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Racial Disparities in Maryland and COVID-19

Date:

September 1, 2020

Time:

12:00 p.m. (EDT)

Hosted By:

The Maryland Advisory Committee to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights

Written Testimony: The Committee is accepting written testimony. Email: Evelyn Bohor at ero@usccr.gov by October 1, 2020.

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Tel: (202) 921-2212 Tel: (202) 539-8246 www.usccr.gov Black and Latinx Marylanders are suffering disproportionately from COVID-19. A new analysis of 10 major U.S. cities found that non-white counties had higher cumulative incidences and deaths compared to predominantly white counties regardless of income. According to Maryland Department of Health data, the rate of coronavirus infections and related deaths is higher among Black and Latinx.

The Maryland Advisory Committee is studying the issue and hosting a series of panel presentations. The next is on Tuesday, September 1, at 12:00. It is open to the public.

Speakers...

To access the meeting, you must take two steps: For Audio: 1-866-575-6539; ID: 3918108

For Video: https://cc.readytalk.com/r/3ll9xlvdpwqz&eom

The Committee will have a open comment session to hear public testimony at the end of the meeting where members of the public are encouraged to share their perspectives and experiences.



Maryland Advisory Committee U.S. Commission on Civil Rights

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Agenda

- 1. Welcome/Opening
- 2. Briefing on COVID-19 Health Disparities

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Dr. Barbara Brookmyer, MD, MPH

Health Officer Frederick County Health Department

Dr. Noel Brathwaite

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Question and Answer by Committee Members

Open Session

- 3. Next Steps
- 4. Other Business
- 5. Adjourn