

Pre-Conference Sessions Tuesday, July 31, 2018

7:30-7:45 Registration and Coffee

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Youth Mental Health First Aid Training

Sponsored by Project AWARE and the Mental Health Association of Maryland
(Complimentary for all participants)

This eight-hour training will cover the risk factors and warning signs of mental health challenges in children and adolescents. Attendees will learn the importance of early intervention, identify crisis situations, and understand their role in assessing care for students.

Jennifer Treger

Director, Mental Health First Aid Maryland
Maryland Health Association of Maryland

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A Full Day of Enrichment Just for You: The School Nurse

Come and enrich your learning experience regarding the role of the 21st century school nurse. Update your knowledge regarding assessment, documentation, ethics, and hot topics in school health and the laws that impact the practice of a school nurse. Enhance your skills with hands-on practice for students with special health needs, which might require nursing skills related to diabetes care, tracheostomies and ventilators, seizures, and catherization.

Barbara Obst, RN, MS

Specialized Health Care Interagency Collaboration Coordinator
Kennedy Krieger Institute

Alicia L. Mezu, MSN/Ed, BSN, BS, RN

Health Services Specialist
Maryland State Department of Education

8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Professional Development for School Providers: Ethics and Supervision

Part 1: 8:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Ethics and Social Media

Social media is changing the game in how we interact with our clients. It is not enough to “not post” in social media outlets. This engaging and enlightening training will help reduce the fear and give you real world practical strategies you can use to become social media savvy. This training will help you become aware of your online presence and explore ethical implications in a tech savvy world with hands-on activities and real-life vignettes that make sure you are clear on how to navigate these changing technological waters. This session will provide updates on new laws/regulations related to social media.

Samara Stone LCSW-C
CEO & Founder
The Stone Foundation, LLC

Part 2: 12:45 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Clinical Supervision

Management and administration of clinical supervision should be taken as seriously as performing counseling. Participants will learn about the ethical issues that arise in clinical supervision with school-based mental health providers (confidentiality, mandated reporting), and discuss legal considerations of school-based mental health (FERPA, HIPPA), and also cover boundary issues that arise in school-based mental health provision (identified clients, teacher mental health, etc.). The session will also include role-play opportunities related to supervising trainees and other mental health staff.

Kyla Liggett-Creel, PhD
Clinical Instructor
School of Social Work, University of Maryland

Lunch is on your own for all attendees!

**On Site Dining:
Northern Lights**

**Off Site Dining:
Baha Mexican Restaurant
Basta Pasta
Bertucci's
Bluestone
First Watch-Timonium Square
IHOP
Nautilus Diner
Panera Bread**