

11th Annual Healthy Communities Symposium

Wednesday, October 15, 2025

AGENDA

TIME	LOCATION	SESSION
9:00 am	Breezeway	Breakfast
9:30 am	Murphy Auditorium	<p>Welcome</p> <p>Joseph Ravenell, MD, MS Associate Professor of Population Health and Medicine Associate Dean for Professional Development NYU Grossman School of Medicine</p> <p>Keynote: History Rhythms: We Have Seen These Times Before Linda Rae Murray, MD, MPH</p>
10:45 am	Murphy Auditorium	<p>Panel 1: Community Partnerships and Resilience</p> <p>Moderator: Faven Araya, DrPH(c), MPH Director of Community Engagement & Health Equity Research Arthur Ashe Institute for Urban Health</p> <p>Panelists</p> <p>Linda Lee, MSW Council Member New York City Council</p> <p>Aasma Nuzzi, LMHC-D, PhD Chief Operating Officer Council of Peoples Organization</p> <p>Kara Smith, LMSW Red Hook Community Health Network Manager Red Hook Initiative</p>
12:00 pm	Smilow Café	Lunch
1:00 pm	Murphy Auditorium	<p>Panel 2: Controversies in Population Health – Lowering the Scales, Widening the Gap: GLP-1 Drugs Show Promise, But Highlight Issues Around Access</p> <p>Moderator: Melanie Jay, MD, MS Professor of Medicine and Population Health NYU Grossman School of Medicine</p> <p>Panelists</p>

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		Arthur Caplan, PhD Professor of Population Health NYU Grossman School of Medicine
		Manish Parikh, MD Professor of Surgery NYU Grossman School of Medicine
		Stephanie Albert, PhD, MPA Assistant Professor of Population Health NYU Grossman School of Medicine
		David Rind, MD Chief Medical Officer Institute for Clinical and Economic Review
2:15 pm	Murphy Auditorium	<p>Panel 3: Broadening Access to Research and Health Professions through Community Programs</p> <p>Moderator: Yaa Haber, PhD, MBS Executive Director Institute for Excellence in Health Equity Grossman School of Medicine</p> <p>Panelists</p> <p>Kurt Pinto DNP, RN, OCN, PMHNP-BC System Director of Evidence Based Practice Nursing at NYU Langone Health</p> <p>Reanne Rahim, MA Institute for Excellence in Health Equity (IEHE) Generating Emerging Medical Scholars (GEMS) program</p> <p>Emily Drum, MPH Strategic Initiatives and Education Clinical and Translational Science Institute (CTSI)</p>
3:30 pm	Breezeway	Poster Session & Reception
5:00 pm	Breezeway	Adjourn