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Moving National Public Health Agendas to Action: Pitfalls, Challenges and Opportunities



Wednesday, September 19, 2012

Presented by Dr. Patience White, MD, MA Vice President of Public Health, Arthritis Foundation

4:30 – 5:30 pm (EDT) Bakst Auditorium - Boston University School of Medicine 70 E. Concord St., 1st Floor

Dr. White will discuss development and implementation of four recent interdisciplinary initiatives aimed to move the national Osteoarthritis Public Health Agenda to action:

- The OA Action Alliance
- The Ad Council Campaign
- The Environmental and Policy Strategies to Increase Physical Activity among Adults with Arthritis report
- The Institute of Medicine Living Well with Chronic Disease

This is a unique opportunity to hear a nationally-renowned speaker. In addition to serving as the Vice President of Public Health for the Arthritis Foundation, Dr. White is a Professor of Medicine and Pediatrics at the George Washington University School of Medicine and Health Sciences, and a consultant to the Health and Human Services, Bureau of Maternal and Child Health's Medical Transition National Center.

Reception to follow. Refreshments will be served.

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"Establishing national public health agendas is challenging; Moving public health agenda to 'action' is even more difficult." *Julie Keysor PT, PhD, Center Director, ENACT*