



Social Determinants of Health: The 2023 Landscape

Wednesday, July 26 from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm CST
Erin's Pavilion, 4965 S. Second Street, Springfield, IL

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This day-long conference will give you a deeper knowledge and understanding of the various social factors that influence health outcomes. Presenters will share the work that is happening in Illinois to address these inequities effectively.

- 8:30 Illinois Behavioral Health Policy Landscape – Jill Hayden, Medicaid and Health Policy Executive, Sellars Dorsey** - This presentation will provide a comprehensive review of the behavioral health policy landscape in the State of Illinois. Topics will include new programs and policies in Medicaid; managed care; mental health; substance use; and children's behavioral health, along with ongoing barriers to care, including workforce shortages and infrastructure limitations.
- 9:15 Improving Access to Behavioral Health for Children and Adolescents, Dana Weiner, PhD, Children's Behavioral Health Transformation Director for the State of Illinois** – This presentation will raise awareness of public pathways for children and adolescents to receive community-based behavioral healthcare and identify resources available to assist communities with social determinants of health.
- 10:00 Break**
- 10:15 Illinois DocAssist: A Free Statewide Psychiatric Consultation Program – Rhapsody Mason, LCSW, Program Coordinator, Illinois DocAssist** - This presentation will offer information on the three main services offered by Illinois DocAssist including phone-based case consultation to healthcare providers, educational opportunities and resources and referral assistance.
- 10:45 What's Happening in Communities?
Engaging Communities to Improve Health Disparities – Anne Scheer, PhD, Assistant Professor of Population Science and Policy, SIU School of Medicine** - Dr. Scheer will provide information on the strategies she employed in Alton, IL to bring together a coalition working to mitigate health disparities in Black neighborhoods. She will discuss the process of leaning into the community to allow them to determine their own needs and come up with solutions.

10:45 **Addressing SDoH Through a Collaborative Behavioral Health Implementation Journey – Al Zwillig**, *Foundation and Community Outreach Director for Genesis Medical Center, Aledo* - This session will include a description and timeline of how Genesis Medical Center developed, implemented and continues to evolve a rural health behavioral health program that addresses SDoH through community collaboration.

Noon Lunch

1:00 **SDoH Coding – Jackie King MSHI, CCS, CPC, COC, CRHCP**, CEO of JLK Healthcare Consulting This presentation will focus on the fundamentals of clinical documentation and coding to properly capture and report SDoH ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes for our patients.

1:20 **Rural Crisis: Now Care for Everyone – Sarah Scruggs**, *Arukah Founder and Chief Executive Officer*; **Tom Kammerer**, *Arukah Support*; **Alison White**, *Recovery Support Services Supervisor* - This session will share information on the 988 mental health/substance use crisis call system for the State of Illinois and the Living Room for walk-in crisis care, addressing the successes/challenges of operating these high-capacity services in a rural landscape. Participants will leave being able to identify 988 providers in their rural area, what to expect from 988 providers in their area, and how to best leverage other components of the crisis continuum of care for their patients in order to reduce unnecessary Emergency Department visits and unnecessary interactions of patients with law enforcement or the justice system.

2:15 **Activating Hope – Kathryn Goetzke, MBA**, *Chairman and Chief Hope Officer at the Shine Hope Company* - Hopelessness is growing at unprecedented rates around the world, and yet we are never taught what it is and how to manage it. This session will explain the science of hope and how to use the powerful SHINE framework to transform your life and organization.



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5.5 for Nurses, LCSW

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