

NCRE 2017



Children's Development in American Indian and Alaska Native Cultural & Linguistic Contexts: Perspectives from Research & Practice

Conference | September 28-29, 2017

Preconference Reception | September 27, 2017

DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Denver | 3203 Quebec Street, Denver CO 80207

Wednesday, September 27th | DoubleTree

6:30-8:30 NCRE Welcome Hors d'Oeuvre Reception

Oak Room

Thursday, September 28th | DoubleTree

8:00-8:30 Check-in & Light Continental Breakfast

Grand Ballroom IV

8:30-9:00 Welcome, Honoring, and Blessing

Grand Ballroom IV

Michelle Sarche & Nancy Whitesell

University of Colorado AMC

Honoring and Blessing

Denver Singers

9:00-10:30 Plenary Session 1

Grand Ballroom IV

Indigenous Culture and Research: Measurement Approaches and
Consideration of Consequences

Melissa Walls¹ & Tina Handeland² | ¹University of Minnesota Duluth, ²
Zaasijiwan Early Head Start and Head Start Program, Lac du Flambeau

Discussants | Alicia Mousseau¹ & Bob Emde²

¹University of Montana, ²University of Colorado AMC

10:30-10:45 Refreshment Break & Transition Time

Grand IV Foyer

Thursday, September 28th | DoubleTree

10:45-12:00 Breakout Session 1

1.1 Round Table Discussion with Dr. Melissa Walls & Ms. Tina Handeland Executive Room A

Facilitators | Alicia Mousseau¹ & Bob Emde²

¹University of Montana, ²University of Colorado AMC

1.2 Culturally Grounded Strategies to Address Social Determinants of Alaska Native Youth Suicide by Fostering Community Resilience Colorado Ballroom I

Jim Allen,¹ Stacy Rasmus,² and Bill Charles²

¹University of Minnesota Duluth, ²University of Alaska Fairbanks

Facilitator | Nancy Whitesell | University of Colorado AMC

1.3 Making it Work! Supporting Young American Indian and Alaska Native Children's Learning through Cultural Experience Colorado Ballroom II

Deborah Mazzeo,¹ Debra Shuey,¹ and Charmaine Lundy²

¹National Center on Early Childhood Development, Teaching, and Learning, ²Kuya Qyut'anen Early Childhood Center

Facilitator | Tarajeen Yazzie Mintz | American Indian College Fund

1.4 Head Start Children's Cultural and Language Connections: Evidence from a National Study of American Indian and Alaska Native Head Start Colorado Ballroom III

Sarah Bernstein, Liza Malone, & Charles Bush

Mathematica Policy Research

Facilitator | Jacki Haight | Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribe Head Start

1.5 Stressful Life Experiences among Urban American Indian Children: Risk and Protective Factors Crystal Ballroom I

Monica Tsethlikai

Arizona State University

Facilitator | Nicole Thompson | Arizona State University

12:00-1:30 Networking Lunch (Pasta Buffet) Grand Ballroom IV

Open Q&A on NIH funding over lunch - led by Kathy Etz of NIDA (get lunch from the buffet and bring it to the session) Colorado Ballroom I

Thursday, September 28th | DoubleTree

1:30-3:00 Breakout Session 2

2.1 Community Engagement in Designing a Multi-site Implementation Evaluation of Tribal Home Visiting Programs Colorado Ballroom I

Tess Abrahamson-Richards,¹ Nancy Rumbaugh Whitesell,² & Kate Lyon¹

¹James Bell Associates, ²University of Colorado AMC

Facilitator | Angela Walden | University of Illinois Chicago

2.2 Adverse Childhood Experiences, Caregiver Mental Health, and Child Social-Emotional Functioning: An American Indian Context Colorado Ballroom II

Hannah Saunders¹ & Michelle Sarche²

¹Colorado State University, ²University of Colorado AMC

Facilitator | Jessica Elm | University of Washington

2.3 Social Networks for American Indian Youth: Preliminary Results of a Substance Prevention Program Colorado Ballroom III

Jerreed Ivanich

University of Nebraska - Lincoln

Facilitator | Hi Fitzgerald | Michigan State University

2.4 NCRE Student Scholars 2017: Poster Symposium Crystal Ballroom I

Facilitator | Amy West | University of Southern California

2.4.1 Fostering Systemic Change in Kansas' Tribal Communities to Address High Rates of Developmental Disabilities

Joshua Allison-Burbank

University of Kansas

2.4.2 Modifying Positive Indian Parenting to Fit in a Home Visiting Context: The Ina Maka Family Program's Experience

Elizabeth Moore Simpson

United Indians of All Tribes Foundation and University of Washington

2.3.3 An Indigenous Connectedness Framework for Child Wellbeing

Jessica Saniguq Ullrich | University of Washington

University of Washington

3:00-3:15 Refreshment Break & Transition Time

Grand IV Foyer

Thursday, September 28th | DoubleTree

3:15-4:30 Breakout Session 3

3.1 Home Visiting Research: Where We've Been and Where We Need to Go Colorado Ballroom I

Anne Duggan

Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health

Facilitator | Aleta Meyer | Administration for Children and Families

3.2 Progression of Onset of Nicotine, Alcohol, and Marijuana Use Disorders among North American Indigenous Adolescents Colorado Ballroom II

