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Fatal heroin overdoses on the increase as use skyrockets: Health officials battling opiate epidemic

2015 budget proposal leaves gaps in public health funding: Programs face cuts

Schools making progress on new US nutrition standards: Vegetable consumption up 16 percent

- Food marketing, after-school programs targeted in new efforts

Q&A: APHA's Georges Benjamin discusses Leading Health Indicators with HHS leader Howard Koh: Set of Healthy People 2020 objectives guiding health of nation

EPA issues new, healthier vehicle emissions standards

Redesigned Nutrition Facts label makes healthy choices clearer

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New York City program tracks environmental health hazards

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Global index links rule of law with countries' public health

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Get off your seat! Too much sitting can harm your health

- Take the stairs, take a stand

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Hospitals, health workers asked to use caution with antibiotics: Report: Some hospitals overprescribing

Study: Nurse staffing, education levels can affect patient safety

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Start planning now for APHA's Annual Meeting: Registration, housing for New Orleans event to open June 3

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Strengthening public health practice through professional development

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Maternal and Child Health Section focuses on gun violence prevention

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