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February 13, 2020 – Conference Agenda

PROGRAM BOOK

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WHOLE FAMILY
APPROACH

FEBRUARY 13, 2020 – CONFERENCE AGENDA

- 7:30am Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:35am Welcome & Introduction**, FRANCES P. SYKES President, Pascale Sykes Foundation, Inc.
Master of Ceremonies: JACKIE EDWARDS, Pascale Sykes Foundation, Inc.
- 8:40am THE LOGRANDE FAMILY**
- 9:00am Morning Plenary – THE THREE DOCTORS: DRS. SAMPSON DAVIS, RAMECK HUNT & GEORGE JENKINS**
- 9:45am Commissioner CHRISTINE NORBUT BEYER**, New Jersey Department of Children and Families
- 9:50am Panel: The Whole Family Approach in Action**
Moderator: JOYCE THOMAS, Regional Administrator, US-DHHS ACF Region 2
Panelists: MARJORIE SIMS, Managing Director, Ascend at the Aspen Institute
ELAINE ZIMMERMAN, Regional Administrator, US-DHHS ACF Region 1
RUSSELL SYKES, Human Service Consultant & Former Deputy Commissioner of NYS Center For Employment & Economic Supports
- 10:40am The Whole Family Approach Evaluation**
ROSS WHITING, PH.D., Director of Research & Evaluation, Senator Walter Rand Institute for Public Affairs at Rutgers University-Camden
AMY CASTRO BAKER, PH.D., MSW, Assistant Professor, University of Pennsylvania School of Social Policy and Practice
- 11:00am Break | The Three Doctors Book Signing | Visit The Whole Family Approach Grantee Display Tables**
- 11:15am BREAKOUT SESSIONS – THE WHOLE FAMILY APPROACH PRACTICE AND IMPACT**
- A. Using the Whole Family Approach to Work with Immigrants**
Moderator: JEANIE LAZEROV, Trustee, Pascale Sykes Foundation, Inc.
Presenters: JONATHAN CUMMINGS, Unidos para la Familia | JOSH ECHEVERRIA, Families for Literacy | ERICK SAY, Unidos para la Familia
- B. Forming and Sustaining a Successful Collaboration**
Moderator: LOIS GRECO
Presenters: PAULA SARRO, Familia Adelante/Family Forward | MICHAEL GOWER, Pureland East-West Community Shuttle
- C. Evaluation: Design, Data and Outcomes**
Moderator: SUSAN KYRILLOS, Trustee, Pascale Sykes Foundation, Inc.
Presenters: ROSS WHITING, PH.D, Senator Walter Rand Institute for Public Affairs at Rutgers University-Camden,
AMY CASTRO BAKER, PH.D., MSW, University of Pennsylvania School of Social Policy and Practice
- D. Listening to Families, Building Trust and Achieving Outcomes**
Moderator: RUSSELL SYKES, Human Service Consultant
Presenters: MOLLY FLEMING, Child Connection Center | RICCINA CABEZAS, Family Strengthening Network
NATASHA MCRAE, Family Strengthening Network
- E. Whole Family Approach in an Educational Setting**
Moderator: ELAINE BRADFORD, Trustee, Pascale Sykes Foundation, Inc.
Presenters: LISA TWOMEY, Child Connection Center | STEPHANIE CHAMBERS, Child Connection Center
- F. The Whole Family Approach Experienced**
Moderator: HEATHER SANTORO, Connecting Families to Communities
Presenters: NANCY AVALOS, Families in Motion | EVA CHRISTINA MORALES GARCIA, Families in Motion
HANNAH DEVLIN, Family Strengthening Network | KARON PIERCE, Stronger Families
- G. Family-Centered Mentoring**
Moderator: RICHELLE TODD-YAMOAH, Pascale Sykes Foundation, Inc.
Presenters: SUSAN VARGHESE, Bigs & Littles NYC Mentoring | ANA MELO, Bigs & Littles NYC Mentoring | CURTIS WILLIAMS, Families to College
- H. Transportation in Underserved Areas: Mobility for Family Well-being**
Moderator: STEVE FITTANTE, Loredo Policy Research Group, Inc.
Presenters: QUENTIN MCCLENDON, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Center | ALBERT KELLY, Mayor of Bridgeton
TOM BIANCO, Gloucester County Department of Economic Development | FRED STOREY, NJ Transit
- 12:15pm Break | Visit The Whole Family Approach Grantee Display Tables**
- 12:30pm Luncheon**
Featuring Keynote Speaker LESLEY STAHL, Co-Editor, CBS 60 Minutes | Interviewed by LIZ MURRAY, Co-Founder, The Arthur Project, and Author
- 2:00pm Break | Visit The Whole Family Approach Grantee Display Tables**
- 2:15pm Commissioner DIANE GUTIERREZ-SCACCETTI**, New Jersey Department of Transportation
- 2:25pm Panel: The Whole Family Approach: The Big Picture**
Moderator: RONDA URKOWITZ, Executive Director, Cross County Connection TMA
Panelists: ASHLEY PUTNAM, Director of the Economic Growth & Mobility Project, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia
STEVE FITTANTE, President, Loredo Policy Research Group, Inc. | BERNADETTE BLACKSTOCK, Founder, CEO & President, People for People Foundation
NADINE MANNING, Director, Genius Kids Academy & Learning Institute | NJ Heartland Hero Representative
- 3:30pm Closing Remarks & Raffle**