



### **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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nadia M. Richardson".

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 service providers who provide services to clients in Jefferson County (Alabama) to attend the Minority Mental Health Awareness Summit. **Service providers include, but are not limited to, counselors, psychologists, therapist, nurses, social workers, peer support specialists, pastoral counselors, psychiatrists, etc.**

### 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

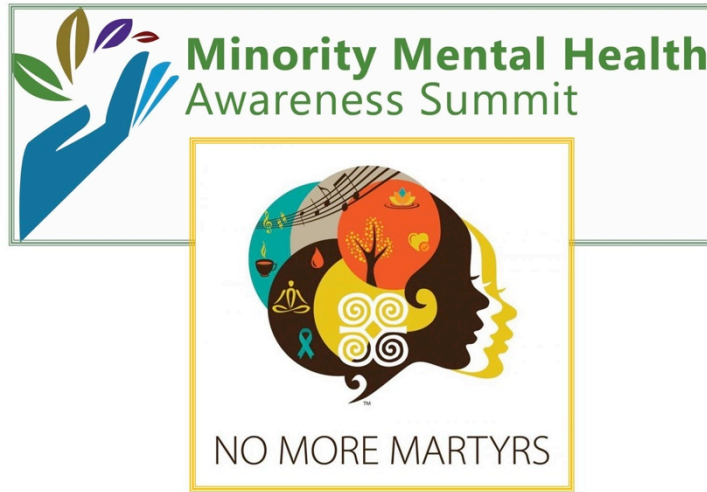
This event focuses on collaborative conversations about improving quality of mental care and dismantling stigma for minority populations. Target audiences include licensed mental health counselors, university students with interest in mental health, non-profit professionals, social workers, nurses, educators, 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  
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Learn more at [www.Valenrich.com/No\\_More\\_Martyrs](http://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: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City

State

Zip

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Please check all that apply:**

1. I am a mental health service provider serving residents of Jefferson County (Alabama).  
 Yes     No
2. I work for a nonprofit organization in Jefferson County (Alabama) with an annual budget of less than one million dollars.  
 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 Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC).  
 Yes Current \_\_\_\_\_ Previous \_\_\_\_\_  No
5. I am a current or previous recipient of benefits through the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher program.  
 Yes Current \_\_\_\_\_ Previous \_\_\_\_\_  No
6. I am a current or previous recipient of benefits through the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP).  
 Yes Current \_\_\_\_\_ Previous \_\_\_\_\_  No
7. 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:

No More Martyrs  
Attn: Dr. Nadia Richardson  
P.O. Box 94336  
Birmingham, AL 35220

Or email the completed form to

[NoMoreMartyrs@Valenrich.com](mailto:NoMoreMartyrs@Valenrich.com)

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