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8th Annual T.H.I.N.K. Academy

Friday, November 8, 2024

Agenda

9:30-10:00 am	Breakfast/Registration/Networking
10:00-10: am	Welcome to T.H.I.N.K Academy Mellisa Wheeler, BSW, MHA, Director of Disparities and Outreach, Atrium Health Levine Cancer
10:10-10:55 am	Cancer Health Equity in Action: Integrating Research, Navigation, and Outreach Marjory Charlot, MD, MPH, MSc Associate Professor - Medicine, Founding Director – Cancer Research Equity and Advocacy Through Engagement (CREATE), Assistant Director - Community Outreach and Engagement, UNC Lineberger Comprehensive Cancer Center
10:55-11:50 am	Renacer: A Culturally Tailored Approach to Improving Outcomes Latino Communities Magbis N Love, MHR, Levine Cancer Atrium Health
	How Live Therapeutic Music is Uplifting Cancer Survivors & Thrivers Ana Lucia Divins, Certified Music Practitioner (Therapeutic Singer)
	ArtRebirth: Healing Through Art Edwin Gil, Art Therapist Certified
11:50-12:00 pm	Break
12:00-12:45 pm	Reproductive Cancer Disparities in Transgender People Casey Mesaeh, CTH Administrative & Community Education Coordinator, Charlotte Transhealth
12:45-1:20 pm	Lunch and Community Partner of the Year Award
1:20-2:05 pm	Effectively Utilizing People-centered Advocacy to Achieve Policy Wins that Address Equity Nicole Dozier, BA, Director-Health Advocacy Project, NC Justice Center
2:05-2:50 pm	Caring for the Caregiver: Advancing Health Equity While Managing Change, Stress and Workplace Demands Montina Myers-Galloway Founder, NC Licensed Clinical Mental Health, SC Professional Counselor
2:50-2:55 pm	Connect to Purpose Mable Hemphill
2:50 pm	Wrap-up and Closing Remarks Mellisa Wheeler, BSW, MHA