

BDE/BN CMD Teams
First Responders (Medics, 68W, CLS)
Clinicians. Researchers. Leaders

9th Annual Heat Forum



Fort Moore, Home of the MCoE

26 FEB 2025 AM AGENDA						
0900- 0915	15MIN	MCOE Heat Video- MCoE Safety Opening Remarks- MG Tuley				
0915- 0945	30MIN	2024 Year in Review, Prevention and Best Practices LTC David DeGroot				
0945- 1015	30MIN	Hydration and Fueling for Performance Sustainment and Injury Prevention Ms. Brooks Ford and Ms. Christina Lapeyrouse-Franklin				
1015- 1035	20MIN	Heat Category Alert Application Dr. Mojdeh Mahdavi				
1035- 1050	15MIN	BREAK / VISIT EXHIBITS				
1050- 1110	20MIN	USARIEM Heat Strain Decision Aide Dr. John Castellani				
1110- 1130	20MIN	Prehospital Treatment Best Practices Dr. (CPT) Chad Norton				
1130- 1135	5MIN	MOVEMENT OUTDOORS IN FRONT OF MWH				
1135-1155		Point of Injury Protocol Review Man Down Drill -4th BN Airborne and Ranger Training Brigade				
1200- 1300	60MIN	MCoE BDE- and BN-leaders roundtable Fenty Auditorium Facilitated by COL Enslen and LTC DeGroot				
1155- 1300	65MIN	LUNCH AND EXHIBITS				

26 FEB 2025 PM AGENDA				
1300- 1315	15MIN	Exertional Heat Stroke Clinical Practice Guide Dr. Francis O'Connor		
1315- 1400	45MIN	Return to Duty Considerations Mr. Rains, PA-C		
1400- 1415	15MIN	BREAK / VISIT EXHIBITS		
1415- 1435	20MIN	Sunscreen Application and Heat Strain Dr. Tony Wolf		
1435- 1455	20MIN	Chain of Survival for a Severe EHS casualty Ms. Kari Goodwin		
1455- 1515	20MIN	Climate Indices for Estimating Heat Stress Dr. Josh Kazman		
1515- 1535	20MIN	Warfighters and Heat Stress: practical adaptation strategies and potential sex differences Dr. Gabrielle Giersch		
1535- 1555	20MIN	Elevated Troponin in the Heat of Duty: A Case of Heat Stroke Associated NSTEMI Dr. (CPT) Cora Blodgett		
1555- 1615	20MIN	Temp Check: Are you too hot to handle or ready to return? Dr. JoEllen Sefton and Dr. Russell Lowell		
END Forum				

	Who's Who
MG Tuley	Commanding General, MCoE
LTC DeGroot	Director, The Army Heat Center
COL Enslen	Chief of Staff, MCOE
Ms. Lapeyrouse- Franklin	Performance Dietitian H2F Program, 194 th AR BDE
Ms. Ford	Performance Dietitian 75 th Ranger Regiment
Dr. Mahdavi	Smart Installation & Community Dashboard Program Manager, US Ignite
Dr. Castellani, Dr. Giersch	Research Physiologist, US Army Research Institute of Environmental Medicine
CPT Norton, CPT Blodgett	MACH Department of Family Medicine
Dr. O'Connor, Dr. Kazman	Consortium for Health and Military Performance, USUHS
Mr. Rains	Physician Assistant, The Army Heat Center
Dr. Tony Wolf	Assistant Professor, University of Georgia
Ms. Goodwin	Research Coordinator, The Army Heat Center
Dr. Sefton, Dr. Lowell	Warrior Research Center, Auburn University