

ACCOMMODATIONS

The Adam's Mark Buffalo Hotel reservations can be made directly with the hotel. The rate is \$100.00 a room for the nights of October 3 and 4, 2012. Participants are responsible for making their own lodging arrangements by calling **(716) 845-5100** or by visiting <https://booking.ihotelier.com/istay/istay.jsp?groupID=850947&hotelID=15259>

Directions to:

**The Adam's Mark Buffalo Hotel
120 Church Street
Buffalo, NY 14202**

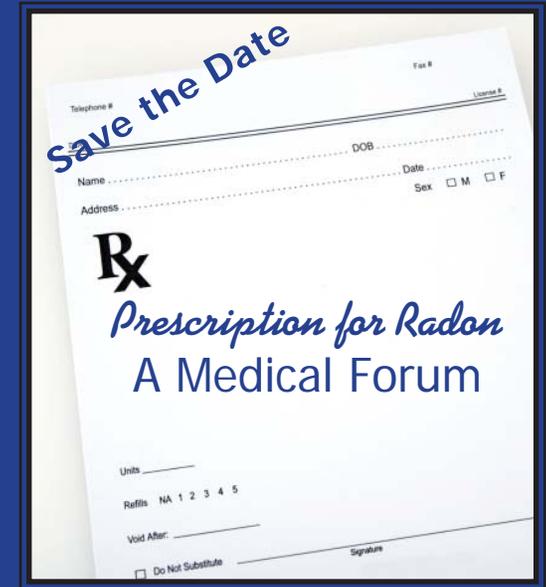
From Niagara Falls, take 190 South to Niagara Street (Exit 8). Make a right on Niagara Street and go through 3 traffic lights to South Elmwood and turn right. Hotel is located at intersection of South Elmwood and Church Street.

From the East, take I-90 West to Exit 53. Take Church Street exit and follow Church Street to the hotel.

From the Buffalo Niagara International Airport, take 33 West (Kensington Expressway) to Oak Street. Make a right turn on North Division Street and follow North Division to the hotel.

**Erie County Department of Environment & Planning
Division of Environmental Compliance
95 Franklin St., Room 1077
Buffalo, NY 14202**

Prescription for Radon
A Medical Forum
October 4, 2012
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REGISTRATION FORM

Registration and pay online at the Conference of Radiation Control Program Directors website www.crcpd.org/Radon/ medical forum. If paying by check, please complete this registration form:

Name: _____
Affiliation/Organization _____
Job Title: _____
Address 1: _____
Address 2: _____
City: _____ State: _____
Zip: _____ Phone: (____) _____-_____
E-mail: _____

Please include a separate copy of this form for each attendee.

_____ Check here if you require special accommodations due to a disability. (Please describe your needs on a separate sheet of paper and submit with registration).
Registration fees include conference, luncheon, and all materials. Fees are non-refundable although you may substitute attendees if unable to attend. Registration fees do not include overnight accommodations.
Checks for \$45/person can be made payable and mailed to:

CRCPD
1030 Burlington Lane
Suite 3B
Frankfort, KY 40601

For registration questions please call CRCPD:
(502) 227-4543.

For other questions please call Erie Co. Dept. of Environment & Planning: (716) 858-6370.

AGENDA

	7:00 - 8:00
Continental Breakfast & Registration	
	8:00 - 8:15
Welcome - Erie County official and Paul Locke, <i>facilitator</i>	
	8:15 - 8:30
Introduction– Paul A. Locke, JD, DrPH – <i>Associate Professor, Director, DrPH Program in Environmental Health Sciences, Co-Director, Certificate Program in Humane Sciences and Toxicology Policy Dept. of Environmental Health Services, John Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health</i>	
	8:30 - 9:30
The Evolution of Radon in America (and Radon Health Risk Basics)- Dr. Richard Guimond, PE PhD, <i>Assistant Surgeon General, US Public Health Service (Retired)</i>	
	9:30 - 10:30
Translating & Disseminating Radon Science for Physicians and their Patients Dr. Bill Field, PhD, MPH, - <i>University of Iowa</i>	
	10:30 - 10:45
Break	
	10:45-11:45
Radon Prevalance, Testing and Mitigation Panel - Mike Kitto, PhD, <i>Nuclear Chemistry Laboratory, Wadsworth Center NYSDOH</i>	
	11:45-12:00
Effective Questions to the Group- Dr. Paul Locke	
	12:00-1:00
Working Lunch:	
	1:00 - 1:15
Post lunch discussion of effective questions	
	1:15 - 1:45
A Personal Story Becomes a Mission to Save Lives - Gloria Linnertz, <i>CanSAR</i>	
	1:45 - 2:45
Communicating Health Risks to Patients: Lung Cancer is Not Just Cigarettes – Mary E. Reid, Ph.D., <i>Director of Collaborative Research, Department of Medicine, Roswell Park Cancer Institute</i>	
	2:45 - 3:45
Beyond Today: Radon Resources and a Call to Action - Paul A. Locke, JD, DrPH – <i>Associate Professor</i>	
	3:45-4:00
Evaluation	
	4:00
Adjourn	

PROGRAM GOAL & OBJECTIVES

Goal: To increase the healthcare professional's knowledge of radon in the environment and its associated health risks.

Objectives:

Radon Basics For Healthcare Professionals

- Explain the properties of radon
- State the EPA indoor action level for radon exposure
- List radon control measures

Overview Of Epidemiology Studies That Provides The Foundation Of Radon Research

- Recognize the latest research and its implication for radon testing and mitigation
- Describe the basis of the scientific data that supports radon progeny as a cause of lung cancer
- Explain the role of tobacco smoking in radon risk reduction programs

Radon And The Mechanisms That Cause Lung Cancer

- Discuss radon toxicity
- Describe radon exposure pathways
- Distinguish who is at risk for radon exposure

Radon And The World Health Organization

- Identify effective strategies for reducing the health impact of radon
- Understand the need to raise public and political awareness about the consequences of exposure to radon

Personal Radon Story

- Describe the patient's perspective in the diagnosis and treatment of lung cancer associated with non-smokers

Risk Communication

- Discuss effective strategies to communicate risk of radon exposure to improve patient health outcomes

Radon Resources: Where To Get What You Need To Share Information With Your Patients

- List three sources of information on radon

CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Medical Society of the State of New York (MSSNY) through the joint sponsorship of MSSNY and New York State Department of Health – Bureau of Environmental Radiation Protection. MSSNY is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians. The Medical Society of the State of New York designates this live activity for a maximum of 6.0 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.