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12604 Quivira Road
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Thursday & Friday, August 4-5th, 2022

Presented by:

Brain Injury Association of Kansas & Greater KC
About the Conference

The Brain Injury Association of Kansas and Greater Kansas City is pleased to present our 14th annual Beyond Rehab: Succeeding at Life conference for professionals working with those who have experienced brain injury.

Conference Objectives

- Identify common effects of injury, including visual function and cognitive changes and discuss interventions for treatment
- Identify the caregiver role in rehabilitation as well as interventions for caring for the caregiver
- Discuss the effects of social isolation and the role of the community on quality of life
- Understand the long-term effects of COVID and how to treat

Who Should Attend?

Any professional who works with people who have brain injury, or who is interested in brain injury. Sessions will be of interest to a range of rehabilitation professionals including physical therapists, nurses, occupational therapists, speech language pathologists, social workers, cognitive rehabilitation therapists, case managers, life care planners, vocational rehabilitation specialists, neuropsychologists, counselors, mental health professionals, physicians, special education teachers, and others who serve individuals with brain injuries and their families.

Current trends, research and therapy techniques will be discussed, including personal stories from survivors. Vendors representing a wide range of services, equipment and products will be available.

Conference Materials

Participants are encouraged to use the mobile app, available 2 weeks before the conference, to view presentations.

Wednesday Evening Reception

All attendees are invited to a pre-conference reception on the evening of August 3rd from 6:00pm-8:00pm at the Marriott Hotel. Please stop by our Hospitality Suite (room number tbd) for appetizers, beer and wine.
Keynote Speakers

Al Condeluci, PhD
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Dr. Al Condeluci has been a leader in community building, human services and inclusive advocacy work for the past 50 years. Holding a PhD and MSW from the University of Pittsburgh, Dr. Condeluci has been the CEO of CLASS (Community Living and Support Services) a major nonprofit, community building organization in Pittsburgh, PA from 1973 to 2019. He holds faculty status at the University of Pittsburgh in the Schools of Social Work, and Health, Rehab Sciences and is author of 7 books including the acclaimed, Interdependence: The Route to Community (1995) and Social Capital: The Key to Macro Change (2014). In 2018, he received the “Key to the City of Pittsburgh,” the highest civilian honor that can be given to a community member. He serves as a consultant, advisor, and human service coach and is on a number of nonprofit boards and government commissions on state, local and national levels. He helped found, and convenes the Interdependence Network, an international coalition of professionals, family members, and consumers interested in community engagement and macro change.

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Continuing Education

This course is offered for up to 13.0 hours (both days attendance) of continuing education units.

Nurses
Pending approval from CMSA-KC, approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Kansas State Board of Nursing, approved provider number: LT 0206-0606.

Occupational Therapists
This program is approved by KOTA for 11.75 Class 1 contact hours.

Physical Therapists
This program is approved by KPTA for 11.75 continuing education contact hours.

Social Workers
This program is approved by the National Association of Social Workers (Approval # 886535352-9665) for 12.5 continuing education contact hours.

Speech Language Pathologists

Please note, all attendees are required to sign attendance rosters each day. Nurses must sign in both morning and afternoon.
Conference Location

All conference activities will be held at the KU Edwards Campus, BEST Conference Center, located at 12600 Quivira Road, Overland Park, KS 66213.

Please note, KU currently has the following policies:

- Masks are required indoors. They may be removed when actively eating or drinking.
- The most updated information regarding public health policies can be found here: https://edwardscampus.ku.edu/protect
- No smoking on campus.
- Please try to have appropriate physical distance between others.
- Please park in ‘Lot B’ off 125th Street - https://edwardscampus.ku.edu/event-space-campus-map
- Please dress in layers. Room temperature will be maintained at 69°F-72°F.

Lodging

A block of hotel rooms for conference attendees have been reserved at the Marriott Hotel, 10800 Metcalf Ave., Overland Park, KS for August 3- August 6. These rooms have a reduced rate of $129/night and include free parking. Free WiFi is included for Marriott Rewards members. To guarantee rate, make your reservations by July 22nd. To receive this discounted rate, call the Group Reservations Department at 800-228-9290 or 913-451-8000 and specify you are with the Brain Injury Association of Kansas and Greater Kansas City group or register online: https://www.marriott.com/events/start.mi?id=1654088750144&key=GRP

EARLY DEPARTURE FEE

In the event that a guest who has reserved a room within Group’s block checks out prior to the guest’s reserved checkout date, an early departure fee of one nights room and tax will be charged to that guest’s individual account. Guests wishing to avoid this fee must advise Hotel at or before check-in.
Conference Registration

Advance registration required. Fee includes materials, meals and breaks, and continuing education credit for those eligible. For a complete list of fee options please see the registration form. In an effort to keep costs down, written confirmations will not be sent unless requested in writing. To register, mail or fax the completed registration form with payment to the address listed on the form; fax to 1-913-754-8890 or register online at: https://reg.bravuratechnologies.com/events/braininjury2022/a6df0f77-c6c7-a4a1-949a-b92dd70dc997/open

Refund/Cancellation Policy: a refund of registration fees, less a $25 administrative fee, will be available if requested in writing and received by 7/21/2022. A $35 fee will also be charged for returned checks.

