

NE 1601 - Multistate Meeting on Eastern White Pine Health
June 4-6, 2019
Northampton, MA
Draft Agenda (February 20, 2019)

Tuesday, June 4

1 pm: Introductions

1:30 pm: NE 1601 Multistate Group Business Meeting

2:00 pm: Reports on results/project from previous year

4:30 pm: USDA SAS Program – What's expected, what's needed

5:00 pm: Meet in topic groups

A: Standardizing observations for insects and fungi

B: Silvicultural prescriptions for eastern white pine management

C: Provenance/improved tree plantings

D: Outreach/social acceptance of silvicultural treatments

E: Eastern white pine products and markets

6:00 pm: Dinner on own, can be by topic group.

Wednesday, June 5 (can include regional professionals)

7:30 am: Continental breakfast

8:00 am: Field Guide for Managing Eastern White Pine Health

9:00 am-4 pm: Field Trip to white pine stands

A: View signs and symptoms of insect and fungal problems, declines

B: View different silvicultural treatment of eastern white pine

5:00-7:00 pm: Dinner on own, can be by topic group

Thursday: June 6

7:30 am: Continental breakfast

8:00 am: - Meet in topic group, prepare report to share with others

10:00 am: Reports from topic groups

12:00 pm: Next steps

12:30 pm: Adjourn