



## **Black & Latino Communities: Addressing Mental Health Needs, Social Histories, and Collective Trauma**

April 19, 2023  
Embassy Suites Market Place  
Dallas, Texas

### Agenda

#### **Day One:**

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| 7:30AM – 8:30AM   | <b>Registration / Coffee</b>   |
| 8:30AM – 9:00AM   | <b>Welcome / Introductions</b><br><b>African American Behavioral Health Center of Excellence</b><br>Cameron A. Cunningham, M.Div.<br><b>Region 6 SAMSHA Administrator</b><br>Kristie Brooks, MS<br><b>National Hispanic and Latino MHTTC</b><br>Christine Miranda-Díaz, PhD, MPHE<br><b>Dallas Police Department</b><br>Assistant Chief Reuben Ramírez |
| 9:00AM – 9:45AM   | <b>Faith and Mental Health: Histories of Healing</b><br>Brenda Richardson, PhD   |
| 9:45AM – 10:45AM  | <b>Examining Trauma and Suicidality in Hispanic and Black Youth</b><br>Sheldon Jacobs, LMFT, PsyD  |
| 10:45AM – 11:00AM | Morning Recess   |
| 11:00AM – 12Noon  | <b>Systemic Racism: Implication for Mental Health for Black and Latino Communities</b><br>Octavio Martinez, Jr., MD, MPH, MBA, FAPAI   |
| 12Noon – 1:00PM   | Lunch on your own  |
| 1:00PM – 1:30PM   | <b>Community Approach and Leadership</b><br>Mr. Curtis Jenkins   |



1:30PM – 3:30PM

**Discussion Session #1: Suicide Prevention with a culturally sensitive-oriented lens**

Dave Brown  
Danita Gallegos, LCSW-S

**Discussion Session #2: Racism and Discrimination: Impact on Mental Health in Black and Latino Youth**

Rocky Romero PhD, LMSW  
Angel Palacios, LCSW-S

**Discussion Session #3: Social Media and Risk Behaviors in Youth.**

Dr. Bryan Jones.  
Der'Rikk Thompson  
Rafaela Govea  
Arlington Jones III

**Discussion Session #4: Reducing School Violence through Community Grounded Approaches**

Diane Arms, MA  
Nancy Razo, PhD  
Dallas Police Department – *Right Care Team*

3:30PM – 4:00PM

**Closing / Evaluation**



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### **Day Two:**

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| 8:30AM – 9:00AM   | Registration / Coffee  |
| 9:00AM – 9:45AM   | <b>Keynote: Cleansing the Air We Breathe: Why Cultural Humility Matters Now More than Ever</b><br>Miguel Gallardo PsyD   |
| 9:45AM – 10:30AM  | <b>Power of Peer Recovery</b><br>Joe Powell, LCDC, CAS   |
| 10:30AM – 10:45AM | Morning Recess   |
| 10:45AM – 11:45AM | <b>Miles of Freedom</b><br>Mr. Richard Miles   |
| 11:45AM – 1:00PM  | Lunch on your own  |
| 1:00PM – 3:00PM   | <b>Discussion Session #1: Legacies of Trauma and Violence: Approaches Towards Healing and Recovery</b><br>Micki Washburn, PhD<br>Joe Powell, LCDC, CAS<br>Sgt. Roberto Muñoz, Dallas Police Department |
|                   | <b>Discussion Session #2: How do we speak about Suicide? Experiences and Responses to Loss</b><br>J Rocky Romero, PhD, LMSW<br>Sherry Molock, PhD  |



**Discussion Session #3: Culturally Humble Services:  
Reflecting and Learning from Black and Latino  
Communities.**

Oscar Rojas, PhD

Miguel Gallardo, PsyD

**Discussion Session #4: Mental Health and Spiritually:  
Healing through Shared Meaning, Beliefs and Practices**

Luis Torres, PhD

Reverend Jyrekis B. Collins

Brenda Richardson, PhD

3:00PM – 4:00PM

Closing Event / Evaluation