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Early Registration-Postmarked by July 25:
Registration fee for both days: ____ $250
Registration for one day only: ____ $175

____ Thur. only  ____ Fri. only

Postmarked after July 25:
Registration fee for both days: ____ $275
Registration for one day only: ____ $190

____ Thur. only  ____ Fri. only

Student discount: ____ $125 both days
Must present ID; no CEUs will be awarded

Please complete form and mail it to:
Brain Injury Association of Kansas and Greater Kansas City
6701 W. 64th St., Suite 120
Overland Park, KS 66202

Become a Professional Member of BIAKS at www.biaks.org and receive a discount on your registration ($30 for 2 days; $15 for one day).

Call 913-754-8883, x2 for more information.

Special Accommodations:
☐ Check here if you will need special accommodation. You will be contacted regarding your needs. Additional fees may apply.
Conference Agenda

Thursday, August 4, 2022

Up to 7.0 CEU’s, pending approval

Breakfast, Lunch and Snacks Provided

7:45-8:30  Registration/Browse Exhibits/Breakfast

8:15-8:30  Welcome, Opening Remarks and Introductions
Robin Abramowitz
Executive Director, BIAKS
Vickey Bartel
President, Board of Directors BIAKS

8:30-10:00  Addressing Loneliness and Social Isolation: The Key to a Better Life
Al Condeluci, PhD
University of Pittsburgh, **Sponsored by Minds Matter**

10:00–10:15  Break/Browse Exhibits/Network

10:15–11:15  Building Community through Social Capital
Al Condeluci, PhD
University of Pittsburgh, **Sponsored by Minds Matter**

11:15–12:15  COVID-19: Neurocognitive & Psychological Effects
Gordon Horn, PhD
NeuroRestorative

12:15–1:15  Lunch/Survivor Story/Browse Exhibits
Blake Lehmkuhl

1:15-2:15  Taking Care of the Caregiver
Clara Anderson Sainte, LCSW, LSCSW
ReDiscover Mental Health

2:15-3:15  Youth Violence Prevention: Merging the Science of Prevention
Malika Pritchett, PhD, BCBA, LBA-TX
University of Kansas

3:15-3:30  Break/Browse Exhibits/Network

3:30-4:30  Post-Traumatic Brain Injury Care
Stephanie Green, DO
Children’s Mercy Kansas City
Maria Korth, PhD
Children’s Mercy Kansas City
Conference Agenda

Friday, August 5, 2022

Up to 5.75 CEU’s, pending approval

Breakfast, Lunch and Snacks Provided

7:45-8:30  Registration/Browse Exhibits/Breakfast

8:15-8:30  Welcome, Announcements and Introductions
Robin Abramowitz
Executive Director, BIAKS

8:30-9:30  Gary Berger Memorial Lecture
Rehabilitation for Homonymous Hemianopia
Thomas Whittaker, MD, JD
University of Kansas Medical Center

9:30-10:30  Navigating Sexuality Following Medical Crisis
Taryn Acosta Lentz, PhD
University of Kansas Medical Center
Kimberly Wallace-Young, PhD
Healing Like Wildflowers, LLC

10:30-10:45  Break/Browse Exhibits/Network

10:45-12:00  Medical Marijuana - Delving into the Weeds
Kathy Collins, PharmD, BCPS
Craig Hospital

12:00-1:00  Lunch/Survivor Story/Browse Exhibits
Tyler Moss
Kansas City Missouri Police Department

1:00–2:00  Medication Management
Kathy Collins, PharmD, BCPS
Craig Hospital

2:00–3:00  Not Taking Responsibility Made Me a Better Therapist and Mentor
Laura Wehrli, PT, DPT, ATP
Craig Hospital

3:00–3:15  Door Prizes/Concluding Remarks/CEU Certificates
Faculty and Disclosures

