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# 13th Annual Vector-Borne and Zoonotic Disease Meeting



**May 1, 2024, 8:30 AM-2:30 PM**

***5520 Overland Avenue, San Diego, CA 92123 - Chambers Room***

## **Updates on Vector-borne and Zoonotic diseases in California**

### **Highlighted Topics include:**

**Toxic and venomous animals around us- Dr. Mahmood Nikbakhtzadeh, PhD.**

Assistant Professor of Environmental Health Science, Department of Health Science & Human Ecology, College of Natural Sciences, California State University San Bernardino.

**Vesicular stomatitis in rhinoceros at the San Diego Zoo Safari Park- Dr. Kristen Phair, DVM, Dipl. ACZM.** Senior Veterinarian, San Diego Zoo Safari Park.

**Tick-borne disease surveillance on a military base in Southern California- Dr. Tolulope Morawo, PhD.** Entomologist, Navy Environmental and Preventative Medicine Unit 5, San Diego, CA.

## **RSVP and CEUs**

RSVP to the Epidemiology and Immunization Services Branch at Lourdes Garber, [lourdes.garber@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:lourdes.garber@sdcounty.ca.gov). For questions, contact Sierra Bregman at [sierra.bregman@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:sierra.bregman@sdcounty.ca.gov).

Provider #CEP579 is approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing (BRN) to provide 3 continuing education contact hours (CEUs) offered for this training. CEUs will also be provided for veterinarians and vector control technicians, hours TBD.