

## Quick Overview

### COVID-19 PROTECTIONS

**MASKS** must be worn while indoors at the convention center except when eating and drinking. **TEMPERATURE SCREENINGS** of all attendees will be conducted upon entry/re-entry to the convention center. **HAND SANITIZER** will be provided in the conference bags and throughout the convention center. **SOCIAL DISTANCING** will be encouraged. **CLEANING/SANITIZING** in high-touch areas will be performed by convention center staff throughout the day.



South Carolina  
HIV, STD and  
Viral Hepatitis  
Conference

### SESSION ROOM CAPACITY

We've posted the maximum room capacity (max. = #) for each session room in the following schedule. These maximums will be strictly adhered to. Thanks for your cooperation and understanding.

### BREAKFAST

We encourage participants to arrive early and enjoy their breakfast at seating available throughout the convention center. Comfortable seating is available on the lower level. Upstairs, table seating is available outside of the Cafe and the ballroom, as well as outside on the patio terrace.

### LUNCH

We encourage participants to pick up their "to go" lunch outside the Columbia Ballroom upstairs and enjoy their lunch at seating available throughout the convention center. Comfortable seating is available on the lower level. Upstairs, table seating is available outside of the Cafe and the ballroom, as well as outside on the patio terrace.

### OUR "NO SMOKING" POLICY

This annual conference is a non-smoking event. Accordingly, no smoking will be allowed in any conference areas, including the registration area, the exhibit hall, the meeting rooms, the restrooms, or in the convention center corridors. Persons who wish to smoke may do so outside the convention center if care is taken to dispose of cigarette butts and other trash responsibly. Thank you for being considerate of others.

### CELL PHONES

It is both distracting and rude to the presenters and other attendees to use cell phones while attending sessions. Please place all cell phones on vibrate and, if need be, take all calls out of the session rooms.

### NEED HELP?

Can't find a session or restroom? Look for our staff or Planning Committee members wearing GREEN ribbons on their badge, and they will gladly assist you.

## Wednesday, October 20

8:00am – 8:50am	<b>Registration near the Escalator (Downstairs); Continental Breakfast and Exhibits in Richland (Downstairs); and Vaccinations outside Richland (Downstairs)</b>						
9:00am - 10:10am	<b>*Door Prize – 9am*</b> <b>Keynote Addresses in Columbia Ballroom (Upstairs)</b> <i>SC COVID in 2019 and beyond: Overwhelmed and yet overcoming challenges</i> Allison Eckard, MD, Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, SC						
10:10am - 10:30am	<b>Break/Visit Exhibits in Richland (Downstairs); Vaccinations outside Richland (Downstairs)</b>						
	<b><u>Downstairs</u></b>				<b><u>Upstairs</u></b>		
<b>ROOMS</b>	<b>Lexington A</b> (max.= 60)	<b>Lexington B</b> (max. = 52)	<b>Congaree</b> (around corner from Richland; max. = 54)	<b>Carolina</b> (near escalator; max. = 47)	<b>Hall of Fame</b> (max. = 42)	<b>Lincoln</b> (max. = 34)	<b>Senate</b> (max. = 40)
10:40am - 11:40am	<i>Ending the epidemics: SC plan recognized by the Presidential Advisory Council on HIV/AIDS</i>	<i>Achieving health equity through statewide coordinated care networks (SW CEU)</i>	<i>SC Medicaid reforms and the impact on HIV health outcomes (Pharm CEU)</i>	<i>Class in session: Implementing HIV/STI prevention within rural HBCUs</i>	<i>Do it at home: Social marketing strategies to promote at-home HIV testing</i>	<i>Primary Care regardless of HIV Status with keynote speaker, Dr. Marye Bernard</i>	<i>No session scheduled</i>
11:50am - 12:50pm	<i>La Platica – A conversation in the village square</i>	<i>Evaluating HIV Care Utilizing a Telehealth Model during COVID-19 (SW CEU)</i>	<i>HIV Update 2021 (Pharm CEU)</i>	<i>Bicillin 2.4: Helping to stop the rapid rise of syphilis</i>	<i>Trauma-informed Care</i>	<i>Developing the viral hepatitis strategic plan: A community-driven approach to elimination planning</i>	<i>An informal conversation with keynote speaker, Dr. Allison Eckard</i>
12:50pm – 1:10pm	<b>Luncheon “to go” plates for pickup outside Columbia Ballroom (Upstairs)</b>						
12:50pm- 1:30pm	<b>Luncheon Dining Options:</b> <u>UPSTAIRS:</u> Inside and outside Columbia Ballroom; Near the Café; Outdoor patio space across from Columbia Ballroom; and <u>DOWNSTAIRS:</u> Outdoor patio space across from Richland						
1:30pm- 2:30pm	<b>*Door Prize – 1:30pm*</b> <b>Keynote Speaker in Columbia Ballroom (Upstairs)</b> <i>Scared girls don’t deserve no victory, I know that’s right</i> Dr. Marye Bernard, Spirit Health, Memphis, TN <b>*Door Prize – 2:30pm*</b>						

