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Informational Hearing**Assembly Health Committee****Impacts of Wildfires on Public Health and the Health Care System****Date:** March 18, 2025**Time:** 1:30 p.m.**Location:** 1021 O Street, Room 1100**1. Welcome and Opening Comments****2. Public Health Impacts of Wildfires**

- a. Dr. John Belperio, MD, Professor with the University of California, Los Angeles David Geffen School of Medicine
- b. Dr. Elissa Epel, PhD, Professor with the University of California, San Francisco Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences
- c. Genevieve Flores-Haro, Associate Director, Mixteco/Indigena Community Organizing Project
- d. Sam James, Co-founder and CEO, Altadena Recovery Team

3. Health Care System Impacts: Access to Care

- a. Michelle Baass, Director, Department of Health Care Services
- b. Mary Watanabe, Director, Department of Managed Health Care
- c. Dr. Lori Morgan, MD, President and CEO, Huntington Health
- d. Dr. Adrienne Martinez-Hollingsworth, PhD, RN, Director at the AltaMed Institute for Health Equity

4. Healthcare Workforce

- a. Dr. Anish Mahajan, MD, Chief Deputy Director, Los Angeles County Department of Public Health
- b. Cynthia White, Los Angeles Department of Public Health, Data Conversion Equipment Operator & SEIU 721
- c. Raffy Bitchakdjian, Fire Engineer, Station 34 Alpha & President, Pasadena Firefighters Local 809

5. Public Comment