	Registration	
8:15 AM - 9:30 AM	Regional Issues with PFAS and Ohio EPA's Strategy Going Forward	Bonnie Buthker <i>Ohio Environmental Protection</i>
9:30 AM - 9:45 AM	Room Change	
9:45 AM - 10:45 AM	Rabies Laboratory Testing	Whitney Jones <i>Ohio Dept of Health Laboratory</i>
9:45 AM - 10:45 AM	Yellow Legal Pad-Responding to Unique Situations	Jeremy Hessel, RS <i>Hamilton County Public Health</i>
9:45 AM - 10:45 AM	Recycling Technology and Funding Resources	Chet Chaney <i>Ohio EPA</i> Steve Sargent <i>Rumpke</i>
10:45 AM - 11:00 AM	Room change	
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Body Art Rules	Sarah Badenhop, RS <i>Columbus Public Health</i>
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Plumbing, What You See, What You Don't	Kevin Ploutz <i>Miami Co Public Health</i>
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Hamilton County Harm Reduction/Needle Exchange Program	Laura McCreadie <i>Hamilton County Public Health</i>
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch	
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Clark County Cryptosporidiosis Outbreak	Anna Jean Petroff, M.En. <i>Clark County Combined Health District</i>
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Conquering the Challenges of an Indoor Waterpark Resort	Jason Arthur <i>Great Wolf Lodge</i>
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Micro Brewing Process & Sanitation	Kyle Spears <i>Carillon Park & Brewery</i>
2:00 PM - 2:15 PM	Room Change	
2:15 PM - 3:45 PM	Hepatitis A in Food Service	Erik Balster, MPH, REHS, RS, and Josh Lucas, MPH, RS <i>Preble County Public Health</i>
3:45 PM - 4:00 PM	Wrap-Up & Raffles	Janel Hodges, RS <i>Miami County Public Health</i> <i>SW OEHA District Director</i>

Southeast District Conference



July 30, 2018

It's time for the Southeast district's fall conference! The planning committee has been working hard to put together an informative and fun conference. Mark your calendar and join us! We will be returning to one of our all-time favorite venues this year – **OHIO UNIVERSITY INN** located at 331 Richland Ave., Athens, OH 45701. Conference dates are **September 18 & 19, 2018**. We love Athens!!

This year, the meeting package includes the full meeting, 10 CEUs, 2 delicious lunches, breaks and a breakfast on 9/19. Your SE planning committee is aware of the rising costs and has been diligent about trying to keep the conference affordable for all. The cost for the conference is \$140.00. Athens is pretty central to all of the district. If you would like the convenience of staying overnight, the OU Inn has set aside a block of rooms especially for OEHA attendees and is offering a special rate of **\$119.00 per night** (double occupancy). Call 866-593-6661 to make reservations **before August 19th** (don't forget to tell them you are with the OEHA conference). Since there is no organized dinner on September 18th – you will have the opportunity to network with your peers and explore this amazing college town.

MEMBERSHIP DUES Dues can be paid along with your conference registration. **CURRENT** or **NEW** members: the dues (\$60.00) you pay at this meeting will be credited toward 2018 membership and all of 2019.

FORMER members: the dues (\$60.00) you pay at this meeting will be credited toward 2018 membership and will expire December 31, 2018 (this means, to remain current you must pay dues again by January 1, 2019).

NOMINATIONS & AWARDS We are seeking nominations for **District Director-Elect**. The District Director-Elect will sit on the Planning Committee and assist incoming District Director, Jeff Gibbs, in 2019, then assume responsibility for the 2020 Southeast Conference, as well as representing OUR district on the Board of Directors. We are also accepting nominations for the **Outstanding Sanitarian Award** and the **Membership Recognition Award**. There are many hardworking people out there who deserve recognition for their efforts. A nomination form is located on the back of the registration form. Please return to Kathryn Madden by August 17, 2018.

EXHIBITS As in past years, various companies will be setting up exhibits for our informational enjoyment. We are pleased that these exhibitors have chosen to be part of our Conference. Please take time to visit them and thank them for their support of our organization.

