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# SPPAC



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# THURSDAY, APRIL 3

**7:30AM - 5:00PM**  
**REGISTRATION & CHECK-IN**

**9:30AM - 12:00PM**  
**WORKSHOPS I CE**

Using the Minority Stress Model to Guide Pediatric Psychology Practice and Advocacy with LGBTQ+ Patients in Medical Settings.

Integrating Liberation Psychology into Pediatric Psychology: A Paradigm Shift for Culturally Responsive and Socially Just Practice, Supervision, and Research.

A Unifying Model of the Conceptualization and Treatment of Complex Mind-Body Conditions: Bringing Together Functional Neurological Disorder, Chronic Pain, POTS and other Functional Symptoms

You've Started to Unpack Your Whiteness—Now Let's Burn the Knapsack: Abolishing Cultures of Whiteness in Pediatric Psychology and Academia (Part 2)

Unlocking Communication: Effective Use of Language Interpretive Service with Limited English Proficient Families

Pursuing Best Outcomes: Developing Evidence-Informed Clinical Pathways for Special Populations

**11:30AM - 12:30PM**  
**LUNCH ON YOUR OWN**

**12:00PM - 3:00PM**  
**SERVICE & OUTREACH EVENT**  
*Prior sign up required.*

**1:30PM - 2:30PM**  
**FIRST TIME ATTENDEE MEET UP**  
*Meet and connect with first-time attendees and learn tips to make the most out of SPPAC! Chaired by The Student Advisory Board.*

**1:30PM - 2:30PM**  
**BUSINESS MEETING**  
Regency Ballroom

**3:00PM - 3:45PM**  
**SPPAC WELCOME & CE**  
Regency Ballroom  
Welcome Address  
*Jessica Valenzuela, PhD, SPP President*  
Continuing Education  
*Sunnye Mayes, PhD, ABPP SPP MAL CE*

**3:45PM - 4:45PM**  
**PLENARY ADDRESS CE**  
*Anna Hood, PhD*



**5:00PM - 6:15PM**  
**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS/SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIA CE**

Advancing Health Equity within Pediatric Psychology: Adapting Interventions within Diverse Rehab Populations

AI Listening Session

Innovation in Science Dissemination: How to Move from Great Idea to Great Impact

Trauma Informed Care: Best Practices in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit

Supporting Children Impacted by Crisis Events, Trauma and Loss

**6:30PM - 7:30PM**  
**WELCOME RECEPTION AND INTERNSHIPS & FELLOWSHIPS ON PARADE**  
Drinks & Hors d'Oeuvres



**8:00PM - 9:00PM**  
**STUDENT SOCIAL**  
*Mingle with students at all training levels!*

# FRIDAY, APRIL 4

**7:00AM - 6:00PM**  
**REGISTRATION & CHECK-IN**

**8:00AM - 9:00AM**  
**BREAKFAST AND POSTER SESSION 1 CE**



**9:15AM - 9:45AM**  
**2025 SPP AWARDS OF DISTINCTION**



**9:45AM - 10:45AM**  
**PLENARY ADDRESS CE**  
Vincent Guilamo-Ramos, PhD, MPH, LCSW, ANP-BC, PMHNP-BC, FAAN



**11:00AM - 12:15PM**  
**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS/SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIA CE**

From Documenting Disparities to Actioning Change: Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Considerations in Pediatric Chronic Pain Treatment

Improving Equitable Access to Evidence-Based Care Among Trauma Exposed Youth through Enhanced Screening and Cultural Considerations

Addressing the Intersection of Double Disability: Clinical Tools and Strategies to Provide High Quality Pediatric Psychology Care for Youth with Developmental Disabilities

Picky Eaters versus Pediatric Feeding Disorder versus Avoidant Restrictive Feeding Disorder: A Differential Decision Tree

Social and Peer Support Among Adolescents and Young Adults with Differences of Sex Development/Variations in Sex Characteristics: Implications and Solutions to Improve Health Equity

