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JUNE 4, 2015: 1:00PM – 2:00PM

Public Health in a Hostile Environment: Racial Inequality and STD/HIV in the US
by Adaora Adimora, MD, MPH

It’s now well understood that social factors are a major determinant of HIV and other STDs. But how can we develop relevant interventions? And what are the methodological challenges of social determinants research? This talk will explore how these issues can impact STD epidemiologic research among African Americans.

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