



EXAMINING OUR CHALLENGES, HEALING FOR OUR STRENGTHS

Conference Program

(subject to change)

Time	Activity	Titles	Presenter(s)	Location
8:30 - 9:00am	Check In	Conference Check In	Light Breakfast: Coffee/Tea, etc	2 nd flr Lobby
9:00 – 9:10am	Greeting	Native American Greeting	Sheldon Raymore	Main Lecture Hall
9:10 – 9:20am	Welcome	Welcome and Introduction	Antoine Craigwell	Main Lecture Hall
9:20 – 9:45am	Speaker	Making Black Lives Better, Making Things Get Better: Mental Health Issues for LGBT People of Color	Ken Ashley, MD	Main Lecture Hall
9:45 – 10:00am	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	Corridor
10:00 – 11:15am	1 st Concurrent Workshop	A Time to Heal	Kaz Mitchell, Rosina Riley, LMSW, Chy Mitchell, RN	Main Lecture Hall
		Factors Influencing Depression and Anxiety Among Black Sexually Marginalized Men and Transgender Women...	Louis Graham, DrPh.,MPH	Conference Room 1
		Race Still Matters: LGBT Elders of Color	Gary Bailey, DHL, MSW, ACSW	Conference Room 2
		Culturally competent services in first appointment	Shawneladee Cole, Ph.D, LCSW-R	Conference Room 3
11:15 – 11:30am	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	Corridor
11:30 – 12:45pm	2 nd Concurrent Workshop	Best Practices in Engaging Young LGBTQ People of Color in Mental Health Counseling	Allison Berwald, LCSW, Anupama Kalyanam, LCSW, Aruna Krishnakumar, LCSW	Main Lecture Hall
		Behind Bars Without Citizenship: Immigration Detention and Queer Public Health in the Deportation Era	Jesus Barrios, MPH Candidate	Conference Room 1
		LGBTQ and Mental Health Stigmas in Middle Eastern Cultures	Sarah Armentrout	Conference Room 2
		Mediation Effect of Discrimination and Substance use among Transgender People of Color	Natalie Alizaga, MPH, MPhil, and Rodrigo A. Aguayo-Romero, MPhil	Conference Room 3
12:45 – 1:45pm	LUNCH	LUNCHTIME PERFORMANCE	Rev. Ken Alston, Jr. & Damien Rodgers	Main Lecture Hall
2:00 – 2:25pm	Speaker	Everyday healing methods and applicable coping skills: When traditional psychotherapy is not convenient.	Karen Naimool	Main Lecture Hall
2:25 – 3:30pm	3 rd Concurrent Workshop	Healing Through Communities of Faith	Dr. Wilhelmina Perry, Ronald Moore, Rev. Nora Ann Thompson	Main Lecture Hall
		Wellness, Recovery Action Planning	Iden Campbell, Jen Padron	Conference Room 1
		Peer Support for Queer People of Color	Dom Chatterjee	Conference Room 2
		Healing in QTPOC and Ally Mental Health Groups	Tracy Brown and Daniela Capistrano	Conference Room 3
3:30 – 3:45pm	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	Corridor
3:45 – 4:45pm	Community Speak Out	Where do we go from here?	Carmen Vasquez	Main Lecture Hall
4:45 – 5:00pm	Closing	Next Year	Antoine Craigwell	Main Lecture Hall