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Pharmacists taking on greater role in fight against influenza: More people getting their shots in stores

Nation's overall health not improving, assessment finds: Obesity, diabetes stalling U.S. progress

EPA power plant standards to improve air quality, health: Heart attacks, deaths to be prevented

Q&A with Trust for America's Health's Jeffrey Levi: 'Everyone has a role to play' to improve health: Nonfederal advisory group supporting National Prevention Strategy

National fight against HIV/AIDS targets improved care, education

Report says breast cancer risk factors need research

Climate change-linked health effects have already cost U.S. \$14 billion

Reproductive health advocates criticize contraception decision

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Distracted driving: Stay focused when on the road

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2012 board certification available for environmental engineers

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APHA annual congressional record: How members of Congress supported public health

- Nine 2011 votes from the House of Representatives examined
- Congressional record: Seven 2011 Senate votes examined

APHA's June meeting to focus on health system's new challenges

New AJPH website allows better access, article tracking, updates: Big changes for an APHA staple

National Public Health Week 2012 seeks small changes, big impact

Flu Near You Challenge heating up as flu season gets under way

New APHA membership structure offers more options, benefits

Water and wastewater manual available now in 22nd edition

New website seeks better graduation rates through school-based health

Tool created by APHA Section makes navigating Healthy People 2020 easier

APHA Get Ready campaign announces contest winners

Seven new staff members join APHA to further the Association's mission

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New findings on state of nation's health prompt call to action

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