

Sixth Annual Asian American & Pacific Islander Mental Health Forum



Communicating Our Stories: Healing Across Generations

Thursday, May 21, 2015 / 9:30 – 3:00 (registration begins at 9:00)

University of Massachusetts Lowell - O'Leary Library 61 Wilder Street, Lowell, MA 01854

The Asian American & Pacific Islander (AAPI) Mental Health Forum is organized by a coalition of providers, advocates and community researchers to address the often overlooked and stigmatized issue of mental health in the AAPI community. This year's forum provides a context for networking, collaboration and education for participants to bring back to their work in various communities that focus on principles of recovery and resiliency for the wellness of individuals and their families in the AAPI community.

Overall Goal: To improve participants' ability to assist members of the AAPI community and their families by increasing their ability to work across generations and understand how multimedia arts can be an influential part of recovery and resiliency.

Objectives:

- Identify how multimedia arts (dance, theatre, video, etc.) are used in recovery resiliency within the AAPI community;
- Identify mental health issues particular to Asian American refugee communities;
- Identify common issues related to cross-generational mental health treatment;
- Articulate the role personal narratives play in mental health wellness within the AAPI community.

Target Audience:

The program will address issues of concern to consumers and mental health practitioners, agencies, educators, policy makers and researchers.

THIS EVENT IS FREE TO ATTEND

To register please control/click or copy/paste the following link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/AAPI2015

For questions or to request a special accommodation, including ASL interpreters please email: costaffDev@massmail.state.ma.us

CEUs for LMHC, Social Work, Psychology, Nursing, LMHC, and OT have been applied for.



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