

Alabama Summit on Addiction and Pain

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UAB Hill Student Center
Ballrooms AB
1400 University Blvd
Birmingham, AL 35294
September 19-20, 2024

Agenda – Friday, September 20th

Time	Session	Presenter(s)
7:30am – 8:00am	Registration and Breakfast	
Opening Plenary <i>Moderator – Ellen Eaton, MD</i>		
8:00am – 9:00am	<i>“Substance Use Disorder and Vulnerable Populations in Alabama”</i>	Darlene Traffanstedt, MD, <i>Medical Director, Alabama Medicaid Agency</i>
Session 1: Translational Perspectives on Pain <i>Introductions by Tina Kempin Reuter, PhD</i>		
9:00am – 9:30am	TBD	Jennifer DeBerry, PhD, <i>Associate Director of UAB Center for Addiction and Pain Prevention and Intervention</i>
9:30am – 10:00am	<i>“An Epigenomic Approach to Social Determinants of Pain.”</i>	Edwin Aroke, PhD, <i>Associate Professor of Nursing – Acute, Chronic, and Continuing Care, UAB</i>
10:00am – 10:15am	Coffee Break	
Session 2: Community Perspectives on Addiction and Pain <i>Introductions by Sue Feldman, PhD</i>		
10:15am – 10:30am	TBD	John Bayles, <i>Program Director of the Recovery Resource Center</i>
10:30am – 10:45am	TBD	Leah Nelson, <i>Research Director of Alabama Appleseed Center for Law and Justice</i>
Session 3: What Works? Evidence-based Care Models and Treatment <i>Introductions by Sue Feldman, PhD</i>		
10:45am – 11:05am	<i>“Evidence-based, Emergency Department Care and Addiction Services for Persons Who Use Drugs”</i>	Lauren Walter, MD, MSPH, <i>Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine, UAB</i>
11:05am – 11:25am	<i>“Evidence Based Chronic Pain Care”</i>	Leah Leisch, MD, <i>Assistant Professor of General Internal Medicine, UAB</i>
11:25am – 12:45pm	<i>“Integrated Care Model for Opioid Use Disorder in Pregnancy”</i>	Brian Brocato, DO, <i>Associate Professor of Maternal and Fetal Medicine, UAB</i>

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11:45am – 12:00pm	Biobreak and Box Lunches Available	
Lunch Session		
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12:00pm – 1:00pm	Pitch Your Project to the Experts <i>Boxed Lunches Available</i>	Join faculty and community experts at a table that aligns with your interest. Tables will be arranged by theme.
Session 4: Understanding Stigma, Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Substance Use Disorder and Treatment		
<i>Introductions by Tina Kempin Reuter, PhD</i>		
1:00pm – 1:20pm	TBD	Jessica Jaiswal, PhD, <i>Assistant Professor of Family and Community Medicine, UAB</i>
1:20pm – 1:40pm	TBD	Jamie Gajos, PhD, <i>Assistant Professor of Family and Community Medicine, UAB</i>
1:40pm – 2:00pm	<i>“Using ALAHOPE to Understand Stigma, Language, and Enhance Communication”</i>	Sue Feldman, PhD, <i>Professor of Health Services Administration</i>
2:00pm – 2:15pm	Coffee Break	
Session 5: Panel Discussion: The Intersection of Housing and Substance Use Disorder		
<i>Moderator – Tina Kempin Reuter, PhD</i>		
2:15pm – 3:00pm	Jesse Goldshear, PhD, <i>Postdoctoral Fellow in the UCSD School of Medicine</i>	
	Shellae Versey, PhD, <i>Associate Professor of Psychology, Fordham University</i>	
	Stefan Kertesz, MD, <i>Associate Professor of Preventive Medicine, UAB</i>	
	Courtney Riles, <i>Client Care Supervisor at One Roof</i>	
	Kathie Hiers, <i>CEO of AIDS Alabama</i>	
Session 6: Community-based participatory research methods in SUD Research		
<i>Introductions by Tina Kempin Reuter, PhD</i>		
3:00pm – 3:30pm	<i>“Conducting Community Engaged Research with People Who Use Drugs”</i>	Emma Kay, PhD, <i>Associate Professor of Nursing – Acute, Chronic, and Continuing Care, UAB</i>
3:30pm – 4:00pm	<i>“Lessons Learned in Community-Engaged Research”</i>	Donny Gerke, PhD, <i>Assistant Professor of Social Work, UAB</i>