



**MENTAL HEALTH
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Speaker Presentation Application

Mental Health KC Conference

Thursday, May 12, 2022 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM
Friday, May 13, 2022 9:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Cerner Innovation Campus
8779 Hillcrest Rd, Kansas City, MO 64138

DUE Monday, February 28, 2022
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Presentation Proposal Overview

Coordinated by the Metro Council and hosted by Cerner, this year's Mental Health KC Conference will take place in-person and with safety precautions in place. **PLEASE NOTE: Cerner requires that all attendees, speakers, vendors and planning committee members be fully vaccinated (and present proof of vaccination) OR present a negative COVID PCR test result within 72 hours of the first day of the conference. Mental Health KC Conference will fully respect and abide by their policy.** The purpose of this event is to offer community education and to create awareness about mental health in our community. In recent years, we have noticed a specific need for education surrounding wellness, mental health in the workplace and suicide awareness and prevention.

This conference will continue to be targeted toward anyone concerned about mental health and its impact on our community, including but not limited to human service field, community health leaders, practitioners, social workers, corporate employers and employees, non-profit organizations, C-suite, CFO's and CEO's, HR professionals, benefits managers, EAP professionals, workplace occupational health, safety, and wellness, industry leaders, benefits consultants, wellness specialists and health and social services providers. As efforts are increasing to educate our community, we are seeking professionals that are willing to contribute to this event by speaking on behavioral health.

This application serves to identify dynamic, knowledgeable speakers and topic facilitators for the 2022 conference. This conference seeks to offer a diverse track of speakers to lead breakout sessions that cover a wide range of topics around behavioral health. Attendees will receive current industry leading, best practice approaches to affect change in their life and in the lives of others. The conference will consist of Keynote Speakers and 18+ breakout sessions.

Metro Council has determined a variety of topics for the day that best meet our goals and expectations for the conference. Ideas of presentation topics include:

- Changing Times/Future of Mental Health
- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion
- Anxiety/Depression
- Substance Use Disorders/Opioid Use Disorders/Marijuana Use (esp. medical marijuana)
- Mental Health Conditions
- Recovery, Hope
- Trauma/Trauma Informed Care/Resiliency
- Telemedicine
- Healthy Workforce: Sleep, Physical Activity, Healthy Nutrition, Stress – Related to Mental Health
- Economic Impact of Mental Health/Substance Use Disorders
- Eating Disorders
- Healthcare Reform
- Genetics
- Suicide Prevention
- Mental Health Disparities
- Integrated Healthcare

Details regarding the breakout sessions are provided below:

- Length of Session: Varied (See attached application)
- Average Number of Attendees per session - 50
- Computer/AV Equipment Provided

When completed, please save and email attachment to info@mentalhealthkc.org by February 28, 2022

Presenter Contact Information

First name: _____ Last Name: _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Cell phone: _____

Presenter Biography (150 Word Max):

Presenter Headshot: If selected as a presenter, you will be asked to submit a headshot to be used on the event website and other media platforms.

Do you CONSENT for the Mental Health KC event organizers to use your photo in this manner?

Yes No

Have you presented on this topic before: Yes No

If yes, please answer the following questions below.

For Whom? _____

Where? _____ When? _____

Presentation Proposal

Presentation Title: _____

Preferred Presentation Length (please check all that apply):

45 minutes

60 minutes

90 minutes

Presentation Abstract (250 Words Max – Attach Separate Sheet If Necessary):

Learning Objectives:

#1: _____

#2: _____

#3: _____

Three keywords that best describe the focus of your presentation:

#1: _____

#2: _____

#3: _____

Speaker Disclosure Statement

I have no conflict of interest with the Metro Council regarding my presentation or presenting at this conference. **I understand that my learning session is not a showcase for promotion of my business, practice, or product.** I acknowledge that Metro Council has the rights to utilize the information in marketing the breakout sessions if I am selected to be a presenter. If selected to present at the Mental Health KC Conference, I will supply a copy of the Power Point presentation to Metro Council along with a professional photo (jpg, pdf) within 30 DAYS of notification.

I hereby acknowledge the above statement:

Signature

Date

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Questions

If you have questions about this application or the event, please email info@mentalhealthkc.org.