As psychiatrists, we strive to treat our patients in an ethical and respectful manner. We are also aware that inequity and healthcare disparities affect many of the patients we treat. This meeting will help psychiatrists to build their knowledge base in the intersecting areas of ethics and equity so they will be better equipped to provide the best care possible for the patients they treat.

SPEAKER:
REGINA JAMES, MD
Chief, Division of Diversity & Health Equity
Deputy Medical Director,
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8:30 am Welcome/Opening statement
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8:55 am Session 1 – “Choices—Psychiatry Ethics”
David Baron, MD

10:00 am Session 2 – “Social Media Ethics”
Christina Girgis, MD

11:05 am Morning Break

11:15 am Networking Event using Gatherly

12:15 am Lunch on Your Own

12:45 pm Session 3 – “Reflect, Integrate & Execute: Moving from Strategic Planning to Action APA Division of Diversity and Health Equity”
Regina James, MD

1:50 pm Session 4 – “We Need Medicare For All”
Susan Rogers, MD

2:55 pm Afternoon Break

3:05 pm Chocolate Tasting

3:55 pm Awards Ceremony

4:25 pm Improv Comedy Show
The Therapy Players

5:25 pm Closing Remarks
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REGINA JAMES, M.D. serves as the APA’s Chief of the Division of Diversity and Health Equity and Deputy Medical Director responsible for ensuring that diversity and mental health equity objectives are valued and operationalized as vital components of the organization’s mission. Dr. James is a child and adolescent psychiatrist with over 25 years of experience, providing leadership and direction in the planning, policy development and implementation of national and international health disparity programs and initiatives for children and families. She completed a residency in general psychiatry and fellowship in child and adolescent psychiatry at the Cleveland Clinic Foundation and completed leadership training at the Harvard Kennedy School Executive Education Program. She has lectured and published in the areas of health and healthcare disparities.

DAVID BARON, M.D. is the Medical Director for Yellowbrick Treatment Center and is a member of the faculties of Rush University and Rosalind Franklin University/the Chicago Medical School. As Clinical Assistant Professor at the Chicago Medical School Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, he supervised psychiatric residents in their community psychiatry rotation for 15 years. Dr. Baron received his B.A. in Psychology (magna cum laude) and M.D. degrees from Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio. Dr. Baron went on to complete his psychiatry residency at Tufts/New England Medical Center in Boston, Massachusetts. He served on the Ethics Committee of the Illinois Psychiatric Society as a member from 2001 to 2006, and as Chairman from 2006 to 2011.

CHRISTINA GIRGIS, M.D. is nationally known as a psychiatrist, innovator and leader practicing psychiatry in the Chicago area for 11 years. Her roles include Medical Director of the Consultation-Liaison Psychiatry Service at Edward Hines Jr. VA Hospital and Associate Director of the Psychiatry Residency Program at Loyola University Medical Center (LUMC). Dr. Girgis completed residency at Rush University Medical Center and fellowship in Primary Care and Mental Health Integration at University of Illinois at Chicago. Since 2015 Dr. Girgis has united 20,000+ physicians in her Psychiatry Facebook groups to teach, engage, and improve the treatment provided to patients every day. In 2016 she was a National Finalist in the first APA Innovation Lab Contest. An expert on social media and psychiatry, Dr. Girgis has spoken nationally at academic institutions, presented workshops at national society meetings and published peer-reviewed articles on the topic.

SUSAN ROGERS, M.D. is president of Physicians for a National Health Program which is a national organization whose mission is to advocate for Single Payer/Medicare for All. Dr. Rogers received her medical degree from the University of Illinois College of Medicine and completed her residency in Internal Medicine at Cook County Hospital. She has spent most of her career at Stroger Hospital of Cook County where she was a PCP in a neighborhood clinic before becoming a hospitalist and Director of Medical Student Programs for the Dept of Medicine. Dr. Rogers retired in 2014 but remains a voluntary attending. She continues as active faculty at Rush University in Chicago as an Assistant Professor of Medicine. She is a past co-president of Health Care for All Illinois.

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Chef Uzma Sharif came from humble beginnings. Being raised by a working single mother, she started in the kitchen at an early age. Her Grandfather was a renowned pastry chef in Pakistan with recipes passed down to the next generation. Cooking came naturally to her and after working in kitchens she enrolled in culinary school and fell in love with chocolates and pastries. She was also an adjunct faculty member at Triton College for seven years, teaching chocolate and pastry. While at Triton she opened Chocolat Uzma and it is at her shop, where she can share her love of chocolates with everyone. http://www.chocolat-uzma.com/

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