

**Second Annual
Nutrition and Health Equity Summit: The State of Black Health**

Tuesday, August 25
1 p.m. – 3 p.m. (Central Time)

*Hosted by Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
with Honorary Host
The Congressional Black Caucus Health Braintrust
Rep. Robin Kelly (Ill.), chair*

Health disparities exist when there are differences in health outcomes by factors such as race, ethnicity, gender, geography or socioeconomic status. The Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics is proud to host a conversation on the important role of nutrition in promoting health equity and reducing health disparities at the second annual Nutrition and Health Equity Summit with Rep. Robin L. Kelly (Ill.) and the Congressional Black Caucus Health Braintrust.

Topics include:

- Health Disparities and COVID-19: America's Report Card
- Structural Racism and Systematic Inequities: Implications for Diet and Health
- Nutrition, Disparities and Chronic Disease: Finding Solutions After the Pandemic

With remarks by:

Reps. Robin L. Kelly (Ill.); Alma Adams (N.C.); and Danny K. Davis (Ill.).

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Invited speakers include:

Jerome T. Adams, MD, United States Surgeon General

Sharon Cox, MA, RDN, LDN, FAND, board member, Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics

Linda T. Farr, RDN, CSOWM, LD, FAND, president, Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics

Angela Odoms-Young, PhD, associate professor, Department of Kinesiology and Nutrition, University of Illinois at Chicago

Denine Rogers, MS, RDN, LD, FAND, chair, National Organization of Blacks in Dietetics and Nutrition Member Interest Group, Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics.

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