THE IMPACT OF LEAD EXPOSURE ON OUR STUDENTS: WHAT SCHOOLS AND PARENTS CAN DO TO HELP MITIGATE THE PROBLEM

Princeton University
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8:45 - 9:15  BREAKFAST AND REGISTRATION

9:15 - 9:30  GREETINGS:

9:30-10:15  KEYNOTE:

Ralph Spezio, Ed.D., Executive Principal, (Ret.), Rochester City School District

10:15 - 11:45 WHAT IS THE IMPACT OF LEAD EXPOSURE TO STUDENTS’ BRAIN AND SCHOOL PERFORMANCE?

Speakers:

Janet Currie, Henry Putnam Professor of Economics and Public Affairs, Director of the Center for Health and Well-Being

Ted Lidsky, Neuropsychologist,

Jay Schneider, Professor, Departments of Pathology, Anatomy and Cell Biology and Neurology, Thomas Jefferson University

11:45 – 12:00  BREAK

12:00 - 1:00  WHAT SCHOOLS AND PARENTS CAN DO TO MITIGATE THE IMPACT OF LEAD EXPOSURE

Speakers:

Mary Jean Brown, Sc.D RN –Harvard School of Public Health, Former Chief, Lead Division, CDC

Vicki Sudhalter, Ph.D, Institute for Basic Research in Developmental Disabilities, Staten Island, NY
1:00 - 2:00  LUNCH

2:00 – 2:30  ON THE GROUND FROM FLINT, MI – HOW ARE EDUCATORS RESPONDDING TO THE LEAD-EXPOSURE EPIDEMIC

Mona Hanna-Attisha, MD MPH FAAP, Director, Pediatric Public Health Initiative, Hurley Children’s Hospital at Hurley Medical Center, Michigan State University College of Human Medicine, Department of Pediatrics and Human Development (participating via Skype)

2:30 - 4:00  LEAD-RELATED EDUCATION LAW AND POLICY

Speakers:

Peter Chen, Staff Attorney, Advocates for Children of New Jersey

Jennifer Rosen Valverde, Clinical Professor of Law; Legal Director, H.E.A.L. Collaborative

David G. Sciarra, Executive Director, Education Law Center

4:00 - 4:15/30  CLOSE

Elyse Pivnick, MCP, Director of Environmental Health, Isles, Inc.