Join the NIH Office of Research on Women’s Health (ORWH) for its signature event, the Annual NIH Vivian W. Pinn Symposium. This year’s event will focus on maternal morbidity and mortality. Every year, a large number of women have lasting medical complications or die as a result of difficulties from pregnancy. During this symposium, leading clinicians and researchers will provide updates on this timely public health issue, including a review of current statistics and an overview of relevant programs sponsored by the Federal Government. In addition, speakers will discuss new approaches to improve women’s health before, during, and after pregnancy, as well as throughout a woman’s life course.

Featured Speakers

Vivian W. Pinn, M.D.
Senior Scientist Emerita, Fogarty International Center, NIH
Former Director (Retired), ORWH, NIH

Lisa M. Hollier, M.D.
President, The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists
Agenda

12:00 – 1:00 p.m.  Check-in and Stakeholder Circle

1:00 – 1:05 p.m.  Welcome and Opening Remarks
  Samia D. Noursi, Ph.D.
  Associate Director, Science Policy, Planning, and Analysis,
  ORWH, NIH

1:05 – 1:10 p.m.  Introduction of Vivian W. Pinn, M.D.
  Janine Austin Clayton, M.D.
  Associate Director for Research on Women's Health, NIH
  Director, ORWH, NIH

1:10 – 1:20 p.m.  Remarks
  Vivian W. Pinn, M.D.
  Senior Scientist Emerita, Fogarty International Center, NIH
  Former Director (Retired), ORWH, NIH

1:20 – 1:30 p.m.  Maternal Health: Knowing the Numbers
  Samia D. Noursi, Ph.D.
  Associate Director, Science Policy, Planning, and Analysis,
  ORWH, NIH

1:30 – 1:50 p.m.  Keynote Address: Progress on the Path to Better Maternal Outcomes
  Lisa M. Hollier, M.D.
  President, The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists

1:50 – 2:50 p.m.  Panel Discussion: Framing a Research Agenda to Advance Maternal Health Equity:
  From Bench to Bedside to Curbside
  Jacquelyn Campbell, Ph.D., RN, FAAN (Moderator)
  Anna D. Wolf Chair
  Professor, Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing
  Joia Adele Crear-Perry, M.D., FACOG
  Founder and President, National Birth Equity Collaborative
  Lisa M. Hollier, M.D.
  President, The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists
  Michael C. Lu, M.D., M.P.H., M.S.
  Professor and Senior Associate Dean for Academic, Student, and Faculty Affairs,
  The George Washington University Milken Institute School of Public Health

Continued on next page
Agenda (Continued)

2:50 – 4:00 p.m.  Federal Updates on Maternal Health Activities
Charlan D. Kroelinger, Ph.D.
Chief, Maternal and Infant Health Branch, Division of Reproductive Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
Lynne P. Yao, M.D.
Director, Division of Pediatric and Maternal Health, Office of New Drugs, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)
Michael D. Warren, M.D., M.P.H., FAAP
Associate Administrator, Maternal and Child Health Bureau, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)
Sung Sug (Sarah) Yoon, Ph.D., RN
Program Director, National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR), NIH
Megan Mitchell, M.P.H.
Deputy Referral Officer, National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI), NIH

4:00 – 4:30 p.m.  Closing Remarks
Janine Austin Clayton, M.D.
Associate Director for Research on Women’s Health, NIH
Stacey D. Stewart, M.B.A.
President and CEO, March of Dimes

Register today at www.nih.gov/women