

2025 NEBRASKA ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEALTH SUMMIT
AGENDA - TENTATIVE

7:30-8:00	Sign in/Exhibitors/Breakfast		
8:05-8:20	<i>Opening Remarks</i>		
8:20-9:20	Keynote Larry Ramdin, President Elect - National Environmental Health Association		
9:20-9:30	<i>Transition Break</i>	<i>Transition Break</i>	
	<i>TRACK 1 - Food & Disease Prevention</i>	<i>TRACK 2 - Healthy Communities</i>	<i>TRACK 3 - Water</i>
9:30-10:20	Food Code Updates (NE Dept of Ag)	Collaborative Expansion and Engagement for Lead-Free Futures (Two Rivers PHD)	Wisner WWTF -- A City-wide RO System (Elkhorn Logan Valley PHD)
	NDA Food Laboratory Procedures (NE Dept of Ag)		Arsenic Sampling in Water Wells (Lincoln-Lancaster HD)
10:20-10:40	<i>Morning Coffee & Networking</i>		
10:40-11:30	Sanitizers Basics & Food Safety Studies (UNL)	Wildland Smoke Exposures in Nebraska (UNMC)	From State to Local Pool Inspections (Two Rivers PHD, NE DWEE)
11:30-11:40	<i>Transition Break</i>	<i>Transition Break</i>	
11:40-12:30	Addressing Cryptosporidiosis in Childcare Facilities (Two Rivers PHD)	Airnow, Purple Air Data & Public Messaging (Panel Presentation: NWS, NE DWEE, DHHS, Lincoln-Lancaster HD, NALHD)	High Nitrates in the Bazile Groundwater Management Area (BGMA) (Lower Niobrara NRD)
12:30-1:50	<i>Lunch</i> <i>NEHA Business Meeting</i>		
1:50-2:40	Parasitic Transmissions & Other Vector Diseases (UNL)	Emergency Response Impacts (Douglas County HD & UNMC)	Citizen Science in the Classroom: Inspiring the Next Generation to Protect WQ (NCDHD)
			Mosquitoes in Nebraska: Surveillance, Emerging Threats & Local Prevention Strategies (NE DHHS)
2:40-2:50	<i>Transition Break</i>	<i>Transition Break</i>	
2:50-3:40	From Fields to Genomes: Following the Blacklegged Tick's Trail Across Nebraska (UNL)	Community Engagement in EPH (Panhandle PHD)	From Outbreak to Opportunity: How Interagency Coordination Stopped Legionella in Its Tracks (Two Rivers PHD)
3:40-4:00	<i>Afternoon Snack & Networking</i>		
4:00-4:50	Closing Session Kim Carlton, Environmental Health Specialist & former RVP of NEHA Region 4 - Minnesota		