



5th Annual Health Literacy Research Conference

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October 28-29, 2013

National Academy of Sciences, Washington, D.C.

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The Health Literacy Annual Research Conference is an interdisciplinary meeting for investigators dedicated to health literacy research. It will be an opportunity to advance the field of health literacy, a method to raise the quality of our research, and a venue for professional development.

The aim of the conference is to attract a full range of investigators engaged in health literacy research including faculty, practioners and trainees involved in a broad array of public health, health services, epidemiology, social sciences, translational, and interventional research activities.

The main goals of the meeting are presentation and discussion of original research findings pertaining to issues such as:

- Core definitional issues
- Emerging measurement techniques and instruments
- Newly validated interventions relating to communication, prevention, care management, chronic disease outcomes, and public health
- Health Disparities

Location

We are excited to announce that HARC will be returning to its original site at the newly renovated *National Academy of Sciences* building on Constitution Ave in Washington, D.C. Information regarding lodging will be announced soon. For more information, please email healthliteracyconference@bu.edu.

Important Dates

Registration Opens	June 1, 2013
Abstract Submission Deadline	July 12, 2013 (5:00pm EST)
Early Registration Ends	September 3, 2013
Lodging Reservation Deadline	September 27, 2013

Conference Staff

Director:	Michael Paasche-Orlow MD, MA, MPH,
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