COURSE DESCRIPTION:
This course will examine factors that contribute to anxiety disorders among African American youth and young adults along with clinical strategies to promote wellness, mental health, and resilience in this population.

TARGET AUDIENCE:
Community-Based Organizations and ACBH contracted Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Provider staff.

MEASURABLE LEARNING OBJECTIVES:
- Identify three anxiety disorders seen in children that are included in The American Psychiatric Association’s Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, Fifth Edition (DSM-5)
- Evaluate how two social determinants of health (SDOH) influence the risk of anxiety disorders in African American youth and young adults.
- List three antidepressant classes that are indicated for the treatment of anxiety in youth.
- Identify two ways that stigma awareness may affect academic anxiety in African American youth.
- Describe two practical tips and strategies parents and teachers can use to provide mental health education about anxiety in youth and young adults

ABOUT THE PRESENTERS
Dr. Delane Casiano is an adult psychiatrist in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. With a specialization in cultural psychiatry and women’s mental health, Dr. Casiano has worked with ethnically diverse populations in a multitude of health care settings. Through her work, she is helping women overcome challenges with depression and other mental health problems. Such professional and governmental organizations as the American Psychiatric Association and the National Institute of Mental Health have recognized her research examining cultural influences on mental health beliefs among African American women with depression. Dr. Casiano is a member of the American Psychiatric Association and Black Psychiatrists of America.

Dr. Karriem Salaam is a Board Certified in Adult and Child & Adolescent Psychiatry. He currently serves as the Medical Director of Adolescent Services at Friends Hospital in Northeast Philadelphia and as a Clinical Assistant Professor of Psychiatry at Drexel University College of Medicine in Philadelphia, from 2006 to present. Dr. Salaam has been a Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association since 2017. He is a founding member of Global Health Psychiatry, LLC. A company focused on decreasing the stigma of mental illness in communities of color, through education and community action, established in 2017.

Diagnosis and Management of Anxiety in African Americans: From Childhood to Young Adulthood.

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