Quick Overview
How to Use Web Technology

• All lines have been muted. To un-mute your line please dial *6

• Asking a Question
  – You can type your questions into the chat box (shown right)
  – Raise your hand. Using the icon at the top of your screen (example shown right)

• Lastly active participation will make sure today’s presentation a success!
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• Downloading Files

1. Open Files window
2. Select file to download
3. Click 'Save to My Computer'
4. Choose location to save file
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Before
MCH Navigator = Clear Vision + Hard Work

• Idea for a MCH learning portal was germinating for several years
• 2008 State Title V Workforce Survey Findings
• April 2009: SPH MCH Grantees form partnership to operationalize MCHB vision for portal
• Unique opportunity at HRSA provided division capacity needed to coordinate the complex collaborative project
After
Partnerships

• Individuals: 1) PH MCH faculty from UAB, UNC, Tulane, UIC, UW, Hopkins; 2) State Title V Directors LA and TN; 3) MCHB staff; 4) PH trainees

• Established organizational endorsements and partnerships:
  AMCHP
  PHTC
  NACCHO
  CityMatCH
  AUCD

• 6 Vetting Panels of MCH professionals in practice, to date (> 80 individuals)
Types of Trainings

- Just-in-time learning modules
- Tutorials
- Webinars
- Online and on-site courses
- Selected archived MCH conference sessions
- Highlighted links to Public Health Training Centers’ (and similar) directories of available PH on-line learning
- Location guidance: MCH Institutes, Conferences, Certificates and degree programs
- Coming Soon: edited, customized webinar pages!
MCH Navigator Use

• Orienting staff without a background in public health or maternal and child health
• Boosting skills for specific job functions
• Incorporating learning plans into the performance review process
• Demonstrating support for professional development
• Quick training boosts (Need-to-Know)
• Learning new issues (health reform, violence in the workplace)
A New Home for the Navigator

Georgetown University welcomes the MCH Navigator to a family of MCHB-funded projects that span 30 years.
Questions ?