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### HIA Training Resources



» You may access HIA training resources online at these links:

- [WDHS link](#)
- [WHO link](#)
- [NNPHI link](#)
- [HIP link](#)

### HIA Tools

» Check out these HIA tools and guidance documents drafted by the HIA/HiAP Section at this [link](#). Section members are **encouraged** to send feedback on the ease of use and practicality of these tools.

Please send your feedback to members of the leadership team.

### HiAP Resources



» Click on the following links to access a number of HiAP resources:

- [APHA](#)
- [Prevention Institute](#)
- [NACCHO](#)
- [RWJF](#)
- [WHO Europe](#)
- [WHO Int.](#) New! HiAP training manual.

### Upcoming Educational Webinars



#### » [America Walks - 'Lessons from the Experts'](#)

- This webinar, which will be held on **Monday, March 9th from 1.00pm-2.00pm ET**, will be presented by the walkability expert and national public health, planning, and transportation consultant **Prof. Mark Fenton**.
- During this webinar Prof. Fenton will provide information on ten starter-strategies to promote and advance walkable community design. To learn more and to register for this webinar please click [here](#).

#### » [Antioch University New England - 'Getting the Message Out'](#)

- This webinar forms part of the **Weathering Change: Local Solutions for Strong Communities** webinar series being provided by **Antioch University New England**, in partnership with the **U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)**.
- The webinar will be broadcasted on **Thursday, 3/26/15 at 12:00 – 1:15 PM ET** and will provide information on effective communication strategies and messaging concerning climate change, and climate mitigation and adaptation. Learn more about this webinar [here](#).

#### » [PBIC - "Road Diets: Improving Safety for All Road Users"](#)

- This webinar will show us how **'road diets'** - the process of converting a four-lane undivided roadways to two through lanes and a two-way-left-turn-lane ( i.e. total of 3 lanes) can improve safety for all road users, including pedestrians and cyclists.
- This webinar will be held on **3/3/15, 1-2:30 pm ET**. Click [here](#) to register.
- To learn more about road diets, you can check out the guidance document published by the Federal Highway Administration at [Road Diet Informational Guide](#).

#### » [Health Evidence, McMaster University - "Enhancing nutritional environments through access to fruit & vegetables in schools & homes among youth: What's the Evidence?"](#)

- This webinar will provide an overview of the impacts of interventions delivered in the home, school and other nutritional environments designed to increase fruit and vegetable availability for five to 18-year olds.
- The webinar will be held on **3/31/15, 1-2:30 pm ET**. Click [here](#) to register.

### Employment Opportunity

» The **University of Colorado, Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus, School of Public Health** is currently accepting applications for the position of **Health Impact Assessment Program Manager**. For further information on this job opening please click [here](#).



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Section Newsletter

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## HIA Blog

» Check out the latest HIA news from around the world at this HIA Blog brought to you by the [International Association for Impact Assessment's \(IAIA\) Health Section](#).

- Catch up with some quirky news, such as the HIA of a roundabout!
- Find out more about the HIA on traffic noise in Madrid, Spain.
- Access a number of HIA links from around the globe.
- Learn more about the IAIA's 2015 conference due to be held in April (20-23) in Florence, Italy!

## Equity in Climate Adaptation Planning

» The report [Equity in Building Resilience in Adaptation Planning](#) from the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People provides a detailed lists of equity indicators that need to be considered when designing climate adaptation plans to strengthen resilience . These indicators are split into two lists one concerning Pre-existing Vulnerabilities & Assets, and the other Process & Outcomes indicators.

**Watch out for the April Quarterly Section Meeting. Date Coming Out Soon!**

## Upcoming meetings/conferences

- » **2015 National Bike Summit** – to be held in Washington D.C. on 3/10/15 – 3/12/15. This Summit, which is the nation's largest annual bicycle advocacy event, will this year include a National Forum on Women & Bicycling. Click [here](#) to learn more about this event and for registration.
- » **Lifesavers: National Conference on Highway Safety Priorities** - to be held in Chicago, IL on 03/15/2015 – 03/17/2015. Click [here](#) to learn more about this event.
- » **National Main Street Conference**- to be held in Atlanta, GA on 3/29/15 – 4/1/15. This Conference will discuss and provide information and training on opportunities for sustainable downtown redevelopment and revitalization. Click [here](#) to learn more about this event.
- » **Moving Active Transportation to Higher Ground: Opportunities for Accelerating the Assessment of Health Impacts, Conference** - To be held in Washington DC on 4/13/15- 4/14/15. Click [here](#) to register for this event.
- » **National Planning Conference** – this year will be held in Seattle, WA between 04/18/2015 – 04/21/2015. Learn more about this event [here](#).
- » **2015 National Health Impact Assessment Meeting** – to be held in Washington, D.C. on 6/ 16/15 - 18, 2015. **[Additional scholarships now available for this meeting!!!](#)** Scholarship applications are being accepted now through 5 p.m. PST on March 27. Click [here](#) to learn more about this opportunity.

## Recently Released.....

- » **Review Paper:** Water resources are associated with often competing and conflicting uses which may have various impacts on human health. In their paper 'Health Impact Assessment of Urban Waterway Decisions', authors Smith Korfmacher et al (2015) review 4 recent HIAs (US and Puerto Rico) conducted on decisions concerning water resources and water fronts. To learn more about the opportunities and challenges presented through these 4 HIAs please click [here](#).
- » **Toolkit - Strategies for Enhancing Health in the Built Environment:** This [report](#) from the Urban Land Institute provides evidence based opportunities for promoting health at the building or project scale. Recommendations are centered on 3 main categories: Physical Activity, Healthy Food and Drinking Water, and Healthy Environment and Social Well-Being.

Have you visited our Linked  group yet?

- » View directions on how to access or become a member of the group via the monthly HIA Buzz. (Link works best with Chrome or current version of Internet Explorer.)
- » Start discussions about the latest HIA/HiAP news happening in Wisconsin. (Members are encouraged to post or contribute to a discussion at least once every quarter.)
- » Read timely articles posted by WPHA HIA/HiAP Section Members.



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