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APHA's 141st Annual Meeting draws thousands to Boston: Meeting spotlights local, global health

New APHA sets reinvigorated course for future of Association: New values, vision announced in Boston

Members elect Kumanyika as next APHA president: Three executive board members, vice presidents also named

National Public Health Week to lead Americans along path to well-being

APHA codeathon creates apps to aid health reform: Programmers, public health professionals combine forces

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Association Governing Council adopts policy statements, updates APHA bylaws

Summaries of 2013 policy statements adopted by APHA's Governing Council in Boston: New statements address issues such as paid sick leave, workplace injuries, access to nature, noise pollution

Annual Meeting attendees learn about social media, public health at free lab

Attendees at the Annual Meeting share their thoughts

APHA Annual Report shows Association's health work

Expo Best Booth Contest winners named at APHA Annual Meeting

APHA seeking abstracts for New Orleans Annual Meeting

APHA calls for 2014 policy statements: Submissions due via email by Feb. 19

APHA seeking nominations for organization leadership positions

New APHA calendar uses dogs to tell the 'tail' of preparedness

Photos from APHA's 141st Annual Meeting now available online

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Member groups volunteer, tour meeting host city: Scavenger hunt, walking tour mark Annual Meeting in Boston

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