

**Western States Occupational Network (WestON) - Twelfth Annual Meeting**  
**Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists**  
**NIOSH Western States Division**  
**Mountain and Plains Education and Research Center**  
**September 26-27, 2019**  
**The Magnolia Hotel - Denver, Colorado**

**Thursday - September 26, 2019**

**7:30 am Registration**

**8:00 am Welcome and Introductions**  
Ryan Hill, NIOSH, Western States Division (WSD)  
Rebecca Jackson

**8:40 am Keynote Presentation: Jim Morris, Center for Public Integrity -“Death in the Oilfields”**  
Moderator: Bob Harrison, California Department of Public Health (CDPH)

**9:15 am Q/A and Discussion**

**9:30 am Break**

**9:45 am Extra Extra Hear All About It: Emerging Hazards from Around the Nation**  
Moderator: Stephanie Moraga-McHaley, New Mexico Department of Health

- **Update: NIOSH coffee roasting and packaging health hazard evaluations**  
Rachel Bailey, NIOSH, Respiratory Health Division (RHD)
- **Cure in Place Pipe – Worker and Community Exposures**  
Dru Burns, NIOSH, RHD
- **Severe Silicosis in Engineered Stone Fabrication Workers — California, Colorado, Washington, and Texas, 2017–2019**  
Amy Heinzerling, CDPH
- **Wildland Fire Fighters and Heat Stress**  
Joe Domitrovich, US Forest Service

**11:00 am Q/A and Discussion**

**11:15 am Quick Takes Session 1 – Give Them Something to Talk About: Disseminating Safety and Health Messages**

Moderator: Kyla Retzer, NIOSH, WSD

- **#FocusFourConstructionHealth**  
Barb Epstien, AGC Oregon-Columbia Chapter
- **Interactive Worker's Compensation Data Visualization Platform**  
Elena Austin, University of Washington
- **Tell a Story – Save a Life**  
Ellen Duysen, Central States Center for Ag S&H, U Nebraska Med Center
- **Highlights From an Occupational Safety and Health Continuing Education Needs Assessment**  
Carol Brown, CHWE
- **Using a Design Sprint to Develop an Intervention for a Latino Day Laborer Organization**  
Natalie Schwatka, CHWE

**Panel Discussion**

**12:00 noon Lunch (on your own)**

**1:45 pm Gender Inequality in the Workplace**  
Moderator: Karen Mulloy, Case Western Reserve University

- **Sexual Violence Training – Lessons Learned from the Janitorial Workers**  
Alejandra Domenzain, UCB LOHP
- **Breaking Bias: Ways to Promote Workplace Diversity and Inclusion**  
Stefanie Johnson, UC Boulder

2:30 pm **Q/A and Discussion**

2:45 pm **Break**

3:00 pm **This Year's *Brain Buster*: Impacting Policy by Making an Elevator Pitch**  
Presenter and moderator: Linda Forst, UIC ERC

4:15 pm **Quick Takes Session 2 – *There's Gold in Them There Hills: Mining and More in the Rockies***

Moderator: Barb Epstien, AGC Oregon-Columbia Chapter

- **Building an Evidence-Based Framework for Improving Miner's Health – A New Approach**  
Aaron Sussell, NIOSH, Spokane Mining Research Division (SMRD)
- **Using the National Health Interview Survey (NHIS) to Assess the Mining Health Sector**  
Tashina Robinson, NIOSH, SMRD
- **Improving Health Promotion and Protection Strategies in Western Miners**  
Dymond Ruybal, National Jewish Health
- **Alright! Start, Collaborate, and Listen – NIOSH is Back With a New Investigation**  
Kyle Moller, NIOSH, WSD
- **Safety Matters Grant Pilot Project Results**  
Roberta Smith

4:50 pm **Federal OSHA Update** - David Valiante, OSHA

5:00 pm **Adjourn**

6:00 pm **Walk to Dinner – location to be announced**

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Friday - September 27, 2019

8:00 am **Data, Big and Small**

Moderator: Joe McLaughlin, Alaska Division of Public Health

- **What's Comp Got to Do With It? Using Workers' Compensation Data for Public Health Prevention**  
Rebecca Jackson
- **Estimating Race and Ethnicity in Occupational Research**  
Jennifer Marcum, SHARP

8:45 am **Q/A and Discussion**

9:00 am **Quick Takes Session 3: *The First Cut is the Deepest: Cutting Stone and Cutting Data***

Moderator: Kait Cirulli, NIOSH, WSD

- **Silicosis Cluster in Engineered Stone Countertop Manufacturing and Fabrication: Texas, 2019**  
Ketki Patel, Texas Department of State Health Services
- **An Outbreak of Progressive Silicosis in Colorado State Fabrication Workers**  
Jenna Wolff, National Jewish Health
- **Highlights From the Washington State Firefighter Survey, 2018**  
Jennifer Marcum, SHARP
- **The Functional Movement Screen as a Predictor of Occupational Injury among Denver Fire Fighters**

Erin Shore, CHWE

- 9:35 am**      **Break**
- 9:50 am**      **This Year's *Breakout Teaching Session*: The NIOSH "Yellow Book" Redux: What's New in Ergonomics and Prevention?**  
Instructor and facilitator: Carisa Harris-Adamson, UC Berkeley
- 11:15 am**      **Q/A and Discussion**
- 11:30 am**      **Future directions, open discussion and wrap-up**  
Moderator: Bob Harrison, CDPH
- 12:00 pm**      **Adjourn**