



Follow RWJF Human Capital Scholars and Alumni at the 2012 APHA Annual Meeting

The American Public Health Association's 140th Annual Meeting and Exposition: October 27-31, 2012

The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation will have a significant presence at the [American Public Health Association](#) (APHA) Annual Meeting in San Francisco. This year's theme, *Prevention and Wellness Across the Life Span*, will explore environmental, social, and behavioral issues that impact health across the life span.

There are a number of ways to connect with Human Capital scholars and alumni throughout this year's conference.

1. Attend a workshop. Here are a few of this year's highlights:

- **Monica Peek, MD, MPH**, RWJF Harold Amos grant recipient, *Shared decision-making: The importance of being actively involved in your own health care* Film and Discussion (October 30)
- **Robert Valdez, PhD**, Director RWJF Center for Health Policy at University of New Mexico and **Debra Joy Pérez, PhD**, RWJF Assistant VP of Research and Evaluation
 - *Health Equity for Latinos: Are We Making Progress* (October 29)
- **Nina Wallerstein, DrPH**, Senior Fellow, RWJF Center for Health Policy
 - *Health Care Reform and Implications for Reproductive Health* (October 29)
- **Daniel Howard, PhD**, Director, RWJF Center for Health Policy at Meharry Medical College
 - *Building A Successful Intervention to Address Mental Health Issues* (October 30)
- **Lenard Lesser, MD, MSHS**, RWJF Clinical Scholar
 - *Rating Fast Food by Calories Purchased: Is Subway Healthier Than McDonald's* (October 30)
- **Thema Bryant-Davis, PhD**, New Connections alumnus
 - *HIV Prevention Practices Promoted by African American Faith Leaders* (October 31)

2. Follow the conference on Twitter.

Follow the conference hashtag #APHA12 for the latest updates. You can also tweet to any of RWJF's accounts: @RWJF, @RWJF_PubHealth, @RWJF_ChldObesity, @RWJF_HumanCap and @RWJF_VP.

3. Interact with RWJF through the Human Capital blog. Human Capital scholars and alumni will be blogging from the conference beginning Monday, October 29. Stay tuned for posts on both the [Human Capital](#) and [New Public Health](#) blogs.