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Cultural Competency: Training and Program Evaluation
March 18, 2016, 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.
~Reception Follows~
Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandel Community Studies Center Room 115

Planning, Implementing and Evaluating Cultural and Linguistic Competency for Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children and Families

Vivian Jackson, MSW, PhD 2008, LISW
This session will present the framework and lessons learned from planning, implementing and evaluating cultural and linguistic competence training (CLC) at organizational and systemic levels. The evolving research knowledge base and the contributions of implementation science to this emerging field will be presented.

Vivian Jackson is Assistant Professor at the National Center for Cultural Competence, Georgetown University Center for Child and Human Development and the National Technical Assistance Center for Children’s Mental Health, where she provides technical assistance and consultation related to cultural and linguistic competence for the SAMHSA Children’s Mental Health Initiative. She received her MSW from Howard University and her Ph.D. in Social Welfare from the Mandel School.

Cultural Considerations in Planning and Implementing Program Evaluations

Toby Martin, MSSA 1998, PhD 2007
This session will discuss cultural considerations facing evaluators, consultants and advisors as they work with stakeholders. Issues to consider during the planning and implementation phases and methods to address unanticipated cultural concerns which may arise during a project will be included.

Toby Martin is Senior Research Scientist in The Evaluators’ Institute at the George Washington University in Washington, DC, and has extensive expertise in program evaluation, using both qualitative and quantitative methodologies. She received both her MSSA and a Ph.D. in social welfare from the Mandel School.

Students: Join the speakers for “Advice from Mandel School Graduates,” an informal session at 1-2 p.m. in the Mandel Center Lounge prior to the colloquia.

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