

Promoting TD Education Throughout the Year and Throughout the Community

A program of the Center for Patient Advocacy Leaders (CPALs)

September 21, 2023 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm ET A Virtual Event

This event intends to build on previous CPALs events that were designed to best educate the community about Tardive Dyskinesia (TD). The webinar will highlight experiences and best practices from NAMI organizations, and how to put the TDAW Toolkit into action to maximize awareness and education efforts throughout the year. There will be a special focus on outreach to different segments of the community and how to address TD in non-traditional, underserved and communities of color in a culturally sensitive way.

OBJECTIVES

- © Continue to build and strengthen the TD Education and Awareness Network growing out of the NAMI TD Grant Program.
- Identify "evergreen" (year-round) activities from the TDAW Toolkit that can be implemented during Mental Illness Awareness Week 2023.
- Examine TD awareness building best practices and opportunities in community and non-traditional settings.
- Explore how to best address TD in non-traditional, underserved and communities of color in a culturally sensitive way.

1:00 pm – 1:10 pm *Opening/Welcoming Remarks*

Moderator: Ray Merenstein

Executive Director, NAMI Colorado

1:10 pm – 1:25 pm The TDAW Toolkit: Making TD Education and Awareness a Year-round Activity

Aimee White

Director, Corporate Communications, Neurocrine Biosciences





1:25 pm – 1:50 pm Working with Legislators, Community Organizations, and Law Enforcement

Greg Hansch

Executive Director, NAMI Texas

Brad Leonhard

Executive Director, NAMI Fond du Lac County (Wisconsin)

1:50 pm – 2:15 pm *Outreach to Communities of Color and Underserved Populations*

William "Byl" Boyd, III

Education Director/Special Projects, NAMI Abilene (Texas)

Maggie Luo

Associate Director of Outreach and Communications, NAMI New Jersey

Melanece Walker

Statewide Coordinator of the AACT-NOW program (African American

Community Together NOW), NAMI New Jersey

2:15 pm – 2:30 pm Building a Learning Community with NAMI TD Grantees

Group discussion of ideas for collaborating and sharing information/best practices

to maximize TD awareness and education efforts throughout the year.

2:30 pm *Event Concludes*