Taryn Acosta Lentz, PhD

Dr. Taryn Lentz earned her doctorate from the University of Missouri at Kansas City. Her professional mission is to promote psychological healing and foster a safe space for people to address their needs. In the first meeting with a patient, their journey toward fulfillment begins with envisioning their best hopes for therapy to provide a roadmap of the steps that need to be taken to realize their desired future. She collaborates with patients to construct highly individualized and uniquely effective solutions for their problems by amplifying their inherent strengths and positive resources. Using a direct, yet empathetic style, she approaches each person with authenticity, curiosity and compassion. In service to women’s health patients who are receiving obstetrics and gynecology services, she offers individual and couples/family therapy, as well as sex therapy. She also facilitates clinical hypnosis for pain and writes hormone replacement therapy and gender-confirming surgery referral letters in accordance with WPATH standards of care. She is deeply committed to helping patients heal and thrive as they cope with sexual concerns and reproductive challenges, such as infertility, high-risk pregnancy, postpartum depression and/or anxiety, pregnancy/infant loss and menopause. She is passionate about providing mental health services to transgender patients and offers a safe, therapeutic environment where they feel affirmed, respected and appreciated for their courage and resolve. No relevant financial or nonfinancial relationship exists.

Clara Anderson Sainte, LCSW, LSCSW

Clara Anderson Sainte, LCSW, LSCSW, she/her/hers, is the Diversity & Inclusion Specialist with ReDiscover Mental Health. She is also a therapist in private practice with CenterPoint Counseling & Recovery and trained as a Grief Recovery Specialist. Clara serves the community through a variety of roles: 6th District Commissioner City of Kansas City’s LGBTQ Commission, Chair of Children’s Mercy’s Equity and Diversity Council; Big Brothers Big Sisters DEI Board Member; and healthcare instructor for Johnson County Community College. Clara previously served as a board member for KC Center of Inclusion and Mental Health America of the Heartland. Clara’s master’s degree in social work is from UMKC and she is an alumnus of Northwest Missouri State University. She spends time away from work with her husband and their children enjoying their favorite spots around KC. No relevant financial relationship exists. A nonfinancial relationship exists as Ms. Sainte is related to a conference committee member.
Faculty and Disclosures

Kathy Collins PharmD, BCPS

Kathy Collins is a Senior Clinical Pharmacist at Craig Hospital, a national leader in research and treatment of patients with spinal cord and brain injuries. Dr. Collins earned her Doctor of Pharmacy degree from the University of Colorado and is a Board Certified Pharmacotherapy Specialist. She is a clinical instructor for University of Colorado and Regis University’s Schools of Pharmacy. Dr. Collins has been a pharmacist in community and hospital settings for over twenty years and presently has an active inpatient and ambulatory clinical practice. She has extensively presented on the topic of medication use and safety including the topic of cannabis. No relevant financial or nonfinancial relationship exists.

Al Condeluci, PhD

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Faculty and Disclosures

Stephanie Green, DO

Stephanie Green is a current Pediatric Rehabilitation Fellow at Children's Mercy Kansas City. She obtained a Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine degree from VCOM in 2017, and went on to complete Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation residency at the University of Louisville from 2018-2021. She looks forward to her completion of Pediatric Rehabilitation fellowship in June 2023. She specializes in the management of individuals with physical and intellectual disabilities. She cares for those with spasticity, brain injury, stroke, spinal cord injury, cerebral palsy, spina bifida, muscular dystrophy. She is skilled with procedures such as baclofen pump management and refills, botulinum toxin for spasticity, phenol neurolysis for spasticity, joint injections, MSK ultrasound, and electromyography (NCS/EMG). She enjoys working with adaptive sports athletes, and recently completed a research study showing the improvements of snow sport athletes in skill level, along with physical, emotional, independence, and cognitive scores. No relevant financial or nonfinancial relationship exists.

Gordon Horn, PhD

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Maria Korth, PhD

Dr. Korth is a pediatric neuropsychologist who has worked with children, adolescents and their families for over 25 years. Her areas of clinical interest are in acute traumatic brain injury, stroke, and concussion. She has served as the psychologist for the Inpatient Rehabilitation Medicine program at Children’s Mercy Hospital for over 15 years. She also started the Mild Brain Injury Clinic at CMH. Born and raised in New York, she has made Kansas City her home for nearly 25 years. No relevant financial or nonfinancial relationship exists.
Blake Lehmkuhl

