

NMCA Conference Schedule
Friday, March 22nd, 2019

Morning Sessions	Location	Title	Session Type
7:30 am – 8:30 am	Lobby	Registration Music performance in ballroom by Chris Chickering -- Singer-songwriter/Psychotherapist - "Music for Positive Change"	
8:30 am – 8:45 am	Ballroom IV-V	Welcome and Opening Remarks	
Opening Keynote: 8:45 am – 10:15 am	Ballroom IV-V	The Opioid Crisis Across Generations: How Did We Get Here and What Can We Do? Keynote Speaker: Steven M. Jenkusky, MD	<i>Standard</i>
Session 1: 10:45 am – 12:15 pm	Sierra Ballroom I	Mental Health First Responders in Albuquerque and Bernalillo County-Mobile Crisis Team Presenters: Gilbert Valdez, MA, LPCC	<i>Standard</i>
	Sierra Ballroom II	PANEL: Impacting the Lives of Transgender and Gender Non-binary Youth Through Available Resources, Peer Support Groups, and Play Presenters: Katie Brammer, MS LMHC & Tanupreet Suri, MS LPCC	<i>Standard</i>
	Agave	Re-Entry with Recovery - Incorporating Recovery TOTS (Tools of Twelve Step) In Aftercare Outpatient Therapy Groups and Other Clinical Treatment Modalities Presenter: Valerie J Shinbaum, MS, LPC, MAC, NCC	<i>Standard</i>
	Ocotillo I-II	Wakanda Forever: Ethical Considerations When Working with African American Populations Presenters: Desa Karye Daniel, LPCC, Stephanie McIver, Ph.D. and Kenneth Winfrey, LCSW	<i>Ethics</i>
	Sierra Ballroom III	Cybersupervision Using a Video Conference Format - Techniques for Engagement and Development Presenter: Barbara Cooper, Ph.D.	<i>Supervision</i>
12:30 pm – 2:00 pm	Ballroom IV-V	Lunch & Business Meeting	

Afternoon Sessions	Location	Title	Session Type
Session 2: 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Ocotillo I-II	Ethics in the Business of Counseling (Part 1) Presenter: Tod DiCecco, MA, LPCC	<i>Ethics</i>
	Agave	Mood...Affect...Thinking: The Impact of Multiple Sclerosis on Mental Health and Cognition Presenters: Vicki Kowal, MA, LPCC & Carrie Bravinder, MA, LPCC	<i>Standard</i>
	Sierra Ballroom II	Stripping Down the Sex Talk: Strategies for Engaging Couples to Participate in Intimate Dialogues Presenter: Lacey Stewart, MA, LPCC	<i>Standard</i>
	Sierra Ballroom III	Fostering Compassion Satisfaction through Holistic Self-Care Presenter: Karen Roller, Ph.D., MFT	<i>Standard</i>
	Sierra Ballroom I	A Clinical Approach to Youth Gang Intervention Presenters: Anthony Esquibel, MA LMHC & Jason Wyatt, MA LPCC	<i>Standard</i>
Session 3: 3:45 pm – 5:15 pm	Ocotillo I-II	Ethics in the Business of Counseling (Part 2) Presenter: Tod DiCecco, MA, LPCC	<i>Ethics</i>
	Sierra Ballroom I	Identity Advocacy: Disability Culture in Counseling Presenter: Renée Howells, Ph.D.	<i>Standard</i>
	Sierra Ballroom II	Taking Different Perspectives: Addressing Microaggressions with Students in Schools through Dialogue Presenters: Thomas Chavez, Ph.D., & Arianna Trott, MA, LPCC	<i>Standard</i>
	Sierra Ballroom III	Counselor Community Engagement: Examining Posttraumatic Growth and Protesting Presenter: Erica Merrill, M.Ed. ABD for Ph.D.	<i>Standard</i>
	Agave	PANEL: A Call to Action: Courageous Conversations around Mental Health Policy Presenters: Tanupreet Suri, MA, LPCC & Desa K. Daniel, MA, LMHC	<i>Standard</i>
5:15pm - 5:45pm	Lobby	Sign Out and Collection of Tracking Sheets	
5:15pm - 8:00pm	Presidential Suite (Room 905)	NMCA Social Gathering	

