SPH in the News

Support later school start times for Seattle high schools - Seattle Times; op-ed co-authored by Michelle Garrison (HServ)

An intolerable unimaginable heat forecast for Persian Gulf - Washington Post/AP; quotes Howard Frumkin (OD, DEOHS)

Seattle students don't get enough time to eat - KUOW; cites research by Nutritional Sciences grad students

Is cheese actually addictive? UW dietitian weighs in on new research - KING 5; interviews Judy Simon (HServ)

Recently Awarded Grants & Contracts »

Foundation Funding Opportunities »

Who Knew??

Senior Emma Brooke Rose (Nutritional Sciences) makes jewelry out of bullet casings. She began in high school, as a way to raise money for Peace One Day. "I found some small 22 shells in my garage, and was intrigued by the form and material," she says. "I kept exploring with it, and liked the message of making something beautiful out of bullets." See some of her artwork.

On the Calendar

Nov. 10, 5:30-7:30pm
Workshop on Mass Incarceration, Racism and Health - Common Book Event

Nov. 13, 9am-4pm
Leveraging the Seattle Nutrition Community

Making a Difference

About 75 SPH students and staff volunteered at the 2015 Seattle/King County Clinic, which offered free health care for people in need. Volunteers from across the state worked 12-hour shifts at KeyArena in medical and dental clinics, treating patients, providing foreign-language interpretation, checking in patients and escorting them, and managing waiting areas. Nearly $3.5 million in services were provided to more than 4,000 people over the four days the clinic was open, according to the Seattle/King County Clinic Team. It’s the largest such clinic in WA state. (Photo by Deborah Daoust)

Epidemiologist William Foege (GH), who helped lead the successful effort to eradicate smallpox, has agreed to speak at the School's Graduation Ceremony on June 8, 2016. In 2012, he received the Presidential Medal of Freedom, the highest civilian honor in the U.S.

Affiliate Professor Ruth Etzioni (Biostat, HServ) helped draft new guidelines for the American
Nov. 17, 3-4:30pm
Health Equity & TheErroneous Temptation ofSumming Causes to Equal100%

We'll keep you busy: take alook at the SPh EventsCalendar.

State of the School
If you missed it, catch up bywatching this video of Dean Howard Frumkin's Oct. 20State of the School address.

Opportunities
Check out the SPh joblistings page for national andlocal public health jobs andopportunities.

Missed an issue ofNewsCatcher? Find it in theArchive (UW netID required).

Cancer Society that recommend annual breastcancer screenings at age 45 instead of 40 andswitching to every other year at age 55. Read aQ and A with her.

SPH and the College of Built Environments nowoffer an MPH/Master of Urban Planningconcurrent degree program focused onimproving health and the environment throughsystematic change. Andrew Dannenberg(DEOHS) is program director.

Researchers across the School are working onkeeping an aging population healthy. Find outwhat they’re doing in the Fall issue of SPHConnect, which includes alumni updates, newfaculty, student scholarship winners and more.

Aaron Katz’s (HServ, GH) passion is researchinghealth care markets, policy and outcomes. “Dopeople get the care they need at the time theyneed it for an affordable price?” he asks in thelatest SPH Close Up.

Senior Lindsey Kirkham (Public Health) isdirector of the ASUW Student Health Consortium,which runs events such as the Pre-Health Affair,the Everybody Every Body Fashion Show andMental Health Awareness Week.

MPH student Lisa Woo (Nutritional Sciences)created a map of 30+ Seattle restaurants ownedby people of color. She told The Stranger shewanted to focus on eateries ignored bymainstream dining guides.

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