

State to State Discussion Forum Topics

SEPHLI Year 9

1. How, as leaders, do we continue to improve the public health infrastructure: Workforce Capacity and Competency, Information and Data Systems and Organizational Capacity?
2. How is your state-wide public health structure organized? (are you centralized, decentralized, regionalized, localized, or all of the above)
3. What do you like and dislike about how your state public health structure is organized? Any inkling of changing going on: more or less regionalization happening currently?
4. What do you know about public health in the states around you in the southeast?
5. What common barriers do we face as public health leaders across the southeast, and what may be distinct challenges within our own state?
6. How does funding for public health help/hinder you: how much federal funding versus state funding versus private funding affects your leadership abilities in public health? Would partnering help?