

CommonHealth ACTION

Catalyst for health

Katrina: Government Decisions and
Community Consequences.

What Needs to Happen Now?



Assuring America's Health: 2003 Institute of Medicine

- Adopt a population approach that builds on evidence of the multiple determinants of health
- Strengthen government public health infrastructure-the backbone of any public health system
- Create a new generation of partnerships to build



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- Developing appropriate systems of accountability at all levels to ensure that population health goals are met
- Assure that action is based on evidence
- Acknowledge communication as the key to forging partnerships, assuring accountability





Meeting Goals

- Share evacuee perspectives on status quo of recovery efforts
- Identify needs related to health and housing
- Provide policy and program recommendations for health care and housing professions

MAKING IT HAPPEN
A Rebuilding Resource & Networking
Festival

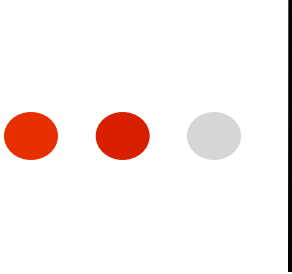
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“People need the right information to act upon. Without the right information and resources, people are paralyzed into waiting and inactivity.”

Michael A. Andry, EXCELth, Inc., New Orleans/Baton Rouge

Life After Katrina: Where Do We Go From Here?

