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Web Forum Agenda

- Discuss the latest national developments from Capitol Hill and Washington, DC inc. threats to the Prevention Fund.
- Provide update on advocacy efforts in support of the Prevention and Public Health Fund.
- Call to action to support the Prevention Fund and resources for community prevention.
- Overview of APHA 2012 PHACT Campaign.
- Discuss legislative action and tools to use during the August recess to educate leaders and decision makers.
- Open Q&A and discussion.
POLL #2

How closely have you been following legislative efforts related to the Prevention and Public Health Fund?

a. Very closely
b. Somewhat closely
c. Not closely
d. I am interested but need more details
POLL #3

As efforts continue to defend the Prevention and Public Health Fund from cuts and/or elimination, I am willing to:

a. Call my Senators/Representatives
b. Send an Op-Ed or Letter-to-the-Editor
c. Send an email to my lawmakers
d. Attend a town hall meeting over the August recess
e. All of the above
POLL #4

Will you make the commitment to send a Letter-to-the-Editor over the August recess to make your voice heard in support of the Prevention and Public Health Fund?

a. Yes
b. No
c. I will defend the Prevention and Public Health Fund through other advocacy efforts.
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