**12:15PM - 1:45PM**  
**LUNCH ON YOUR OWN**

**12:15PM - 1:45PM**  
**STUDENT MENTORING LUNCH**  
*Lunch, learn, and network with leaders, mentors, and trainees across diverse backgrounds and interests! Prior sign up required.*



# FRIDAY, APRIL 4 (CONTINUED)

2:00PM - 3:15PM

## SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIA CE

Innovative Research to Advance Health Equity among Transgender and Gender Diverse Youth: Findings from the Trans Youth Care Study

Leveraging Psychologist Contributions to Behavioral Health Integration, Health Equity, and Workforce Development

What About Siblings?: Reimagining Family-Centered Care to Recognize and Address Siblings' Needs

Society of Pediatric Psychology Anti-Racism Grant 2024 Awardee Presentations

3:30PM - 4:45PM

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS CE

Hope through Advocacy: Best Practice Pathways for Advancing Health Equity in Pediatric Psychology

Shaping the Future: Building Pediatric Psychology Labs in University Settings

Implementation of Psychosocial Screening in Pediatric Psychology: An Ethical Imperative for Equitable Care... and How to Make it Happen

Understanding Challenges in Pediatric Feeding Disorders and Avoidant/Restrictive Food Intake Disorder: The Importance of Cultural Feeding Practice Awareness

Increasing Access to Behavioral Therapy in Pediatric Primary Care Settings Serving Diverse Patients through PC-CARE

4:45PM - 5:15PM

## SNACK BREAK



5:15PM - 6:30PM

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS/SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIA CE

Forging a Better Path Forward: Efforts to Promote Recruitment and Retention of Pediatric Psychologists

Addressing Weight Stigma Through an Intersectional Lens: Impacts on Equitable Treatment of Youth

The Role of the Pediatric Psychologist on Cochlear Implant Teams & The Importance of Cultural Humility to Honor Deaf Community Perspective

Implementation of Universal Suicide Risk Screening Throughout Specialty and Primary Care Outpatient Clinics in a Children's Hospital

Navigating Health Disparities: Understanding the Distinct Challenges Faced by NICU Graduates

4:00PM - 8:00PM

## COMPLIMENTARY HEADSHOTS

*First come, first serve, arrive early, and dress to impress!*



6:30PM - 7:30PM

## SIGS ON PARADE

6:30PM - 7:30PM

## POSTER SESSION 2 CE

Drinks & Hors d'Oeuvres



# SATURDAY, APRIL 5

7:30AM - 2:30PM

## REGISTRATION & CHECK-IN

8:00AM - 9:00 AM

## BREAKFAST AND POSTER SESSION 3 CE



9:15AM - 10:15AM

## PLENARY ADDRESS CE

Diane Chen, PhD, Lori Crosby, PsyD, Roger Harrison, PhD, Marilyn Sampilo, PhD, MPH, Terry Stancin, PhD, ABPP, Idia Thurston, PhD



10:30AM - 11:45AM

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS/SCIENTIFIC SYMPOSIA CE

Voices of the Future: Justice, Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion-Driven Clinical Program Development in Pediatric Psychology

Capacity Building for Bilingual-Spanish Providers through Research Implementation: Strategies for Establishing a Consultation Group

Incorporating Palliative Care Concepts into Our Work as Pediatric Psychologists: Terms, Tips, Tools, and Techniques

Career Growth in Pediatric Psychology: Insights from Seasoned Psychologists

12:15PM - 12:30PM

## MEETING CLOSE

12:30PM - 2:00PM

## LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

2:00PM - 4:30PM

## WORKSHOPS II CE

When Talking the Talk is Walking the Walk: A Practical Guide to Delivering Equitable Care Through the Lens of Health Literacy

Keeping Hope Alive: Working with Transgender and Gender Diverse Youth in a Hostile Political Environment

Increasing Mental Healthcare Access with Brief Evidence-Based Treatments in Integrated Care Settings: The First Approach Skills Training Programs

Resisting Grind Culture, Promoting Belonging at Work and Co-Creating Cultures of Wellness in the Workplace

Tackling Moral Distress as a BIPOC Psychologist in Academia