



August 7, 2023

**Meeting:** California Conference of Local Health Officers (CCLHO) Communicable Disease Control and Prevention Committee Meeting

**Date:** August 17, 2023

**Time:** 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

**Location:** 1515 Clay Street Oakland, CA  
2nd Floor, Room 12

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# CCLHO COMMUNICABLE DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION AGENDA

## 10:00 am: Welcome and Introductions

*Barbara Cole, RN, PHN, MSN, Riverside; and George Han, MD, MPH, San Francisco*

- Co-Chairs Report
  - Discussion
  - Public Comment
- **Action Item: Minutes – June '23**
  - Discussion
  - Public Comment
  - Vote

## 10:05 am: Title 17 Review and Discussion

- **Action Item: CCR 2500 & 2505 Updates**
  - 2500:**
    - Meningococcal infections
    - Required data elements for reporting
  - 2505:**
    - Haemophilus influenzae infection, all types
    - Neisseria meningitidis (sterile site isolate or eye specimen infection)
      - Discussion
      - Public Comment
      - Vote

## 10:20 am: Center for Infectious Diseases (CID) Update, California Department of Public Health (CDPH)

*Erica Pan, MD, MPH, State Epidemiologist, Deputy Director, CID, CDPH; James Watt, MD, MPH, Assistant Deputy Director, CID, CDPH*

- Discussion
- Public Comment

*Seema Jain, MD, FIDSA, Chief, Division of Communicable Disease Control, CID, CDPH*

- Discussion
- Public Comment

## 10:50 am: COVID-19 Control Branch Update

*Darpan Sachdev, MD, Chief, COVID Control Branch, Division of Communicable Disease Control, CID, CDPH*

- Discussion
- Public Comment

## 11:00 am Infectious Diseases Laboratory Update

*Katya Ledin, PhD, Chief, Infectious Diseases Laboratory Branch, CDPH*

- CA Association of Public Health Laboratory Directors (CAPHLD) Report
  - Discussion
  - Public Comment

## 11:10 am: Infectious Diseases Update

*Duc Vugia, MD, Chief, Infectious Diseases Branch, CDPH*

- CA Association of Communicable Disease Controllers (CACDC) Report
  - Discussion
  - Public Comment

**11:20 am: Immunizations Update**

*Robert Schechter, MD, MPH, Chief, Immunization Branch, CDPH*

- Discussion
- Public Comment

**11:25 am: Communicable Disease Emergency Response Update**

*Deniz Dominguez, MHS, Program Manager, Communicable Disease Emergency Response Program CDER, CDPH; Ryan Murphy, MPH, PhD, CalCONNECT, CDPH*

- Update on CalREDIE and CalCONNECT
  - Discussion
  - Public Comment

**11:35 am: Legislative Stakeholder Updates**

*Health Officer Association of California (HOAC) – Kat DeBurgh, MPH, Executive Director*

- Discussion
- Public Comment

**11:45 am: Agenda Items for Future Meetings**

- Review and update list of potential agenda item topics
  - Discussion
  - Public Comment

**11:55 am: Public Comment for Items not on the Agenda**

**\*\*\*Please see written reports from CDPH branches and affiliates not presenting today.\*\*\***

- Healthcare Associated Infections
- TB and CTCA
- STD and CSHCA
- HIV/AIDS
- Corrections

**12:00 pm: Adjourn**

**Next Meeting: (October '23 – Cancelled), Dec. 21, 2023**

**Additional Meeting Locations:**

Mendocino County Public Health  
1120 S. Dora Street, Conference Room 2  
Ukiah, CA 95482

City of Long Beach  
2525 Grand Avenue  
Long Beach, CA 90815

Santa Barbara County Public Health  
300 N. San Antonio Road  
Building 8, Office 2  
Santa Barbara, ca 93110

Mariposa County public Health  
5362 Lemee Lane  
HHS Building, Catheys Valley Room  
Mariposa, CA 95338

**CCLHO Communicable Disease Control and Prevention Committee Co-Chairs**

Barbara Cole, RN, PHN, MSN, Riverside

George Han, MD, MPH, San Francisco

**Affiliates**

California Association of Communicable Disease Controllers (CACDC)

California Association of Public Health Laboratory Directors (CAPHLD)  
California STD HIV Controllers Association (CSHCA)  
California Tuberculosis Controllers Association (CTCA)  
Directors of Public Health Nursing (DPHN)  
Mosquito and Vector Control Association of California (MVCAC)

**California Department of Public Health and Other State Department Staff**

Tomas Aragon, MD, DrPH, Director and State Public Health Officer  
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Sarah Royce, MD, MPH, Chief, Immunization Branch  
Katya Ledin, PhD, Chief, Infectious Diseases Laboratory Branch  
Erin Epton, Chief, Healthcare Associated Infections Program  
Juan Ruiz, MD, MPH, Dr.PH, Chief, Communicable Disease Emergency Response Program  
Vicki Kramer, PhD, Chief, Vector-Borne Disease Section  
Curtis Fritz, DVM, State Public Health Veterinarian, Veterinary Public Health Section  
Heidi Bauer, MD, MPH, Public Health Epi/Surveillance Lead, CA Correctional Health Care Services

**Other Stakeholders**

Kat DeBurgh, MPH, Health Officers Association of California

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