



Welcome to WestON XI



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Meeting Information

- ◆ Catch Box microphone
- ◆ 5-minute warning for presenters
- ◆ Presentations in PDF format will be posted on CSTE WestON web page after the meeting
 - <http://www.cste.org/group/WestON>
- ◆ Send any pictures to Liz Dalsey (edalsey@cdc.gov)



WestON



What my mom thinks we do



What my friends think we do



What my spouse thinks we do



What society thinks we do



What I secretly think we do



What we actually do

Meeting Goals



**Range of
expertise and
resources**



**Meet and address
common OSH
issues**



**Develop
collaborations**

A Look Back at WestON

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MEETINGS



90

SESSIONS



710+

PARTICIPANTS



Wildland Fire Fighters
Workers' Compensation
Heat Stress Nanotechnology New Technology
Grants State Surveillance ATVs Workers
Electronic Health Records TWH
Infectious Disease Meatpacking FACE Emerging Issues
ERCs Agriculture NIOCCS NOMS Coding
Oil and Gas HHEs Logging
OSHA Surveillance Evaluation
OHIs Research Safety Data Regional Issues
Miners Zika Informatics
Lung Disease Construction Ag Centers
Underserved Populations
Communication Centers of Excellence Partnerships
Emergency Response Research to Practice

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- 2-hour lunch
- Quick Takes
- Brain Busters

◆ Bios

◆ Photo release

Western States Occupational Network (WestON) - Eleventh Annual Meeting
Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists
NIOSH Western States Division
Mountain and Plains Education and Research Center
September 13-14, 2018
The Curtis Hotel Peekaboo Room - Denver, Colorado

Thursday - September 13, 2018

- 7:30 am Registration
- 8:00 am **Welcome and Introductions**
Elizabeth Dalsey, NIOSH, Western States Division (WSD)
- 8:30 am **Keynote Presentation** - Moderator: Bob Harrison, California Department of Public Health (CDPH)
 - **Methylene Chloride – Paint Stripping Chemical**
Anna Werner, CBS Morning News
Comments from Wendy Hartley (mother of Kevin)
- 9:15 am **Q/A and Discussion**
- 9:30 am **Break**
- 9:45 am **New and Novel Surveillance Systems**
Moderator: Bozena Morawski, Idaho Department of Health and Welfare
 - **Syndromic Surveillance: Filling Gaps in Agriculture Injury Data**
Zach Stein, Kansas Department of Health and Environment
 - **Fatalities in a Frontier State**
Julia M. Brennan, Montana Department of Labor and Industry
 - **Occupational Injuries at Residential Worksites in California**
Kevin Riley, UCLA, Labor Occupational Safety & Health Program
- 10:45 am **Q/A and Discussion**
- 11:00 am **Quick Takes – Behind the Wheel**
Moderator: Carri Casteel, University of Iowa
 - **Investigating Trucker Safety in Wyoming**
Meredith Towle, Wyoming Department of Workforce Services
 - **Roadway Safety Integrated Project in New Mexico**
Sandy Lam, New Mexico Department of Health
 - **New Approaches to Assessing Driving Performance and Workplace Impairment in Cannabis Users**
Michael Kosnett, Colorado School of Public Health

Panel Discussion
- 11:30 am **Lunch (on your own)**
- 1:30 pm **Brain Busters – *Small group discussion***
Moderator: Karen Mulloy, Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine
- 2:15 pm **Large group discussion**
- 2:45 pm **Break**
- 3:00 pm **Infectious Disease Outbreaks**
Moderator: Marie De Perio, NIOSH, Division of Surveillance, Hazard Evaluations, and Field Studies (DSHEFS)
 - **Outbreak of severe histoplasmosis among tunnel workers — Dominican Republic, 2015**
John Beard, Brigham Young University
 - **Coccidioidomycosis in Firefighters**
Gail Sondermeyer Cooksey, California Department of Public Health

Dinner Venue



Introductions

Hello
my name is

- **Your name?**
- **Where you are from?**
- **What is your job?**
- **Have you been to WestON before?**

WestON Planning Committee



Kelsie Scruggs



Karen Mulloy



Jason Wilken



Ken Scott



Carol Brown



John Beckman



Beki Jackson



Maria Patselokos



Bob Harrison



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HAPPY
BIRTHDAY

Save the Date

WestON XII

September 26 – 27, 2019