

ISHIB Newsletter



Improving the health care and life expectancy of ethnic populations around the world

June 2011

President's Reception to be Sponsored by Takeda Pharmaceuticals

ISHIB will convene its 26th Annual International Interdisciplinary Conference on Hypertension and Related Cardiovascular Risk Factors in Ethnic Populations (ISHIB2011) in Boston, MA, from July 8 - 10, 2011. ISHIB2011, "Understanding Cardiovascular Disease Risk across the Lifespan," will bring together leading health care practitioners, researchers, and public health professionals to share ideas and generate solutions to bridge the gap in minority health. ISHIB expects more than 300 participants -- a highly targeted audience interested in developments on antihypertensive management and related CV disease.

The President's reception, solely sponsored by Takeda Pharmaceuticals North America, will take place on Saturday during the convention to officially greet

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ISHIB/ASH Joint Symposium

On Sunday, May 22, 2011, during the American Society of Hypertension (ASH) 26th Annual Scientific Meeting and Exposition, ISHIB, in conjunction with ASH, convened a joint symposium to address the topic "New Perspectives in ISHIB Consensus Statement: Is Clinical Judgment Medically Appropriate?"

Co-chairs for the symposium were Kenneth A. Jamerson, MD, ISHIB immediate past president and Consensus Statement co-author, and Daniel T. Lackland, DrPH, an expert panel member for the upcoming *Eighth Report of the Joint National Committee on Prevention, Detection, Evaluation, and Treatment of High Blood Pressure (JNC 8)*.



ISHIB2011 Coming Soon!

Have you registered for this year's conference dedicated to "Understanding Cardiovascular Disease Risk Across the Lifespan?" Book your hotel reservations soon. To get the guest room rate of \$229 for single occupancy, register by June 20. Visit ishib.org/ISHIB2011 for more information.

Have You Reached One Yet?

Attention all ISHIB members!

Don't forget about our "BIG PUSH" membership drive to attract 1,000 new members in three years. Join the ISHIB board and executive director to ensure that we reach our goal!

Please take time to refer potential members to Terry Jackson, director, membership services, Terry-Jackson@ishib.org.

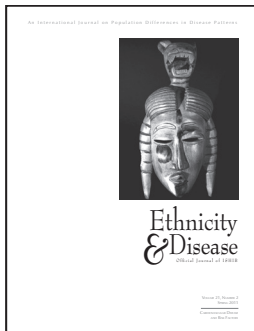
Other presenters were Keith C. Ferdinand, MD, ISHIB board and Consensus Statement co-author, Shawna D. Nesbitt, MD, MS, ISHIB president and writing group co-author, John M. Flack, MD, MPH, ISHIB board member and Consensus Statement lead author, and William C. Cushman, MD, JNC 8 expert panel member and co-author of the editorial published alongside the Consensus Statement, "New Recommendations for Treating Hypertension in Black Patients: Evidence and/or Consensus?"

Dr. Ferdinand opened the symposium with an introduction and perspective on hypertension detection, treatment and control. Dr. Nesbitt presented the Consensus

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Ethnicity & Disease, Official Journal of ISHIB

The Volume 21, Number 2 issue of the journal will be released this month. Watch for news reports carried by your local news channels and global websites. Health Behavior News Service will feature three of this issue's articles:



Hollenbeak et al: *Outcomes of thyroid cancer in African Americans*

Reynolds et al: *An excess of breast cancer among young California-born Asian women*

Shen and Lu: *Changes in patterns of racial disparities in attending low-mortality hospitals and outcomes among patients with stroke*

Please join us, Thursday, July 7th, 7-8:30 pm, during ISHIB2011 for the Board of Trustees and Corporate Partners Dinner, supported by Daiichi Sankyo, Inc.

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President's Reception (cont.)

all members and attendees to the meeting in Boston. ISHIB President Shawna D. Nesbitt, MD, MS, and a Takeda representative, will welcome ISHIB2011 participants; a reception will follow.

Be sure to attend this year's President's Reception - you will have the opportunity to talk informally with old members and new friends while thanking Takeda for their ongoing support of ISHIB.

See you in Boston!

ISHIB/ASH Joint Symposium (cont.)

Statement, a corner stone of the ISHIB IMPACT Campaign.

The speakers presented sometimes opposing views, discussing each before taking questions from the audience. This well-attended symposium marks a continuation of a "dialogue critically important for clinicians and researchers to achieve an approach that takes both the patient and the data from trials into account." (ASH News, www.ash-us.org).

The Consensus Statement and authors will continue to disseminate messages from the statement at the upcoming ISHIB2011 Annual Meeting.

Upcoming Events

ISHIB

www.ishib.org/ISHIB2011

July 8-10, 2011

ISHIB2011 - 26th Annual International Interdisciplinary Conference on Hypertension and Related Cardiovascular Risk Factors in Ethnic Populations - Boston

American Association of Diabetes Educators

www.diabeteseducator.org

August 3-6 - AADE 11 Annual Meeting & Exhibition - Las Vegas

American College of Cardiology

www.cardiosource.org

June 17-19 - West Coast Cardiovascular Forum - San Francisco

June 19-22 - 21st Annual Course on Congenital Heart Disease in the Adult: An International Symposium - Cincinnati

American Heart Association

www.americanheart.org

July 18-21 - Basic Cardiovascular Sciences, 2011 Scientific Sessions - New Orleans

American Diabetes Association

www.professional.diabetes.org

June 24-28 - 71st Scientific Sessions - San Diego

Association of Black Cardiologists

www.abccardio.org

July 23-27 - Joint Session with NMA - Washington

British Hypertension Society

www.bhsoc.org

September 12-14 - Annual Scientific Meeting of the British Hypertension Society - Cambridge, England

Caribbean Cardiac Society

www.caribbeancardiac.org

July 20-23 - 26th Caribbean Cardiology Conference - Port-of-Spain, Trinidad & Tobago

European Society of Cardiology

www.escardio.org

August 27-31 - ESC Congress 2011 - Paris

European Society of Hypertension

www.eshonline.com

June 17-20 - 21st European Meeting on Hypertension and Cardiovascular Prevention - Milan

International Academy of Cardiology

www.cardiologyonline.com

July 23-26 - 16th World Congress on Heart Disease IAC Annual Scientific Sessions 2011 - Vancouver

National Black Nurses Association

www.americanheart.org

July 13-17 - Annual Institute and Conference - Indianapolis

National Medical Association

www.nmanet.org

July 23-27 - Annual Convention/Scientific Assembly - Washington