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1st Annual Harm Reduction in Clinical Praxis
September 25, 2021

Virtual Conference



Saturday, September 25, 2021
Virtual Conference
7:30 am - 1:00 pm

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Keck School of Medicine of USC
Presented By:
Department of Population and Public Health Sciences, Harm Reduction
Los Angeles and USC Office of Continuing Medical Education

PROGRAM AGENDA

- 7:30 am **Conference Login Begins**
- 7:45 am **Opening Remarks**
Sid Ganesh (She/Her) and Ron Ben-Ari, MD (He/Him)
- 7:50 am **Keynote Address**
Ricky N. Bluthenthal, PhD (He/Him)
- 8:20 am **Question and Answer with Ricky Bluthenthal**
- 8:30 am **'Deservingness' of Care: Perspectives on Medical System Engagement from People Who Use Drugs**
Alexandra Collins, PhD (She/Her)
- 9:00 am **Question and Answer with Alex Collins**
- 9:10 am **Break**
- 9:20 am **Beyond Magic Bullets: White Race as Determinant of Opioid Crisis**
Helena Hansen, MD, PhD (She/Her)
- 10:05 am **Question and Answer with Helena Hansen**
- 10:15 am **At the Intersection of Substance Use, Sex Work, and Clinical Spaces: Community Perspectives on Institutional Violence via Patient-Provider Interactions**
Soma Snakeoil (She/Her)
- 10:45 am **Question and Answer with Soma Snakeoil**
- 10:55 am **Break**
- 11:05 am **Womxn and Birthing Populations that Use Drugs: Community Perspectives on OB-GYN, Reproductive, Sexual, and Family Health**
Rebecca Prediletto, DNP, CNM, IBCLC (She/Her)
- 11:35 am **Question and Answer with Rebecca Prediletto**
- 11:45 am **Case-by-Case: Clinical Perspectives on Harm Reduction in Outpatient and Inpatient Settings**
Kimberly Sue, MD, PhD (She/Her)
- 12:35 pm **Question and Answer with Kimberly Sue**
- 12:45 pm **Policy Update and Closing Remarks**
Tucker Avra, DVM (He/They) and Sid Ganesh (She/Her)
- 1:00 pm **Adjourn**

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Harm Reduction Los Angeles was founded by a group of graduate and medical students at Charles Drew University (CDU), University of Southern California (USC), University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), and Kaiser Permanente with the focus of improving health, healthcare, and safety in clinical spaces for people who use drugs (PWUD). We operate with the understanding that drug policy in the US has racist and anti-immigrant origins and is selectively enforced to harm Black, Brown, Indigenous and Immigrant communities. With this basis, we seek to disseminate information regarding care that is trauma-informed, human rights-informed, and whole person centered. We center our efforts on those disproportionately affected by systemic violence including PWUD, sex workers, LGBTQIAA+, undocumented people, BIPOC folks, and communities at the crossroads of these identities. Guided by the values of harm reduction, we aim to carry forward health justice work that affirms the inherent wholeness of each person and envision working towards developing and reforming systems to further collective healing.

There has been a rise in implicit bias training and understanding of prejudice; however, this conference aims to go further by offering interventional, institutional, and structural tools specific to improving care and outcomes for PWUD. This conference aims to provide healthcare workers with an educational experience that translates into their clinical practice in order to dismantle treatment protocols and structures that uphold systems of violence against PWUD. Visit the HRLA website for more information: <https://hrlaconference.org>

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

By the end of the course, participants will be able to:

- Provide healthcare workers with actionable steps to integrate harm reduction practices into patient care for PWUD.
- Provide healthcare workers with actionable steps to create structural change within their institutions to improve care and outcomes for PWUD.
- Identify social networks and programs healthcare workers can utilize to improve care for their patients who use drugs.

TARGET AUDIENCE

All medical providers and trainees including, but not limited to, physicians, nurses, physician assistants, fellows, residents, medical students and interested undergraduate students.

ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

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REGISTRATION FORM

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Tuition:	Registration closes September 25, 2021, at 9:00 am PDT.		
		Early-bird	After August 19
MD, DO	<input type="checkbox"/> \$60	<input type="checkbox"/> \$70	
NP/PA/RN/AH	<input type="checkbox"/> \$40	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50	
Fellow/Resident/Student	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25	<input type="checkbox"/> \$30	
HRLA offers sliding scale pricing for students to ensure the conference is accessible to those who would not otherwise be able to afford this resource, in order to encourage equity in a system that leaves many unable to access the resources they need. Visit keckusc.cloud-cme.com/hr2021 .			
Cancellation:	Cancellations must be received by the USC Office of CME (fax or email) by September 21, 12:00 pm PDT for a refund. In support of health care professionals' need for flexibility during COVID-19, cancellation fees are waived for a full refund. In the event of course cancellation by conference organizers, all registration fees will be fully refunded.		
Location:	Virtual Conference		
Register:	Mail:	1540 Alcazar Street, CHP 223, Los Angeles, CA 90033 Mail-in registration must be postmarked by September 21, 2021.	
	Online:	keckusc.cloud-cme.com/hr2021	
	Phone:	(213) 220-5168 Fax: 1 (888) 665-8650	
	Email:	usccme@usc.edu	
	Registration available the morning of the conference only until 9:00 am, PDT.		

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*Registration confirmation and event reminder will be emailed.

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No cash payment accepted.

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