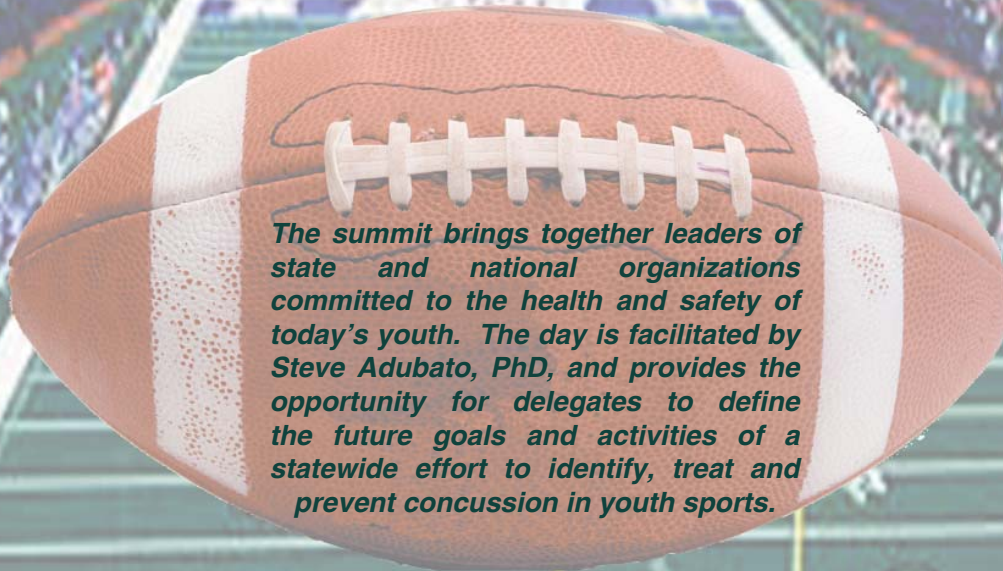


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Friday, February 24, 2006

Stadium Club
at Giants Stadium



The summit brings together leaders of state and national organizations committed to the health and safety of today's youth. The day is facilitated by Steve Aduato, PhD, and provides the opportunity for delegates to define the future goals and activities of a statewide effort to identify, treat and prevent concussion in youth sports.

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Program

- 8:00 am** **REGISTRATION**
- 8:45** **OPENING REMARKS**
Barbara Geiger-Parker, MCRP
Steve Aduato, PhD - Facilitor
- 9:00** **DEFINING THE PROBLEM**
Wesley Rutland-Brown, MPH
- 9:30** **EVOLUTION OF THE UNDERSTANDING OF CONCUSSION**
Robert C. Cantu, MA, MD, FACS, FICS, FACSM
- 10:30** **BREAK**
- 10:45** **WHAT REALLY HAPPENS WHEN YOU ARE CONCUSSED?**
- PATHOPHYSIOLOGY**
Stephen Rice, MD, PhD, MPH, FAAP, FACSM
- SIDE LINE ASSESSMENT**
Phil Hossler, ATC
- 12:15** **LUNCH/SPECIAL PRESENTATION**
"STORIES FROM THE KIDS NEXT DOOR"
- 1:15** **THE IMPACT OF CONCUSSION ON LEARNING: OUT OF SIGHT, NOT OUT OF MIND**
Ronald C. Savage, EdD
- 1:45** **PREVENTION: OUTLINING THE SOLUTIONS**
Jill Brooks, PhD
- 2:30** **DEVELOPING THE GAME PLAN**
Steve Aduato, PhD

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