Program

Registration and Continental Breakfast
9:00 am

Welcoming Remarks
9:30

Stanley S. Bergen, Jr., MD
Founding President Emeritus
University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey

Stuart D. Cook, MD
President
University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey

Harold L. Paz, MD
Dean, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School

Introduction
Robert C. Like, MD, MS
Shelley Jacobs Mintz, MSW

Culturally Competent Health Care Federal Perspective
Blumenthal, MD
Assistant Surgeon General
State Perspective
Len Fishman, Esq
Commissioner (invited)

EDUCATING HEALTH PROFESSIONALS FOR CULTURALLY COMPETENT CARE

8:00 am

PROGRAM (CONTINUED)

10:15

Panel Discussion:
• Describing the rationale and need to include training for culturally and linguistically competent care;
• Identifying strategies that health care professionals and organizations can use in providing more culturally and linguistically appropriate services; and,
• Improving their knowledge and skills relating to subjects such as female circumcision/female genital mutilation, caring for individuals with limited English proficiency, and cultural issues in end of life care.

Refreshment Break and Exhibits
10:45

Overview of Multicultural Health Care Topics - Workshop Part A
1:15

1. Culturally and Linguistically Competent Clinical Care
2. End of Life Care
3. Female Circumcision/Female Genital Mutilation

Refreshment Break and Exhibits
2:15

Educational Strategies and Initiatives - Workshop Part B
3:00

Topics Continued

Evaluation
4:10

Refreshment Break and Exhibits
10:00

Play: Where’s Shirley?
Live performance with small group discussions
Ritz Theater Group, Oakland, NJ

11:00

Panel Discussion:
• Educating for Culturally Responsive Health Care

Luncheon Speaker
Isabel Miranda, Esq.
Chair, UMDNJ Board of Trustees

COURSE OBJECTIVES

- Upon completion of this conference, participants should be able to:
- Improve their knowledge and skills relating to subjects such as female circumcision/female genital mutilation, caring for individuals with limited English proficiency, and cultural issues in end of life care;
- Identify various Federal and State initiatives designed to improve access and eliminate health disparities experienced by racial and ethnic minorities;
- Describe strategies that health care professionals and organizations can use in providing more culturally and linguistically appropriate services; and,
- Examine the rationale and need to include training for culturally and linguistically competent care.

Location:
UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, Clinical Academic Building, 125 Paterson Street, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901-6305.

Conference Fee:
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Affiliation:
UMDNJ - Continuing Education

Conference Goals:
• Ongoing sharing of information, educational methods, and clinical tools to ensure the delivery of more culturally responsive care to diverse populations.
• Encouraging collegial networking to foster an environment dedicated to culturally competent health care.

Learning Objectives:
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- Cite demographic and epidemiological trends related to cultural diversity and health care in the United States;
- Identify various Federal and State initiatives designed to improve access and eliminate health disparities experienced by racial and ethnic minorities;
- Discuss selected community outreach, clinical, legal, and ethical issues related to the delivery of culturally responsive health care;
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New Brunswick, New Jersey

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