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Future of energy a growing interest for public health field: Health impact of dwindling oil supplies

Public health leaders using social media to convey emergencies: New tools a boon

Social media, risk communication resources

Tobacco law a long-awaited victory for public health: Move expected to save lives, health costs

Health workers gearing up for more H1N1 cases in fall: Departments running practice drills

U.S. surgeon general launches new dialogue calling for healthy homes

IoM updates guidelines on maternal health, weight gain

Q&A with acting Surgeon General Steven Galson: No one immune to unsafe homes: Call to action: Healthier housing will save lives, promote health

Obama releases new emission standards for vehicles

New York City health director Frieden takes reins at CDC

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### State & Local

New York City health workers using MySpace to reach teens

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Report urges U.S. policy-makers to support global health funding

Istanbul Declaration sets new global agenda for public health

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## **Healthy You**

Take the steps toward healthier feet • Get the facts on the flops

#### Health Findings

• Mobile health program illustrates cost-effectiveness of prevention

#### General

Columbus, Ohio, health department wins Crumbine food safety award

Correction

#### **APHA News**

APHA president, Executive Board candidates named: Governing Council to vote at APHA's 137th Annual Meeting

CDC Coalition members discuss budget outlook for health agency

Association Caucuses participate in Governing Council mid-year meeting New APHA Forum, SPIG gain board approval APHA campaign calls on members to advocate on health reform New APHA book links public health, disability issues Help Philly's homeless families through APHA's Help Us Help Them Volunteers sought for project on preparedness core competencies APHA Advocates

## President's Column

The incarcerated mentally ill: An invisible, vulnerable population

# Journal Watch

### Affiliates

New online community a collaborative resource for APHA Affiliate leaders

Affiliates focus on resource development through APHA training session

APHA Affiliate leaders meet in D.C.