CALL FOR PRESENTERS: 4th Annual Pennsylvania LGBTQIA Health Conference

PA Department of Health, PA Department of Human Services and its Regional Partners, Adagio Health, Northwest Pennsylvania Tobacco Control Coalition, Southeast PA Tobacco Control Project and Bradbury Sullivan LGBT Center are pleased to announce a call for presentations for the 4th Annual Pennsylvania LGBTQIA Health Conference on June 2 and 3, 2019 at the Bayfront Convention Center in Erie, PA.

We invite you to submit an application to present information on the following topics related to the LGBTQIA population:

- Mental health and wellness
- Healthcare engagement and quality improvement
- Cultural competency and sensitivity training
- Other relevant topics will be considered

The conference will include topics relevant to all health professionals, public health specialists, and members of community-based organizations with an emphasis on the future of the LGBTQIA community.

Participant levels of knowledge will range from beginner to advanced and sessions should be designated as targeting a 100 level (Beginner) or 200 level (Advanced) audience.

Breakout Session

Presentations focused on creating welcoming environments, cultural competency, sensitivity, and inclusion in policies and procedures; programs highlighting considerations in transgender specific care, needs of LGBTQIA youth, adults or elderly; organizational initiatives including use of research and data collection and interventions to address social determinants or health disparities disproportionately affecting LGBTQIA persons.

The breakout session presenter will have a total of 60 minutes; 45 minutes for presentation and 15 minutes for question and answer.

Poster Session

Presentations focused on creating welcoming environments, cultural competency, sensitivity, and inclusion in policies and procedures; programs highlighting considerations in transgender specific care, needs of LGBTQIA youth, adults or elderly; organizational initiatives including use of research and data collection and interventions to address social determinants or health disparities disproportionately affecting LGBTQIA persons.

Posters will be displayed in the atrium for viewing, and designated times will be set for presenters to answer questions and talk with attendees.
**Presentation Application**

The information provided in the application will help the planning committee assure appropriateness of content and to make sure the information is relevant for the group. The conference planning committee is looking for presentations to document specific strategies and/or share tools that may be applicable within other communities or health care organizations.

In order to complete the application, you will need to include the following:

- Presentation title
- Three learning objectives
- Presenter bio (150 word maximum)

Criteria for evaluating the presentations will include:

- Topic relevance to providing services for the LGBTQIA community
- Support of increasing access and quality of care
- Ability to replicate or use information/design in health and community settings

**Process for Submitting a Presentation:**

- Complete the online form and print off a copy for your records.
- Assign no more than two presenters per submission
- Submit your presentation form by Friday, February 28, 2020
- Contact Kathryn Hartman at khartman@adagiohealth.org
Presentation Title:

Learning Objectives: (Must have 3)
At the end of this presentation, participants will be able to:
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Topic area(s) to be addressed:

Target Audience: (Check all that apply)
   ____ Public health professionals
   ____ Educators
   ____ Community organization specialists
   ____ Pharmacists
   ____ Tobacco Specialists
   ____ Behavioral Health Providers
   ____ Health Providers
   ____ Organization leaders
   ____ Other

Level of Knowledge for Session:
   ____ 100 Level (Beginner)
   ____ 200 level (Advanced)

Presentation Description and Description of teaching method(s) to be used:

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**Presenter 1**

First and Last name:

Degree(s) Credentials:

Professional Title:

Name of Organization:

Organization Address:

Email Address:

Phone:

Please provide a brief bio of the presenter 1 (150 word maximum):

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**Presenter 2**

First and Last name:

Degree(s) Credentials:

Professional Title:

Name of Organization:

Organization Address:

Email Address:

Phone:

Please provide a brief bio of the presenter 2 (150 word maximum):

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