

Conference Call: Core Competencies Workgroup,
Council on Linkages Between Academia and Public Health Practice
<http://www.phf.org/Link/competencieswg.htm>
Date: February 25, 2008
Time: 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. ET
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Conference Call Agenda

1. Brief update of developments since last call (*Ruth Gelles*)
 - a. Process used for updating Core Competencies
 - b. Background information available on the website
 - c. What will be accomplished by May 31, 2008
2. Brief overview *Construct Validity of the Core Competencies* study – Abstract is available on website (*Mark Edgar*)
3. Discussion of draft of revised Core Competencies
 - a. Standardizing Competency language (*Kathy Miner*)
 - b. Additions to Competencies (*Ruth Gelles and Ron Bialek*)
 - c. Open discussion
4. Upcoming dates/deadlines (*Ruth Gelles*)
 - a. March 17, 2008 – Council on Linkages in-person meeting
 - i. All Workgroup members are invited to attend
 - ii. New draft of Core Competencies available to Council members by March 10, 2008 in order to have open discussion at the meeting
 - b. April 30, 2008 – Final Core Competencies Workgroup conference call
 - i. New draft of Core Competencies (including revisions based on comments from Council members) will be available to Workgroup members beforehand
 - ii. Discussion will lead to a final draft, which will be voted on by the Council on Linkages, and then available for public comment