



ETHICAL IMPERATIVES:

Serving Refugee and Immigrant Survivors of Torture and Trauma

AUGUST 6, 2020 VIA ZOOM

Includes 6 hours of Ethics Credit!

LOCATION	Join live via Zoom
DATE	Thursday, August 6, 2020
REGISTRATION PROGRAM	8:30 am–9:00 am 9:00 am–4:30 pm

EARLY REGISTRATION FEES THROUGH JULY 30, 2020

\$149.00	Program Fee
\$135.00	Group Rate (5 or more individuals from the same agency, registering and paying at the same time)
\$75.00	Peer Support Specialists
\$75.00	RN Refresher Students
\$75.00	Students (must provide student ID at check-in)
FREE	MAHEC Employees (must register to attend)

DESCRIPTION

Research indicates that immigrants and refugees experience disproportionately high rates of anxiety, depression, substance use, and other stress-related disorders. Immigrants and refugees also face a multitude of barriers to therapeutic services, including lack of culturally appropriate treatment and limited access to interpretation services.

During this workshop, Josh Hinson, MSW, LCSW, will focus on the immigrant and refugee experience in North Carolina and explore professional healthcare providers' ethical obligation to participate in their care. He will draw from the NASW Code of Ethics, which includes language on providing quality services for all, honoring diversity, embracing multicultural approaches, and obtaining education to understand oppression with respect to ethnicity and immigration status. He will also provide information and resources on best practices for working with refugees in North Carolina.

AUDIENCE

Targets mental health and substance use professionals—including psychologists, social workers, marriage and family therapists, licensed professional counselors, pastoral counselors, and substance use counselors—nurses, and other interested medical staff.

OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this workshop, participants will be able to:

- Explain how immigrants' and refugees' various legal statuses affect their access to healthcare services
- Describe the Triple Trauma Paradigm and the impact of trauma on the health outcomes of immigrants and refugees
- Examine and detail their organization's readiness and capacity to provide culturally sensitive services to immigrants and refugees
- Demonstrate knowledge of evidence-based, trauma-informed mental health screening instruments for immigrants and refugees
- Discuss ethical implications of organizational, local, state, and federal policies that limit immigrants' and refugees' access to healthcare services

FACULTY

Josh Hinson, MSW, LCSW, is a Clinical Assistant Professor at the UNC School of Social Work, where he serves as Program Director for the UNC Refugee Mental Health and Wellness Initiative. Josh began working with Cuban refugees in 1995 as a volunteer with Lutheran Family Services in Greensboro, NC. Since then, he has worked with indigenous community development organizations in Mexico; with Latino farmworkers in Eastern NC; as a social worker at a rural county department of social services; and as a mental health and substance use counselor with Spanish-speakers. Josh has served as the Principal Investigator for the UNC Global Transmigration–Refugee Mental Health and Wellness Initiative, a research project designed to assess the need for, feasibility, and acceptability of mental health services for refugees in North Carolina. The project began contracting with the North Carolina State Refugee Office in 2015 to provide mental health services to refugees in three counties.

AGENDA

8:30–9:00	Registration/Check-in
9:00–10:30	Module A: Who are Immigrants and Refugees? The NC Context
10:30–10:45	Break
10:45–12:15	Module B: Trauma Embedded in the Immigrant and Refugee Experience
12:15–1:15	Lunch
1:15–2:45	Module C: Using Evidence-based Screening Instruments with Immigrant and Refugee Populations
2:45–3:00	Break
3:00–4:00	Module D: Adapting Evidence-based Treatment Modalities in Practice with Immigrants and Refugees
4:00–4:30	Reflections from the Field and Q&A
4:30	Adjourn

This presenter is being supported through a partnership between the UNC-CH School of Social Work and the NC AHEC Program.

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