Dane Hautala & Melissa Walls

University of Minnesota Duluth

Facilitator | Carol Kaufman | University of Colorado AMC

3.2 Examining Culture and Language in the Tribal Early Childhood Education Context Colorado Ballroom III

Jessica Barnes

Michigan State University

Facilitator | Cyndi Pyatskowitz | College of Menominee Nation

3.3 Poster Symposium Crystal Ballroom I

Facilitator | Cathy Ayoub | Brazelton Touchpoints Center

3.3.1 Exploring the Relationships between Indigenous Language and Wellness: A Project Proposal

Miigis Gonzales

University of Minnesota Duluth

3.3.2 Language Documentation and Revitalization: Research Implications for Native Children, 0-5

Christine Sims¹, Mary Hermes², Jennifer Weston³, and Lana Garcia⁴

¹University of New Mexico, ²University of Minnesota Twin Cities

Campus, ³Wopanaak Language Reclamation Project, ⁴Walatowa Head Start Language Immersion Program

Thursday Evening, September 28th | Cuba Cuba Restaurant 1173 Delaware Street

5:15 Premier Coach available for loading at 5:15; departs at 5:30 pm for DoubleTree Grand Ballroom Entrance
Cuba Cuba restaurant

6:00-8:15 Group Dinner at Cuba Cuba 1173 Delaware Street, Denver

8:15 Premier Coach available for loading at 8:15, departs for DoubleTree at 8:30

Friday, September 29th | DoubleTree

8:30-9:00 Light Continental Breakfast	Grand Ballroom IV
9:00-10:30 Plenary Session 2	Grand Ballroom IV
<p>Unspoken Words: Research and Indigenous Language Revitalization Mary Hermes University of Minnesota Twin Cities Discussants Christine Sims,¹ Lana Toya,² & Josh Sparrow³ ¹University of New Mexico, ²Walatowa Head Start, ³Brazelton Touchpoints Center</p>	
10:30-10:45 Refreshment Break & Transition Time	Grand IV Foyer
10:45-12:00 Breakout Session 4	
<p>4.1 Round Table Discussion with Dr. Mary Hermes Facilitators: Christine Sims,¹ Lana Toya,² & Josh Sparrow³ ¹University of New Mexico, ²Walatowa Head Start, ³Brazelton Touchpoints Center</p>	Executive Room A
<p>4.2 Utilizing Cultural Foundations and Adaptations to Support Early Learning in a Home Visiting Program Lisa Abramson,¹ Elizabeth Kushman,¹ Amanda Leonard,¹ & Jennifer Torres² ¹Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan, ²Michigan Public Health Institute Facilitator Jesscia Barnes Najor Michigan State University</p>	Colorado Ballroom I
<p>4.3 The Role of Ethnic Identity in the Development of Marijuana Use among Young Adolescents on a Northern Plains Reservation: Measurement, Findings, and Limitations Katie Gelman,¹ Nancy Whitesell,¹ Carol Kaufman,¹ Ashley Brooks-Russell,¹ Alicia Mousseau,² Nancy Asdigian,¹ & Anna Baron¹ ¹University of Colorado AMC, ²University of Montana Facilitator Jerreed Ivanich University of Nebraska Lincoln</p>	Colorado Ballroom II
<p>4.4 NCRE Scholars Cohort 5: Paper Symposium Facilitator Kathy Etz National Institute on Drug Abuse</p> <p>4.4.1 Toward Identifying Native-Specific Adverse Childhood Experiences: A Latent Class Analysis Jessica Elm & Melissa Walls University of Washington</p> <p>4.4.2 Indigenous Health and Wellbeing Practices Historically, Today, & Across the Lifespan: Impacts on Individuals & the Community Susan Beaulieu University of Minnesota Duluth</p>	Colorado Ballroom III
<p>4.5 Yuli's Story: Using Education Policy to Achieve Cultural Genocide Katrina Johnson Leon Stockton Unified School District Facilitator Michelle Sarche University of Colorado AMC</p>	Crystal Ballroom I

Friday, September 29th | DoubleTree

12:00-1:30 Networking Lunch (Taco Bar)

Grand Ballroom IV

1:30-2:00 Closing and Blessing

Grand Ballroom IV

Michelle Sarche, Nancy Whitesell & Candace Fleming | University of Colorado AMC

