



Summit Registration Form

Birmingham, Alabama ● July 13-14, 2016
Birmingham Crossplex
2331 Bessemer Rd, Birmingham, AL 35208

No More Martyrs, in partnership with the City of Birmingham, the Office of Mayor William Bell and the Birmingham City Council, is pleased to present the inaugural Minority Mental Health Awareness Summit in recognition of Minority Mental Health Awareness Month. This special event is scheduled for July 14, 2016 with pre-summit training available on July 13, 2016.

Given the number of mental health facilities that continue to close nationally and the increasing diversity of patients, the need for culturally competent mental health practitioners is essential to improving access to services. In addition to mental health professionals, the valuable voices of consumers, community organizers and religious leaders are necessary in order to encourage collaboration and innovation towards the development of new methods of support. Latino, Asian, African-American, LGBTQIA and various other speakers have been invited to share their perspectives on the importance of culturally responsive care and services.

This special event will offer interactive, community-centered opportunities to engage the field of mental health and diversity. We invite you to attend and hope to see you there!

Sincerely,

Nadia M. Richardson, PhD
Founder, No More Martyrs

Scholarship Application



COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF GREATER BIRMINGHAM

Thanks to the generosity of the Jefferson County Public Health Advised Fund and the Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham, need-based scholarships are available for mental health consumers who reside in Jefferson County to attend the Minority Mental Health Awareness Summit. **By definition, a mental health consumer is a person who is obtaining treatment or support for a mental disorder.**

About the Summit

The Minority Mental Health Awareness Summit is a unique national event that focuses on the importance of cultural competence in mental health care and advocacy. The summit is open to the public.

Who Should Attend

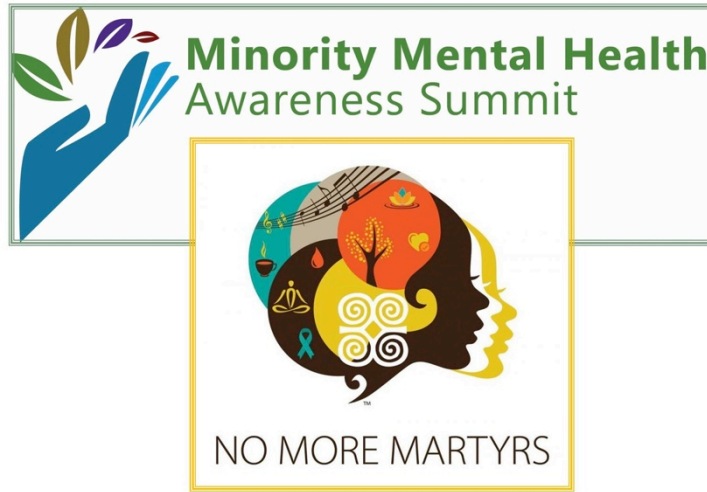
This event focuses on collaborative conversations about improving quality of mental care and dismantling stigma for minority populations. Target audiences include licensed mental health counselors, university students with interest in mental health, non-profit professionals, social workers, nurses, educators, consumers (and loved ones), mental health advocates, community health organizers and religious leaders.

Date: Thursday, July 14, 2016 (8:00am – 5:00pm)

Location and Parking: Birmingham CrossPlex
2331 Bessemer Road, Birmingham, AL 35208
Free parking available on site.

If you have any questions, please contact No More Martyrs at
NoMoreMartyrs@Valenrich.com or 205-440-2837.
Learn more at www.Valenrich.com/No_More_Martyrs.

To be considered for a Minority Mental Health Awareness Summit Scholarship,
please complete the application below.



Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City

State

Zip

Daytime Phone: _____

Please check all that apply:

1. I am a mental health consumer.

Yes No

2. I am resident of Jefferson County.

Yes No

3. I am a current or previous college student and Pell Grant Recipient.

Yes Current _____ Previous _____ No

4. I am a current or previous recipient of benefits through the Social Security disability insurance (SSDI) program.

Yes Current _____ Previous _____ No

5. I am a current or previous recipient of benefits through the Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program.
 Yes Current _____ Previous _____ No
6. I am a current or previous recipient of benefits through the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC).
 Yes Current _____ Previous _____ No
7. I am a current or previous recipient of benefits through the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher program.
 Yes Current _____ Previous _____ No
8. I am a current or previous recipient of benefits through the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP).
 Yes Current _____ Previous _____ No
9. I am a current or previous recipient of Medicaid benefits.
 Yes Current _____ Previous _____ No

I declare that the information provided on this form is true and correct.

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

Mail completed application to:

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Attn: Dr. Nadia Richardson
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Birmingham, AL 35220

Or email the completed form to

NoMoreMartyrs@Valenrich.com

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