ANNUAL AUCTION What would the Southeast Conference be without our annual auction? We will have a silent auction throughout the conference. If you (or know of a business) would like to donate an item for the auction, we will accept items the first day of the conference. Area-specific items are always a hit. There will be great items up for bid that will benefit the Association. So bring an item to donate for the auction and don't forget your \$\$ to purchase a treasure from the auction.

HOSPITALITY Hospitality rooms will also be available for your evening enjoyment. The sponsors of these rooms are important to our organization - please come show them how much we appreciate their participation.

If you have any questions or need further information regarding the meeting, please feel free to contact Niki Lemin, District Director, 614-525-3852 or for registration assistance, LeeAnn Wilson, RS at 614-644-1897.

Southeast District Conference



OEHA Fall Conference – SE District Ohio University Inn, Athens, OH

TUESDAY, September 18, 2018

8:30 - 9:15 am	REGISTRATION
9:15 - 9:30 am Ballroom	WELCOME & OPENING BUSINESS MEETING Niki Lemin, Franklin County Public Health Southeast District Director
9:30 - 10:45 am Ballroom	KEYNOTE SPEAKER Sanitarians Can Do It All! Mike Fielding, Columbus Public Health
10:45 - 11:00 am	BREAK & EXHIBITS – Lindley Room
11:00 - 12:00 pm Galbreth Room	CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1. Performance Management Greg Chumney, Licking County Health Department
Foundation Room	2. Commercial Dishwashers EcoLab
12:00 - 1:30 pm	LUNCH
1:30 - 2:30 pm Galbreth Room	CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1. Open Fields/Illegal Search & Seizure (Part 1) Heather Robinson, Franklin County Assistant Prosecutor
Foundation Room	2. Body Art Rule Review Updates Sarah Badenhop, Columbus Public Health
2:30 - 2:45 pm	BREAK & EXHIBITS – Lindley Room
2:45 - 3:45 pm Galbreth Room	CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1. Open Fields/Illegal Search & Seizure (Part 2) Heather Robinson, Franklin County Assistant Prosecutor
Foundation Room	2. Social Media Michelle Day, Franklin County Public Health
3:45 – 4:45 pm Ballroom	GENERAL SESSION Vendor Collusion in Public Contracting – Detection and Reporting Sara Coulter & Robert Morgan, Ohio Attorney General's Office
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Dinner (On Your Own) – Explore Athens!
7:00 pm - ?????	Hospitality Rooms Open

Southeast District Conference



OEHA Fall Conference – SE District Ohio University Inn, Athens, OH

WEDNESDAY, September 19, 2018

7:30 - 9:30 am	REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST BUFFET
8:30 - 9:30 am Ballroom	GENERAL SESSION Pursuing Health Equity through Environmental Health: Understanding the Connection Johnnie (Chip) Allen, Ohio Department of Health
9:30 - 10:45 am Galbreth Room	CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1. Ohio Public Health Climate Resilience Coalition Jennie McAdams, Franklin County Public Health
Foundation Room	2. Questions to Ask in a Retail Food Establishment Jennifer Noland, Ohio Department of Agriculture
10:45 - 11:00 am	BREAK & EXHIBITS – Lindley Room
11:00 - 12:00 pm Galbreth Room	CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1. Household Sewage Treatment Systems – Operation & Maintenance Scott Hetrick, Norweco
Foundation Room	2. Health & Equity Work in Ohio Robert Jennings
12:00 - 1:30 pm	LUNCH – AWARDS & RETIREE RECOGNITION
1:30 - 2:30 pm Galbreth Room	CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1. Exempt Farmers' Markets Jennifer Noland, Ohio Department of Agriculture
Foundation Room	2. Scrap Tire Enforcement Jeff Gibbs, Franklin County Public Health
2:30 - 2:45 pm	BREAK & EXHIBITS – Lindley Room
2:45 – 3:45 pm Ballroom	GENERAL SESSION EH Role in Legionella Outbreak Investigations Charlie Broschart, Franklin County Public Health
3:45 pm – 4:30 pm	FINAL BUSINESS MEETING ELECTION RESULTS

Announcements

Have a grant, educational opportunity, move, promotion, or other announcement you would like to share? Please email a member of the publications committee.

