

2018 STRENGTHENING COMMUNITY TRUST SYMPOSIUM

FAMILY & YOUTH SUPPORT PARTNER INITIATIVE



The Diversity Development Center invites you to attend the first in a series of **Strengthening Community Trust Symposiums** to take place at Marina Village Conference Center Building A, 1936 Quivira Way, San Diego, CA 92109 on July 18th and 19th, 2018.

FAMILY & YOUTH SUPPORT PARTNER MODEL

A Family and Youth Support Partner is an individual, with lived experiences in the respective system(s), who is trained and hired to help other families as a paraprofessional.

We believe trust is the essence of human relationships between children, parents, families, employers, employees, members and their communities – simply stated “without trust there is no relationship”.

The symposium highlights systems leaders and paraprofessionals who are early adopters on the front line of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) Science systems to embrace change in their programs, practices, policies and procedures where they live, work, pray and play in the pursuit of enhanced and sustainable outcomes and deliverables.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Organizations and systems leaders including Promotoras, Cultural Brokers, Health Advocates, Youth Mentors, Credible Messengers, and others.

- Child Welfare
- Criminal Justice
- Education
- Faith-based
- Foster Care
- Healthcare Providers (Behavioral and Mental)
- Housing
- Immigration
- Juvenile Justice / Law Enforcement
- Legal
- Military
- Reentry

WHY ATTEND?

The symposium includes Feature Presentations and Workshops that highlight cross-sector solutions, develop awareness of practice-based evidence and best practices and showcase the paraprofessional model as a novel alternative for workforce development.

The objectives are to enhance professional and paraprofessional skills and knowledge in support of the concept that, by strengthening trust between those served and the service providers, we can enhance the outcomes and deliverables needed to build resilient families and communities.

Also, the symposium agenda will include problem solving and decision-making sessions in alignment with San Diego's Children, Youth & Family (CYF) systems training and coaching requirements.

CALL FOR PRESENTERS

The **2018 Strengthening Community Trust Symposium** provides an opportunity for subject matter thought leaders, community experts and practitioners to present proposals for Feature Presentations (45 minutes maximum) and Workshop formats (75 minutes maximum).

Suggested presentation topics:

Child Health and Development

- Early Learning Success & Trauma
- Impact of Early Childhood Trauma
- Early Identification & Access to Care
- Recognizing Unique Needs of Children

Healthcare

- Integrated ACEs Science through Best Practices and Practice-Based Evidence
- Impact of Toxic Stress on Well-Being
- Interventions that Retrain the Brain and foster Resilience and Wellness
- Impact of Historical Trauma on Well-Being

Mental and Behavioral Health

- Practice-Based Evidence on ACEs Science Integration across the lifespan
- Measurable Strategies, Goals & Outcomes
- Case Studies of Resilience Building

Strengthening Families

- Impact of Parental Resilience in Strengthening Families
- Faith Based Community's role in Building Strong Families
- Strengthening Families Protective Factors
- Community Based Intervention

Presenter proposal's must be submitted electronically to sheila@azbizopps.org no later than 5:00pm Friday, May 25, 2018 and must include: Presentation Title, Outline and Summary (limited to ½ page)

All presenter's proposals will be evaluated by a panel based on relevance and strength of Feature Presentations / Workshop sessions. Selected presenters will be notified by Friday June 1, 2018. Selected presenters must submit the following items no later than 5:00pm Friday June 15, 2018:

- Presenter's headshot (portrait quality not required)
- Brief Professional / Paraprofessional Bio (limited to ½ page)

SCHOLARSHIP, SPONSORSHIP AND DONATION OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

Your commitment to sponsor this important initiative will provide funding for scholarship requests from stakeholder organizations with no budget for participants. Registration fees, meals and parking are included.

ATTENDANCE REGISTRATION

To register for this event, click: <https://18sdcommunitytrust.eventbrite.com>

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