

ORAL HEALTH VIRTUAL LEARNING EVENT 2020

SPEAKER BIOS



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Darrell Butler is President of Butler Consulting Group – BC Innovations. For more than 20 years he has assisted organizations in "making workplace tension productive" through strategic consulting, training, and speaking in the areas of diversity/equity/inclusion, implicit bias, personal empowerment, and work-life balance. More information can be found at www.EmpoweredInclusion.com.

Session: Respecting Differences for Cultural Competence in Oral Healthcare

Participants will be introduced to the pillars of culturally competent healthcare, the barriers caused by unconscious bias, and how this skill set can be applied to understanding oral healthcare disparities across different communities. This will serve as foundation setting for further exploration and application during the 2021 Forum.



Timothy L. Ricks, D.M.D., M.P.H., F.I.C.D.

Timothy L. Ricks, D.M.D., M.P.H., F.I.C.D., currently serves as the 19th Chief Dental Officer of the U.S.

Public Health Service as well as Assistant Surgeon General. He serves as the Surgeon General's spokesperson on oral health and interacts with chief dental officers from other countries, with military chief dental officers, with leaders in organized dentistry, with state oral health programs, and much more. He is currently overseeing the development

of the second-ever Surgeon General's Report on Oral Health.

In addition to his role as Chief Dental Officer, Rear Adm. Ricks serves concurrently in numerous national roles within the Indian Health Service (IHS) including continuing dental education coordinator, oral health promotion/disease prevention consultant, oral health surveillance coordinator, dental lead for the Government Performance and Results Act, and IHS representative to the Healthy People 2020/2030 oral health workgroup.

Session: A National Perspective Oral Health This session will provide insight about oral health from a national perspective as it relates to South Carolina, as well as information about the development of the soon to be released Surgeon General's Report on Oral Health.

Register in advance for this meeting:

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