

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

INFORMATIONAL HEARING

Anthrax and Beyond: California Health System Bioterrorism Preparedness

Tuesday, November 6, 2001, 1:30 p.m.

University of California Berkeley

University Health Services Building - Tang Center

2222 Bancroft Way

Berkeley, California

AGENDA

Welcome from UC Berkeley

Ed Penhoet, Dean
UC Berkeley School of Public Health

Panel 1 - Overview

Art Reingold, MD
Division of Epidemiology, School of Public Health
UC Berkeley

Rance LeFebvre, Ph.D
Pathology/Microbiology and Immunology
School of Veterinary Medicine
UC Davis

Panel 2 - County Panel

Rich Burton, MD, MPH, President
California Conference of Local Health Officers
Health Officers Association of California

Ann Chandler
Public Health Laboratory Services
Alameda County Department of Public Health
Oakland, California

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Barbara Pletz, EMS Administrator
San Mateo County
EMS Administrators Association of California

Brian Zamora, President
County Health Executives Association
San Mateo County Director of Public Health

Tim Casagrande, Deputy Director
Environmental Health
Fresno County

William Walker, MD
Director of Contra Costa Health Services
President, California Association of Public Hospitals

Panel 3 - State Panel

Diana Bontá, R.N., Dr.P.H.
Director
Department of Health Services

Jeff Rubin, Chief
Disaster Medical Services Division
Emergency Medical Services Authority

Rich Eisner, Regional Administrator, Coastal Region
Office of Emergency Services

Panel 4 - Health Care Provider Panel

Melvin Sterling, MD
Board of Trustee Member
California Medical Association

Mary Jue RN, MSN, PHN
Chair, Statewide Public Health Nursing Advocacy Group
California Nurses Association

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Joe Barger, MD
Medical Director
Contra Costa Emergency Medical Services

Roger Richter
Senior Vice President
Professional Services
California Healthcare Association

Joe Yocca, Legislative Advocate
California Ambulance Association

Steve Madison, Board Member
California Ambulance Association
Vice President of Operations
American Medical Response

Public Comment