

Attachment 4b. Invitation Email

Dear [Salutation] [FirstName] [LastName],

We are writing to invite you to participate in a ground breaking initiative, **UNCOVER EH** (Understanding the Needs, Challenges, Opportunities, Vision and Emerging Roles in Environmental Health). You are receiving this invitation because you are an environmental health professional at a state, tribal, local, or territorial public health department.

The National Environmental Health Association, Baylor University, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention are conducting this survey to understand and describe the environmental health profession, areas of practice, and identify workforce and practice needs. All of the information collected by this survey will be aggregated for analysis. This means that it is impossible to identify any individual or organization, or to link you and your responses.

Efforts of environmental health professionals like you are critical to protect public health and the environment, yet these efforts often go unnoticed until problems occur (e.g., foodborne outbreaks, vector borne diseases, contaminated water supplies, disasters). Given the importance of environmental health to ensure healthy communities, it is very timely to understand the challenges faced by environmental health practitioners to provide solutions to these needs.

This survey is voluntary. However, you can help us very much by taking approximately 30 minutes to complete this survey. It is very important to hear from environmental health professionals from across the nation to assure that the survey results are as accurate as possible. The survey will take thought and reflection.

To access the survey, you can proceed to the link below:
[SurveyHyperlink]

We use cookies in this survey, which allow you to stop and re-start the survey where you left off.

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If you have questions about the survey, please send an email to UNCOVER_EH@baylor.edu to request more information.

Thank you very much for helping with this timely study of challenges, needs and opportunities for environmental health.