Educational Opportunities

SE OEHA Fall Conference
September 18-19
Athens, Ohio

SW OEHA Fall Conference
October 3-4, 2018
Dayton, Ohio

NE OEHA Fall Conference
October 9-10, 2018
Wadsworth, Ohio

NW OEHA Fall Conference
October 11-12, 2018
Sandusky, Ohio

2019 HIA Practitioner Workshop
April 1-2, 2019
St. Paul, Minnesota

OEHA AEC
April 11-12, 2019
DoubleTree - 175 Hutchinson Ave.
Columbus, Ohio 43235

Open Positions (Posted to the OEHA website with an opening of at least 9/20/18)

Public Health Sanitarian Supervisor
Cuyahoga County Board of Health

SIT/RS
Cuyahoga County Board of Health

Sanitarian
Richland Public Health

Registered Sanitarian or SIT
Butler County General Health District

Registered Sanitarian or SIT
Portage County Health District

Sanitarian or SIT
Wayne County Health Department

We Remember

Donald Day 1924 - 2018

Don Day passed away on August 24, 2018. Don served the public in the U.S. Army, U.S. Geological Survey, Ohio Department of Health, and retired from Ohio EPA in 1985 where he served as the Chief of the Office of Land Pollution. Don was an OEHA member since 1953 - that's 65 years of OEHA Membership! Don was granted OEHA Life membership (SE District) in 1986 after 33 years of Active membership. He was a longtime Life Member with 32 years after he retired! Don received the President's Award in 1966 and also served on the Sanitarian Registration Board as the Representative of the Ohio EPA Director.

New AEC and OJEH Offer!

We are pleased to offer a new opportunity to receive a free day of attendance at OEHA's AEC. Those who submit a unique article and are published in the Ohio Journal of Environmental Health will be given an invitation to speak about their topic at AEC. If the author accepts the invitation to speak, they will be given a free day at

AEC. We hope this will encourage participation in both the Journal and AEC. We look forward to reading and hearing your stories!

OEHA Committees & Chairs

Body Art

Sarah Badenhop, R.S. - Columbus Public Health

Campground

Eric Cherry, R.S. - Huron County Health Department

Food

Christina Ritchey Wilson, JD, R.S. - Columbus Public Health

Lead

Greg Putka, R.S. - Lorain County Public Health

Private Water Systems

Randy Ruszkowski, R.S. - Stark County Health Department

Sewage

Laura Kramer Kuns, R.S., REHS - Kramer Kuns Consulting, LLC

Solid Waste

Chuck De Jonckheere, R.S. - Hamilton County Public Health

Swimming Pool, Spa, and Special Use Pool

Barry Grisez, R.S. - Cuyahoga County Board of Health

Vector Control

Scott Pozna, R.S. - Lorain County Health Department

Archives

Melissa Adams, R.S. - Delaware General Health District

Constitution & By-laws

Ken Sharkey, R.S., MPH - Cleveland Department of Public Health

Exhibits

Shannon Self, R.S. - Delaware General Health District

Professional Development

Adam R. Howard, MPH, R.S., REHS - Delaware General Health District

Resolutions

Jennifer Wentzel, MPH, R.S. - Public Health - Dayton & Montgomery County

Website

Garrett Guillozet, MPA, R.S., REHS, AEMT - Franklin County Public Health

Auditing

Jennifer Wentzel, MPH, R.S. - Public Health - Dayton & Montgomery County

Awards & Recognition

Gus Dria, R.S., REHS - Canton City Health Department

Finance

Chad Brown, R.S., REHS, MPH - Licking County Health Department

George Eagle Scholarship

Joe Ebel, MS, MBA, R.S. - Licking County Health Department

Membership

Open

Nominations & Elections

Open

Public Affairs

Stephan Ruckman, MPH, R.S. - Worthington Schools

Publications

Adam R. Howard, MPH, R.S., REHS - Delaware General Health District

Training Scholarships

Open

Concentrated Animal Feed Facility

Jason Menchhofer, R.S. - Mercer County - Celina City Health Department

Ohio Public Health Advisory Board

Stephan Ruckman, MPH, R.S. - Worthington Schools

Ohio Public Health Partnership

Chad Brown, R.S., REHS, MPH - Licking County Health Department

Sewage Treatment System Technical Advisory Committee

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