The Johns Hopkins University
Provost’s Office and Urban Health Institute Proudly Present

The Third Annual Symposium on the Social Determinants of Health
Squandered Resources: Incarceration – Its Consequences, Costs and Alternatives

April 28, 2014
Turner Auditorium
Johns Hopkins University East Baltimore Campus

OBJECTIVES

1. To create a learning opportunity that will bring faculty, administration, and students from Baltimore’s area colleges and universities together with engaged community residents, service professionals and leaders to increase awareness of the impact of incarceration on health in Baltimore and Maryland and to identify ways to counter the current trajectory.

2. To bring together experts (researchers and practitioners) from all relevant sectors to share evidence-based strategies that reduce incarceration, decrease recidivism, and mitigate the impacts of incarceration on individual and community health.

3. To encourage innovative partnerships for research and collaboration in the area of incarceration between Hopkins, area colleges and universities, service organizations and local residents.

4. To identify priorities for Baltimore over the next few years to alter existing policies, strengthen service systems, and promote awareness of incarceration as a health issue.
8:30-8:45AM  Welcome

Robert Lieberman, PhD
Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs
Johns Hopkins University

Robert Blum, MD MPH PhD
William H. Gates Sr. Professor and Chair
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
Director, Johns Hopkins Urban Health Institute

8:45-9:45AM  Incarceration, Race and Social Control

Thomas LaVeist, PhD (Chair)
William C. and Nancy F. Richardson Professor in Health Policy
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
Director, Hopkins Center for Health Disparities Solution

F. Michael Higginbotham, JD
Professor of Law
University of Baltimore School of Law

Vesla Weaver, PhD
Assistant Professor of Political Science and African American Studies
Yale University

9:45-10:45AM  Using Science to Inform Policy

Paul Rothman, MD (Chair)
Dean of the Medical Faculty
Johns Hopkins School of Medicine
CEO, Johns Hopkins Medicine

Beatriz Luna, PhD
Staunton Professor of Psychiatry and Pediatrics
Professor of Psychology
University of Pittsburgh Medical Center

Ryan Vandrey, PhD
Associate Professor
Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center

James Garbarino, PhD
Professor and Maude C. Clarke Chair in Humanistic Psychology
Loyola University Chicago

10:45-11AM  Break
11AM-12PM  The Impact of Incarceration on the Social Determinants of Health

Monique Dixon, JD (Chair)  
Program Director  
Criminal and Juvenile Justice Program  
Open Society Institute—Baltimore

Christopher Wildeman, PhD  
Associate Professor of Sociology  
Yale University

Jacky M. Jennings, PhD, MPH  
Associate Professor  
Departments of Pediatrics and Epidemiology  
Director, Center for Child and Community Health Research  
Johns Hopkins School of Medicine and Bloomberg School of Public Health

Debra Furr-Holden, PhD  
Associate Professor  
Department of Mental Health  
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health

12-1PM  Lunch and Roundtable Discussions

1-1:30PM  A Charge for Change

Congressman Elijah Cummings  
US House of Representatives  
Maryland’s 7th District

1:30-2:30PM  Overcoming Adversity: Voices of Ex-Offenders

Alfreda Robinson-Dawkins (Chair)  
Founder  
National Women’s Prison Project, Inc., Maryland

Joe Jones  
President and CEO  
Center for Urban Families

Brother Ellsworth Johnson-Bey  
Founder, President and CEO  
Fraternal Order of X-Offenders, (FOXO)

Earl Johnson  
Come Home Baltimore
2:30-3:30PM  
**Incarceration Prevention and Avoidance**

*Hathaway Ferebee (Chair)*  
Executive Director  
Safe and Sound Campaign

*David Andrews, PhD*  
Dean  
Johns Hopkins University School of Education

*Kathryn Edin, PhD*  
Bloomberg Distinguished Professor of Sociology and Public Health  
Johns Hopkins Krieger School of Arts and Sciences  
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health

*Joe Jones*  
President and CEO  
Center for Urban Families

*David M. Altschuler, PhD*  
Institute for Health and Social Policy  
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health

3:30-4:15PM  
**Reversing the Epidemic of Incarceration**

*Deborah Small, JD MPP (Chair)*  
Executive Director  
Break the Chains

*Ernest Drucker, PhD*  
Senior Research Associate and Scholar in Residence  
John Jay College of Criminal Justice  
The City University of New York

*Franklin Zimring, JD*  
Simon Professor of Law  
University of California at Berkeley

4:15-5:15PM  
**What Works? What’s Next? Changing Policies that Reduce Incarceration and Improve Outcomes for Baltimore and Maryland**

*Tessa Hill-Aston (Chair)*  
President  
Baltimore City Branch--NAACP
FINAL PROGRAM

Nancy La Vigne, PhD
Director
Justice Policy Center
The Urban Institute

Mark W. Lipsey, PhD
Director
Peabody Research Institute
Vanderbilt University

David Kennedy
Director
National Network for Safe Communities
Center for Crime Prevention and Control
John Jay College of Criminal Justice
The City University of New York

5:15-5:30PM

Closing Comments

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