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SPEAKER SERIES RESOURCE SHEET

EQUITY-CENTERED MTSS & IMPLICATIONS FOR SCHOOL MENTAL HEALTH

Northwest Mental Health Technology Transfer Center and the UW SMART Center are pleased to present the 2023 Virtual Speaker Series to the school mental health workforce. The three-session series features national leaders discussing the importance of implementing MTSS with an equity focus. Through this series, we are spotlighting evidenced-based strategies for developing equitable learning environments for all students.

This resource sheet provides the links to each session. You may also learn more about the full series here: <https://bit.ly/2023-SpeakerSeries-Recordings-Materials>, or by clicking on the links below.



SESSION 1 | MARCH 20

Transformative Systems through Equity - What are your powers?

Dr. Nikole Y. Hollins-Sims
Technical Assistance Coordinator
Midwest PBIS Network

SESSION 2 | APRIL 17

Doing the work! Ensuring Equity and Cultural Responsiveness in Urban Implementation within the Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) Framework

Tynara Blount, M.S
Director of Culturally Responsive Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports (PBIS)
The School District of Philadelphia

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Assistant Director of Culturally Responsive PBIS
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SESSION 3 | MAY 22

The Climate of Educator Bias-based Beliefs Effect on MTSS Implementation

Dr. Eddie Fergus
Professor of Urban Education
School of Arts and Sciences at Rutgers University Newark, New Jersey



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