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Saturday, March 23rd, 2019

Morning Sessions	Location	Title	Session Type
7:30 am – 8:30 am	Lobby	Registration	
8:30 am – 8:45 am	Ballroom IV-V	Welcome and Opening Remarks	
Session 1: 9:00 am – 10:30 am	Ocotillo I-II	Staying Ethical and Safe while using Technology in Counseling Presenter: Stephen Ratcliff, MA, LPCC	<i>Ethics</i>
	Sierra Ballroom I	Responsiveness Training for Sexual Assault (SA) Populations: Understanding Efforts of Prevention and Treatment of Childhood SA, Adult SA, Cyber SA, and the Elderly. (Part 1) Presenter: Kelley Holladay, Ph.D.	<i>Standard</i>
	Sierra Ballroom II	Trauma-Informed Career Counseling: Integration of Self through the Job Search Process Presenter: Astra B. Czerny, Ph.D., Valerie Ashley	<i>Standard</i>
	Sierra Ballroom III	Addiction and EMDR Presenter: JoAnn Kutsukos LMHC, CAP	<i>Standard</i>
	Sandia III	LGBTQ+ Empowerment and Resilience Across the Lifespan Presenter: Thomas Anthony Chavez, Ph.D.	<i>Standard</i>
Session 2: 10:45 am – 12:15 pm	Ocotillo I-II	Walking the Legal and Ethical Tightrope Between Serving LGBTQIA and Religious Populations Presenter: Bryan Moffitt, Ph.D., JD, Shinhwa Lee, Ph.D.	<i>Ethics</i>
	Sierra Ballroom I	Responsiveness Training for Sexual Assault (SA) Populations: Understanding Efforts of Prevention and Treatment of Childhood SA, Adult SA, Cyber SA, and the Elderly. (Part 2) Presenter: Kelley Holladay, Ph.D.	<i>Standard</i>

Session 2 (cont.): 10:45 am – 12:15 pm	Sierra Ballroom II	Ambiguous Loss and Parents of Transgender Children: GRACE Model in Action Presenters: Ashley Martin-Cuellar, Ph.D., LMFT, Zoe Cornwell MS, LMFT	<i>Standard</i>
	Sierra Ballroom III	Tap the Healing Power of Dreams Presenter: Durelle Freeman, MA, LPCC	<i>Standard</i>
	Sandia III	Panel: Social Justice Advocacy 101 Presenters: Daniel E. Best, LPCC LMFT, Kathleen Fallon, Ph.D., LMHC, NCC, BCC	<i>Standard</i>
12:15 pm – 1:45 pm		Division Lunches:	
	Sandia IV-V	New Mexico Mental Health Counselors Association (NMMHCA)	
	Sandia I	New Mexico Career Development Association (NMCDA)	
	Sandia II	New Mexico Association for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Issues in Counseling (NMALGBTIC)	
	Sandia III	New Mexico Association of Spiritual, Ethical, & Religious Issues in Counseling (NMASERVIC)	
	Sandia VIII	New Mexico School Counselors Association (NMSCA)	
	Sandia VI-VII	New Mexico Advocates for Social Justice (NMAJ)	
Afternoon Sessions	Location	Title	Session Type
Session 3: 2:00 - 3:30 pm	Sierra Ballroom I	Beyond Relationship Barriers: Working with Clients Across the Lifespan Presenters: Arianna Trott, MA, LPCC, Liz Daniels, MA, LPCC	<i>Standard</i>
	Sierra Ballroom II	Clinical Supervision and Leadership Academy Presenters: Leandrea Romero-Lucero, Ph.D., LPCC, Christina Renee Martinez, MA, LMFT	<i>Supervision</i>
	Sierra Ballroom III	How Counselor Wellness is Related to EQ: Wellness Kung Fu for Counselors Presenter: Erica Merrill, M.Ed. ABD for Ph.D.	<i>Standard</i>
	Sandia III	Wellness Across the Counselor's Lifespan: Exploring a Traditional Healing Approach Presenter: Thomas Anthony Chavez, Ph.D.	<i>Standard</i>
	Ocotillo I-II	Ethics and Working with Transgender Adolescents Presenter: Nandi Baldwin, MA, LMHC, Past-President NMALGBTIC	<i>Ethics</i>

<p>Closing Session: 3:45pm - 5:15pm</p>	<p>Ballroom IV-V</p>	<p>Panel Discussion on Mental Health Policy & Initiatives in NM</p> <p>Moderator: Kristopher Goodrich,,Ph.D., LPCC, ACS, NCGC-III</p> <p>Panelists: Dr. Allegra Love - Director/Supervising Attorney for the Santa Fe Dreamers Project Wayne W. Lindstrom, Ph.D. - Director of BHSD and the CEO of the Behavioral Health Collaborative Steven M. Jenkusky, MD - Psychiatrist with a subspecialty in addiction medicine and 29 years of experience. He has served on the faculty of the UNM School of Medicine and practices with the Presbyterian Medical Group Armando Bustamante, MSW - Program Specialist El Centro de La Rasa, University of New Mexico Jytte Lokvig, Ph.D. - Founder and Director Alzheimer's Cafe, Alzheimer's and dementia specialist William Spies - New Mexico Counseling and Therapy Practice Board Professional Board Member and works at the NM Crisis and Access Line.</p> <p>Closing music performance by Chris Chickering -- Singer-songwriter/Psychotherapist - "Music for Positive Change"</p>	<p><i>Standard</i></p>
<p>5:15pm - 5:45pmm</p>	<p>Lobby</p>	<p>Sign Out and Collection of Tracking Sheets</p>	