

# NACBHDD

## 2022 Virtual Legislative and Policy Conference

February 14-16, 2022

10 am-12 pm ET Monday, February 14<sup>th</sup>

NACBHDD Board Meeting

1-4 pm ET Monday, February 14<sup>th</sup>

Day 1: Crisis Care, Rural Communities, and Partner Spotlights

1:00 pm Welcome

1:15 pm Panel Discussion Preparing for Change: 988 Rollout and the Crisis Response Continuum

*Hosted by NACBHDD's Behavioral Health and Justice Committee*

- **Moderator: Lynn Canfield**, Executive Director, Champaign County Mental Health Board and Champaign County Developmental Disabilities Board
- **Matthew Taylor**, Director of Network Development, National Suicide Prevention Lifeline
- **Richard McKeon, Ph.D.**, Chief, Suicide Prevention Branch, Center for Mental Health Services, SAMHSA

2:15 pm Partner Spotlight

- **Blaire Bryant**, Associate Legislative Director, NACo

2:30 pm Behavioral Health in Rural Communities: Unique Challenges and Opportunities  
*In coordination with the National Association for Rural Mental Health (NARMH)*

- **Moderator: Kevin Martone**, NARMH President and Executive Director, TAC
- **Shauna Reitmeier**, CEO, Alluma, NARMH President-Elect

- 3:30 pm Partner Spotlight
- **Michael Petruzzelli**, Director, Federal Policy and Advocacy, National Council for Mental Wellbeing
- 3:50 pm Recap and Closing

## 1-4 pm ET Tuesday, February 15<sup>th</sup>

### Day 2: Workforce, Federal Partner Update, and Professional Development

- 1:00 pm Welcome
- 1:05 pm Panel Discussion State of the Behavioral Health and I/DD Workforce  
*Hosted by NACBHDD's I/DD Committee*
- **Moderator: Maria Walker**, Program Planner, Polk County Health Services
  - **Robert Espinoza**, Vice President of Policy, PHI
- 2:05 pm Social Media Workshop  
*Hosted by NACBHDD's Communications & Public Affairs Committee*
- 2:50 pm Federal Partner Update
- **Moderator: Robert Sheehan**, Chief Executive Officer, Community Mental Health Association of Michigan
  - **Carole Warshaw, MD**, Director, National Center on Domestic Violence, Trauma, and Mental Health

## 1-3 pm ET Wednesday, February 16<sup>th</sup>

### Day 3: Funding and Keynote

- 1:00 pm Welcome
- 1:05 pm How the Behavioral Health and I/DD Systems Are Using COVID Funds to Close Long-Standing Gaps & Support Stability
- **Moderator: Cheryl Ramirez**, Executive Director, AOCMHP

2:05 pm Introduction of Keynote Speaker

2:10 pm Keynote Speaker\*

2:55 pm Closing Thoughts