



**PRESIDENTIAL**  
**ADVISORY COUNCIL ON HIV/AIDS**

**79<sup>th</sup> Presidential Advisory Council on HIV/AIDS (PACHA)**  
**Full Council Meeting**

Wednesday, December 6, 2023

11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. (ET)

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11:00 a.m. (ET)

**Welcome**

Marlene McNeese  
PACHA Co-Chair  
Deputy Assistant Director  
Houston Health Department

Vincent Guilamo-Ramos, PhD, MPH  
PACHA Co-Chair  
Professor, Duke University School of Nursing  
Vice Chancellor for Nursing Affairs, Duke University

11:05 a.m.

**Introductory Remarks**

Sarah Newman Boateng (TBD)  
Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Health  
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health  
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

11:20 a.m.

**Roll Call**

B. Kaye Hayes, MPA  
Deputy Assistant Secretary for Infectious Disease  
Director, Office of Infectious Disease and HIV/AIDS Policy (OIDP)  
Executive Director, PACHA  
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health (OASH)  
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

<b>World AIDS Day 35: Remember and Commit</b>
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11:25 a.m.

**Remembrance & Gratitude**

Marlene McNeese  
PACHA Co-Chair

Vincent Guilamo-Ramos, PhD, MPH  
PACHA Co-Chair

11:30 a.m.                    **Getting to the Goal: Reduce new HIV transmissions in the United States by 90% by 2030**

Facilitators:

Patrick Sullivan, DVM, PhD, Dipl. ACVPM (Epi)  
*Global* Subcommittee Co-Chair

Dafina Ward, JD  
PACHA Member

Panelists:

Harold J. Phillips, MRP  
Director  
White House Office of National HIV/AIDS Policy

Maurice Williams  
Artist and Advocate

Oscar De La O  
Vice-President and Founding Member  
Bienestar

Venita Ray  
Founder and Social Justice Movement Strategist Consultant  
Venita Ray Consulting

12:45 p.m.                    **LUNCH**

01:15 p.m.                    **Addressing the Needs of People Aging with HIV, Long-Term & Life-Time Survivors**

Facilitators:

Alicia Diggs, MPH  
*Aging with HIV, and Long-Term & Life-Time Survivors* Subcommittee  
Co-Chair

Jesse Milan Jr., JD  
*Aging with HIV, and Long-Term & Life-Time Survivors* Subcommittee  
Co-Chair

Panelists:

Ronald Johnson  
Chair  
U.S. People Living with HIV Caucus

Antoinette Jones  
Co-Executive Director  
Dandelions, Inc

Jeff Berry  
Executive Director  
The Reunion Project

Jeffrey Kwong, DNP, MPH, AGPCNP-BC, FAANP, FAAN  
Professor, Division of Advanced Nursing Practice  
Rutgers School of Nursing

02:45 p.m.

**BREAK**

02:50 p.m.

**Addressing the Needs of Transmen and Nonbinary Individuals**

Facilitators:

Tori Cooper, MPH  
*Ending the HIV Epidemic* Subcommittee Co-Chair

Tiommi Lockett  
PACHA Member

Panelists:

D'Jamel Young  
Executive Director & Transmasculine Advocate  
TMSM Connect & Emory School of Medicine

AJ Scruggs  
CEO & Executive Director  
Visible Truth 365

Ja'Mel A. Ware  
MBA Candidate  
Emory Goizueta Business School '26

04:05 p.m.

**BREAK**

04:10 p.m.

**Public Comment Period**

*Pre-registration is required to provide comment. If you did not pre-register but would like to submit public comment, please email your written statement to Caroline Talev at [PACHA@hhs.gov](mailto:PACHA@hhs.gov) by close of business Wednesday, December 13, 2023*

04:30 p.m.

**“PACHA-to-the-People” Community Engagement Session: We want to hear from YOU!**

- To participate in the conversation, please register [here](#).

05:10 p.m.                    **2023 Year in Review: Discussion & Reflection**  
Marlene McNeese  
PACHA Co-Chair

Vincent Guilamo-Ramos, PhD, MPH  
PACHA Co-Chair

05:55 p.m.                    **Next Steps & Closing Remarks**  
Marlene McNeese  
PACHA Co-Chair

Vincent Guilamo-Ramos, PhD, MPH  
PACHA Co-Chair

06:00 p.m.                    **ADJOURN**