

# Basic Principles of Healthy Homes



## Agenda

### Module 1 – Key Concepts

- Making the Connection
- Hazards in the Home
- Hazards in the Community
- Routes of Exposure
- Populations at Risk
- Scope and Financial Impact

### Module 2 – Working with Residents

- The Holistic Approach
- Start with People
- Signs and Symptoms
- Communication Strategies
- Effective Interventions

### Module 3 – The 8 Principles

- Housing and Health Codes (IPMC, NHHS)
- **Keep it Dry**
  - Health Issues
  - Challenges
  - Dealing with Mold
- **Keep it Clean**
  - Health Issues
  - Cleanability
  - Cleaning Guidelines

- **Keep it Pest-Free**

- Health Issues
- Challenges
- IPM
- Bed Bugs

- **Keep it Ventilated**

- Health Issues
- Challenges
- CO Alarms

- **Keep it Safe**

- Health Issues
- Challenges
- Fire/Burns
- “Danger”

- **Keep it Contaminant-Free**

- Challenges
- VOCs
- RRP

- **Keep it Maintained**

- **Keep it Climate-Controlled**

- Heating
- Cooling
- Ventilation
- House as a System

Course Quiz

