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1:00 PM-3:00 PM Educational Workshops 1-2
Issues in the Measurement of Disparities in Populations
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Tissue Is the Issue
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Next Generation Technologies and Their Use to Address Cancer Related Disparities
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Methods for Community-based Interventions
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Welcome and Remarks
Elena Martinez
John D. Carpten
Keynote Address
Genomic Medicine in Mexico: New Opportunities and Challenges on the Horizon
Gerardo Jimenez-Sanchez

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Transdisciplinary Science in the Centers for Population Health and Health Disparities (CPHHD) Initiative
Chairperson: Sarah Gehlert

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Genetic Determinants of Cancer: Soup to Nuts
Chairperson: Matthew L. Freedman

10:30 AM-12:30 PM Plenary Session 2
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Raising Culture as a Priority in Cancer Intervention Research
Chairperson: Amelie G. Ramirez

2:00 PM-4:00 PM Concurrent Sessions 1-2
Challenges and Opportunities in Reducing Disparities from Cancers of Infectious Origins
Chairperson: Moon S. Chen, Saguaro Ballroom, p. 20
Early Detection and Screening,
Co-Chairpersons: Lucile L. Adams-Campbell and Marcia R. Cruz-Correa, Cholla I, p. 21
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Analytical Methods
Administration and Large-Scale Database Methods
Multilevel Analysis

Biomarkers
Biomarkers in Cancer Surveillance and Screening
Biomarkers in Intervention Studies
Biomarkers of Premalignant Lesions

Behavioral and Social Science
Alcohol, Tobacco, and Substance Abuse
Cancer Communications
Community-based Interventions
Community-based Participatory Research
Decision Making

Cancer Treatment and Outcomes
Late Effects/Survivorship
Pharmacology, Pharmacogenetics, and Pharmacogenomics
Quality of Life
Second Cancers
Other Cancer Treatment and Outcomes Studies

Epidemiology, Lifestyle, and Genetics
Behavioral Epidemiology
Diet and Nutrition
Exercise and Prevention
Familial and Genetic Epidemiology
General Epidemiology and Biostatistics
Molecular Epidemiology
Neighborhood Factors

Organ Site Research
Breast Cancer
Colorectal Cancer
Gastrointestinal Cancers
Genitourinary Cancers
Other Organ Sites

7:00 AM-8:00 AM  Breakfast Forum 2  Cholla I, p. 28

Secondary Data Analysis of National and State Health Survey Data: Access, Analysis and Funding
Chairperson: Richard P. Moser

8:00 AM-10:00 AM  Plenary Session 3  Saguaro Ballroom, p. 29

Racial and Ethnic Variations in the Molecular Profiles of Cancer: The Foundation for Classification and Therapeutic Targeting
Chairperson: Cheryl L. Willman
10:00 AM-12:30 PM Poster Session B
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**Behavioral and Social Science**
Diffusion and Dissemination Research
Genetic Testing and Counseling
Health Education
Recruitment/Retention/Adherence Research
Socioeconomic Influences
Stress
Other Behavioral and Social Science Studies

**Cell, Molecular, and Tumor Biology**
Cancer Genetics/Gene Expression
Cell Growth Signaling Pathways
Other Cell, Tumor, and Molecular Biology Studies

**Carcinogenesis**
Mutagenesis, Oxidative Stress, and Biology Studies
Stress Response and Allostatic Load

**Epidemiology, Lifestyle, and Genetics**
Obesity, Metabolism, and Cancer
Physical Activity and Energy Balance
Race, Admixture, and Ethnicity
Stress
Tobacco and Cancer
Other Risk Factors
Other Epidemiology Studies

**Health Economics, Outcomes, and Policy Research**
Healthcare Systems
Health Economics, Policy, and Outcomes
Treatment Factors and Outcomes

**Prevention Research**
Clinical Prevention Trials
Prevention Behaviors
Screening and Early Detection

2:00 PM-4:00 PM Plenary Session 4
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Biology, Behavior, and the Physical Environment: Exploring Interactions to Address Health Disparities,
Chairperson: Electra D. Paskett

4:15 PM-6:15 PM Concurrent Sessions 3-4

A Sampling of Cancer Survivorship Research: New Findings and Future Directions
Chairperson: Diana D. Jeffery, Saguaro Ballroom, p. 37

New Approaches to Understanding Biology and the Environment in Health Disparities
Chairperson: Timothy R. Rebbeck, Cholla I, p. 38

Friday, February 6, 2009

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The Science Behind Cervical Cancer Disparities
Chairperson: Francisco A. R. Garcia

10:30 AM-12:30 PM Plenary Session 6
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The Science of Recruitment of Underrepresented Populations to Clinical Trials
Chairperson: Jean G. Ford

12:30 PM Closing Remarks
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