

67th Meeting of the
NATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL ON MINORITY HEALTH AND HEALTH DISPARITIES

MEETING AGENDA
Natcher Conference Center, Room E1/E2
Friday, September 6, 2024 (8:30 A.M. – Adjournment)
<https://videocast.nih.gov/watch=55092>

OPEN SESSION:

8:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.

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| I. | Call to Order and Welcome | Dr. Eliseo J. Pérez-Stable |
| II. | Roll Call and Council Minutes Review | Dr. Paul Cotton |

8:45 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

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| III. | NIMHD Director's Report and Discussion | Dr. Pérez-Stable |
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9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

BREAK (15 minutes)

10:00 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

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| IV. | “Ending Unequal Treatment” | Darrell Gaskin, PhD
Professor
Johns Hopkins University |
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10:45 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

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| V. | “Advancing Neurological Health Equity:
NINDS Strategic Priority Setting” | Walter Koroshetz, MD
Richard Benson, MD, PhD
National Institute of
Neurological Disorders and
Stroke
National Institutes of Health |
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11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

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| VI. | “The Role of Behavioral and Social Sciences
in the Nation's Health” | Jane Simoni, PhD
Associate Director
Office of Behavioral and Social
Sciences Research
National Institutes of Health |
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12:15 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

LUNCH BREAK (45 minutes)

1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

VI. Statement of Understanding

Priscilla Grant, JD
Chief, Grants Management
NIMHD, NIH

[1:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.](#)

VII. Approval of Concepts

Dr. Paul Cotton

- a. **Advancing Data Science Approaches to Address Health Disparities through AI/ML and Community-Engaged Research**

Dr. Nathan Stinson Jr.

- b. **Novel and Innovative Commercial Tobacco Cessation Interventions in Populations that Experience Health Disparities**

Dr. Priscah Mujuru

VIII. Closing Remarks and Adjournment

Dr. Pérez-Stable

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