On November 7, 2015, Blake, who was 11 years-old, was involved in a boating accident while at the Lake of the Ozarks. Blake suffered a severe traumatic brain injury, and was life-flighted to University Hospital in Columbia, MO. After spending 2 weeks on the ICU floor in Columbia, he was transferred by ambulance to Children’s Mercy Hospital in Kansas City, where he spent another 7 weeks in-patient on the rehabilitation floor. It was at Children’s Mercy that Blake’s family began to understand the severity of his injuries. Blake had to relearn everything from how to swallow to how to walk and everything in between. Since being discharged from the hospital, Blake has participated in thousands of hours of physical, occupational, and speech therapies. He has recovered physically and cognitively more than was originally thought possible, and he has continued to see improvements well past the original 2-year timeline his family was given. He believes that this is in large part due to the excellent medical care he has received, in combination with the work of the amazing therapists he has worked with in the past and continues to work with today. Blake has experienced first-hand how the lack of education surrounding traumatic brain injury effects survivors, and he feels that public speaking is one way that he can raise awareness and be a voice for those survivors who cannot speak for themselves. Blake graduated this year from Olathe Northwest High School and will be attending Johnson County Community College in the fall. No relevant financial or nonfinancial relationship exists.

Tyler Moss

A member of the Kansas City, MO police department, Tyler was shot in the head in July 2020 at a restaurant when he and his partner confronted an individual waving a gun. He was in a coma for more than 2 weeks and spent several more weeks at a rehabilitation hospital in Colorado. He continues to work at getting better and has resumed some part-time duties with the police department. He views each day as a gift. "I appreciate things a lot more. I'm very thankful for life in general. I don't take things for granted anymore." Tyler also has a message for those fighting through hard times, "Just keep your head up and if you're going through a struggling time, where things are hard, keep pushing through and things will come around." No relevant financial or nonfinancial relationship exists.
Faculty and Disclosures

**Malika Pritchett, PhD, BCBA, LBA-TX**

Dr. Malika Pritchett serves as an Associate Researcher for the Community Youth Development and Prevention Team within the KU Center for Community Health and Development and a lecturer for the KU Online Applied Behavioral Science Program. She received an AS degree from Collin College, a BS in Communication Sciences & Disorders from Texas Woman's University, a MS in Behavior Analysis from the University of North Texas, and a PhD in Health Services Research with a concentration in Behavior Analysis from the University of North Texas. Her research investigates oppressive, colonial research practices in the science of applied behavior analysis and the impact these practices have on establishing and perpetuating researcher-participant power imbalances. She utilizes a behavioral systems science approach, such as ecobehavioral analyses and interventions, to inform collaborative policies, strategies, and research practices that are interwoven with a commitment to social justice, including racial justice. Dr. Pritchett is a licensed and board-certified behavior analyst, her clinical experience spans various human services sectors including private practice, residential institutions, nursing facilities, municipalities, public schools, colleges, and universities. No relevant financial or nonfinancial relationship exists.

**Kimberly A. Wallace-Young, PhD**

Kim started her college career at Olivet Nazarene University then completed her undergraduate degree at the University of Iowa and doctorate at the University of Missouri – Kansas City. In 2004, Kim started her formal training as a sex therapist. For the majority of her career she worked at the University of Kansas Health System (starting in 2002). She continues to partner with the KU providers and work very closely with local acupuncturists, pelvic floor physical therapists and trauma therapists to provide care that attends to the whole person. Kim provides education in the form of lectures to medical student and professionals as well as providing local and national talks related to many sexual and gender topics. She has also created and hosted a sexuality conference at The University of Kansas School of Medicine. Kim’s hobbies include photography, gardening, vacations that include a bit of adrenaline, baking, being a sports spectator for several family members, and spending time with family and friends. No relevant financial or nonfinancial relationship exists.
Faculty and Disclosures

Laura Wehrli, PT, DPT, ATP

Laura Wehrli began her career in spinal cord injury rehabilitation at Mount Sinai Medical Center in New York, NY in 2000 and is currently the Director of Physical Therapy at Craig Hospital in Englewood, CO. Laura has spent most of her career working with patients with spinal cord injuries in both the inpatient and outpatient settings. She achieved her Assistive Technology Practitioner (ATP) certification in 2007 and became a Board Certified Neurologic Clinical Specialist (NCS) in 2016. She is a regular presenter with Spinal Cord Injury Seminars, Inc since 2008 and has also given lectures at many national and international conferences. Laura has assisted in editing chapters in several textbooks and is currently an associated faculty member for the University of Colorado PT program. She is now serving on the ASCIP Program Committee and is a member of the American Physical Therapy Association. No relevant financial relationship exists. A nonfinancial relationship exists as Ms. Wehrli serves as a program committee member for ASCIP as well as an educator for SCI Seminars.

Dr. Thomas Whittaker, MD, JD

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