

# CHANGING CLIMATE

# CHANGING HEALTH PATTERNS

## WHAT WILL IT TAKE TO PREDICT AND PROTECT?

*From events such as hurricanes, heat waves and life-threatening floods, to new infectious disease pathways and processes, there is a global need to get ahead of the curve, to provide new analytical tools, access to real-time data, and forecasts about emerging disease and other acute threats that read like today's weather reports. Join leading national scientists in examining what it will take to predict and protect in an uncertain world, a world in which adaptation is essential and history's lessons no longer fit the circumstances.*

**Wednesday, June 18**  
**National Press Club**  
**529 14<sup>th</sup> Street NW (14<sup>th</sup> & F Streets)**  
**Washington, DC | 10 AM-Noon**

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**World Federation of Public Health Associations**  
**American Public Health Association**  
**US Group on Earth Observations**



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# PROGRAM

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## KEYNOTES

### **The Honorable Mike Leavitt**

Secretary of Health and Human Services

### **Vice Admiral USN (Ret.) Conrad C. Lautenbacher, Ph.D**

Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere  
Administrator, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration  
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## PANEL DISCUSSION

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### Moderator: **Leonard P. Hirsch, Ph.D.**

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## AUDIENCE DISCUSSION

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