



Washington  
Association for  
Community Health

## Group Purchasing Conference

APRIL 28, 2022

### SUPPLY CHAIN DISRUPTION, RECOVERY & BEST PRACTICES

This conference will cover Purchasing and Supply management in a post-Covid world. Hear from Presenter Steven Craig on supply chain disruption during Hurricanes Katrina and Ike as well as solutions found during recovery. Community health center purchasing staff will be sharing their best practices pre-Covid, solutions and new best practices during-and post-Covid. Time for discussion and Q&As. Meet our Group Purchasing vendors plus giveaways and raffles.

**No cost** for Attending! **No cost** for your Hotel! [Details Below]  
Breakfast and Lunch Provided!

We are making this as economical as possible  
so as many of you can attend as possible.

Objectives:

**Educational:** Learn about supply chain disruption, recovery and best practices.

**Relational:** Develop relationships with staff partners at your sister CHCs. Create a network. Learn from each other.

**Resources:** Meet our vendors. In-person product discussions and demonstrations.

**Where?** Hyatt Regency Lake Washington 1053 Lake Washington Blvd. Renton, WA

**When?** April 28, 2022 9 AM – 3 PM

[CONFERENCE REGISTRATION HERE](#)

See Below for Hotel Room Block Registration Link

#### AGENDA

8 AM – 9 AM **Sign in, Breakfast and Time with Vendors**

9 AM – 9:30 AM **Opening Comments & Introductions**

9:30 – 10:15 **Presentation: Steven Craig\***

10:15 – 10:30 **Break & Time with Vendors**

10:30 – 11:15 **Presentation: Steven Craig**

11:15 – 11:30 **Q & A w/ Steven Craig**

11:30 – 12:15 **Lunch & Time w/ Vendors**

12:15 – 12:30 **CHC Presentation: Supply Disruptions Lessons Learned**

12:30 – 12:45 **CHC Presentation: Supply Disruptions Lessons Learned**

12:45 – 1:00 **CHC Presentation: Supply Disruptions Lessons Learned**

1:00 – 1:30 **Q & A w/ CHC Panel**

1:30 – 1:45 **Break & Time with Vendors**

1:45 – 2:15 **Vendor Presentation**

2:15 – 2:30 **Raffle Drawing / Final Remarks**

2:30 – 3:00 **Dismissal / Time with Vendors**

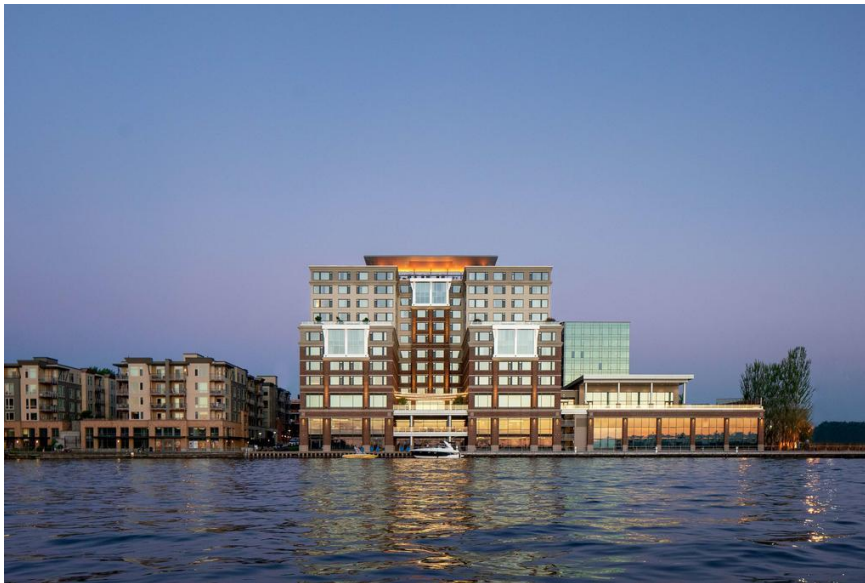
**Who should attend?** Supply Chain Disruption impacts all areas of a Community Health Center and its staff. Send your Emergency Preparedness Coordinators, Purchasing Staff in all capacities, CFOs, COOs, Pharmacy\* & Medical Directors, Facilities Managers.  
\*Pharmacy Directors – there will be a demonstration of a vaccine storage system.

### PRESENTER

\* **Steven Craig** is a retired Coast Guard Reserve Captain having served over 38 years of both active and reserve service. During his period of Coast Guard service, he actively participated with Hurricanes Katrina and Ike, 2010 Haiti earthquake port recovery planning, 9/11 response in Seattle, APEC maritime security planning in Honolulu, 1984 Olympics in Los Angeles, and the Deepwater Horizon oil spill response.

He holds a lifetime membership as a Certified Emergency Manager (CEM) and has a Master's degree in Emergency Management. He has held associated emergency management jobs with federal, state, college, county, and local agencies including The Evergreen State College and State of Washington Emergency Management Department.

### HOTEL REIMBURSEMENT



**Hotel:** The gorgeous Hyatt Regency Lake Washington

1053 Lake Washington Blvd.  
North Renton, 98056

Use this link to book your stay:

[G-WAHC](#)

Must Register by:  
April 6, 2022

Only eight miles from the SeaTac Airport. Hotel does **not** provide a shuttle.

We will reimburse\* the cost of your hotel for up to **two** staff members per organization for the day before the conference [April 27] **\*We will not reimburse for any cancellations or no-shows**  
**How it works:** Complete your registration with the hotel. [details below]. You [or your health center] will need to pay for it up front. A travel reimbursement will be handed out at the conference. Once it is received at the WA Association, we will process it and send your health center a refund.

**Vaccinations are required for this event.** Upload proof of vaccination to the following link or use the QR code. Full vaccination without Booster is acceptable.

<https://app.crowdpass.co/test/auth/signin?callbackUrl=app.crowdpass.co/auth/5834>