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2:40pm – 3:40pm	<i>HCV treatment update 2021 (Pharm CEU)</i>	<i>ReConnect Us: A prison initiative</i>	<i>Expedited partner therapy: An overview for all stakeholders</i>	<i>The benefits of therapeutic journaling (SW CEU)</i>	<i>Fighting the tide: Aging well with HIV</i>	<i>Managing STI syndromes in the emerging landscape of antimicrobial resistance</i>	<i>No session scheduled</i>
3:50pm – 4:50pm	<i>Comparison of HIV PrEP-to-need ratios by literacy rates among South Carolina counties (Pharm CEU)</i>	<i>Addiction, opiates and addressing the epidemic</i>	<i>Universal hepatitis C virus screening in pregnancy</i>	<i>White privilege: Real or racist? (SW CEU)  <b>(max. for this session = 35)</b></i>	<i>Healthy bites to improve the fight</i>	<i>Making a difference: Impacting participation of racial and ethnic minorities in clinical trials</i>	<i>No session scheduled</i>
End of Day 1							



## Thursday, October 21

8:00am – 8:50am	<b>Registration near the Escalator (Downstairs); Continental Breakfast and Exhibits in Richland (Downstairs); Vaccinations outside Richland (Downstairs)</b>						
9:00am – 10:10am	<b>*Door Prize – 9am*</b> <b>Keynote Address in Columbia Ballroom (Upstairs)</b> <i>To End HIV in the US, We Must End HIV in the South</i> <i>Justin C. Smith, Director, Campaign to End AIDS, Positive Impact Health Centers and Member of the Presidential Advisory Council on HIV/AIDS</i>						
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10:40am – 11:40am	<i>Equity in action: Latinx cultural responsiveness utilized withing HIV/STD healthcare – Part 1</i>	<i>HIV &amp; aging focus group (only for PLWH aged 50+)</i>	<i>BDSM 101: Feathers and ice and everything nice – Demystifying BDSM</i>	<i>White privilege: Real or racist? (SW CEU)</i>  <b>(max. for this session = 35)</b>	<i>Opt-out HCV screening in rural and urban emergency departments in SC</i>	<i>“Ground zero lessons” with keynote speaker Denise Stokes</i>	<i>Hit me with your best shot: Cabotegravir/ Rilpivirine long-acting injectable (Pharm CEU)</i>
11:50am – 12:50pm	<i>Equity in action: Latinx cultural responsiveness utilized withing HIV/STD healthcare – Part 2</i>	<i>Women’s plan A &amp; plan B: HIV, sex and reproduction</i>	<i>Come as you are – Inclusion and BDSM practice</i>	<i>HIV and Black mental health at the intersection (SW CEU)</i>	<i>Virtual outreach using dating apps for HIV/STI prevention during COVID-19</i>	<i>“Ending the HIV epidemic in the South: The plan ahead” with keynote Justin Smith</i>	<i>Novel therapies for HIV treatment and prevention (Pharm CEU)</i>
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1:30pm- 2:30pm	<b>*Door Prize – 1:30pm*</b> <b>Keynote Speaker in Columbia Ballroom (Upstairs)</b> <i>Zero new infections!</i> <i>Denise Stokes, Motivational Speaker and Author of “From the Crack House to the White House: Turning Obstacles into Opportunities”</i>						
2:30pm – 2:45pm	<b>*Door Prize – after closing remarks*</b> <b>Closing Remarks</b>						
End of Day 2 – Thank you for a great conference and wishing you safe travels!							
<b>Mark your calendar for next year’s conference: Tentatively scheduled for October 26 &amp; 27, 2022 – See you then!</b>							