

# Medical Training SAVE THE DATE

## The African American Patient: Intersection of Race, Psychiatry, Medicine and Pharmacology

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**DATE: Wednesday, March 25, 2020**

**TIME: 9:00am - 12:00 pm**

Sign in begins at 8:30am; training starts promptly at 9:00am

**LOCATION: 2000 Embarcadero, Ste. 400  
Gail Steele Room, 5th Floor, Oakland, CA 94606**

**Audience:** All prescribers of HCSA/ACBH and contracted CBO staff are invited and highly encouraged to attend.

**Description:** This training will engage participants in a series of activities, and discussions that will increase their awareness and sharpen their skills in working with African American patients to decrease the barriers to treatment and increase positive outcomes in mental health settings.

**Trainer(s):** Lester E. Love, MD & Shadi Doroudgar, PharmD

**Learning Objectives** – After this training, participants will be able to:

- 1) Recall barriers African American (AA) patients encounter when seeking health care
- 2) Identify the practitioner's role in patients' perception of care
- 3) Compare differences in psychiatric care of AAs and Caucasians
- 4) Specify at least three ways in which race and racism have influenced psychiatric diagnosis and treatment of African American patients
- 5) Cite the diagnostic criteria for hypertension, and name which classes of antihypertensive medications have been shown to be especially effective, or ineffective, in African-American patients (based on the most recent American Heart Association Guidelines)
- 6) Name the five potential components of metabolic syndrome, make the diagnosis, and provide four ways in which psychiatric providers can assist in the treatment plan

**Food:** Breakfast will be provided by ACBH

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