The 7th Annual Southeastern States Occupational Network (SouthON) Meeting
April 5-6, 2018
The DeSoto Savannah
15 East Liberty Street | Savannah, Georgia

Thursday, April 5, 2018 – Madison Ballroom

7:45 – 8:00  Registration

8:00 – 8:30  Working Breakfast
Breakfast will be available in the meeting room

8:30 – 9:30  Keynote – Kentucky Response to the Opioid Epidemic  
Moderator: Terry Bunn
Van Ingram, Kentucky Office of Drug Control Policy

9:30 – 9:45  Break- Poster Session

9:45 – 11:00  First Responder Exposure to Opioids – Quick Takes  
Moderator: Lei Zhang
- Potential Occupational Exposure to Illegally Made Fentanyl and Analogues Among Workers Other Than First Responders
  Sophia Chiu, Medical Officer, Hazard Evaluations and Technical Assistance Branch, CDC/NIOSH
- Work-related opioid exposure among Virginia’s first responders
  Andrew Tran, Data Analyst Specialist, Virginia Department of Health - Division of Environmental Epidemiology
- Survey of Work-Related Opioid Exposure among First Responders in Mississippi
  Ying He, Epidemiologist, Mississippi State Department of Health
- Occupational-Related Opioid Exposure in the State of Kentucky
  Robin Thompson, Doctoral Student, University of Kentucky College of Public Health
- Work-related Opioid Exposures among Emergency Medical Service and Law Enforcement Personnel in Georgia, 2018
  Antionette Lavender, Epidemiologist, Georgia Department of Public Health

11:00 – Noon  Emerging Occupational Injury and Illness Issues in the Southeast Region  
Moderator: Antionette Lavender
Billie Kizer, Assistant Regional Administrator for Enforcement Programs for U.S. Department of Labor - OSHA, Region IV

Noon – 1:30  Lunch on your own
1:30 – 2:30 Public Safety and Public Health Overlap in Opioid Exposures Panel

Moderator: Laurel Morano

Van Ingram, Director, Kentucky Office of Drug Control Policy
Wayne Sanderson, Director, Central Appalachian Education and Research Center, Professor, University of Kentucky
Terry Bunn, Director, Kentucky Injury Prevention and Research Center, Associate Professor, University of Kentucky
Lt. Col. Jeremy Slinker, Operations Division Director, Kentucky State Police

2:30 – 2:45 Break- Poster Session

2:45 – 3:45 Occupational Injury and Illness Surveillance

Moderator: Laurel Morano

Evaluation & Analysis of Data Sources Related to Occupational Opioid Use and Exposures in Louisiana
Michelle Lackovic, Senior Analyst, Louisiana Public Health Institute

Research and Surveillance in Emergency Response and Recovery Workers: Opportunities and Challenges
Angela Weber, Program Coordinator, CDC/NIOSH
John Myers, Branch Chief, CDC/NIOSH

Work-related injury hospitalization trends in Kentucky, 2012-2017
Svetla Slavova, Associate Professor, University of Kentucky

Terry Bunn, Associate Professor, University of Kentucky

3:45 – 4:30 Occupational Exposures

Moderator: Angelique Lawyer

Aluminet: Investigating a potential intervention for preventing heat-related illness among construction workers
Mark Schall, Assistant Professor, Auburn University

Seafood Safety for Gulf Seafood Workers After Deepwater Horizon
Andrew Kane, Associate Professor, University of Florida

Unique Response to the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill Disaster
Katherine Kirkland, Executive Director, Association of Occupational & Environmental Clinics

Dinner on your own and continued networking
Friday, April 6, 2018 – Pulaski Room

7:45 – 8:00 Registration

8:00 – 8:30 Working Breakfast

8:30 – 9:30 Agriculture Safety  

Moderator: Terry Bunn

Texas Agriculture Memorial Day  
Amanda Wickman, Outreach Health Educator, University of Texas Health Northeast

Applying the Health Belief Model: Adherence to Hearing Protection in Young Farmers Ages 14-24  
Cheryl Witt, Graduate Student, University of Kentucky College of Nursing

The University of Kentucky Cost Effective Rollover Protective System Project (CROPS): School-Community Based R2P Farm Safety Intervention  
Joan Mazur, Professor, University of Kentucky College of Education

9:30 – 9:45 Break- Poster Session

9:45 – 11:00 Breakout Sessions  
Moderator: Marie Sweeney

Discussion First Responder and other emerging issues  
Goals

- to produce new or expanded proposals for submission to ERC pilot grant programs
  - USF pilot project applications are available for funding from May 1- June 30 2018.
- To expand current health department- academic partnerships
  - Occupational opioid exposures, etc.

11:00 – Noon Work Group Report Outs  
General Discussion

Noon-12:30 Future SouthON Plans, Action steps