

Harm Reduction Summit

August 24th and 25th

Day 1 August 24th

9:00 – 9:10 a.m. **Welcome - Dr. Ezike**

9:10 – 10:00 a.m. **Panel – How to Build Your Agency**

Facilitator:

1. Joy Rucker, Founder of Texas Harm Reduction Alliance
2. Luke Tomsha, Founder of Perfectly Flawed foundation
3. Cheryl Hull, Deputy Director, Chicago Recovery Alliance
4. Karen Stanczykiewicz, Director of Community Relationships, Chicago Recovery Alliance

10:00 -10:50 a.m. **Panel – How Do We Elevate Their Voices**

Facilitator:

1. Luis Aponte, Outreach Coordinator, Live4Lali
2. Melissa Hernandez, The Puerto Rico project
3. Peter Moinichen, Co-founder Chicago Drug Users' Union, Drug Users Health Collective of Chicago

10:50 – 11:05 a.m. **Break**

11:05 - 11:55 a.m. **Panel - Data, Evaluation, Additional Resources and Solutions** - Forecasting and recommendations – using research to move harm reduction to the forefront

Facilitator:

1. Suzanne Carlberg-Racich, Chicago Recovery Alliance
2. Elizabeth Salisbury-Afshar, MD, MPH, Associate Professor, University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health, Department of Family Medicine and Community Health
3. Mary Pounder, Comer Foundation

11:55 to 12:30 p.m. **Lunch**

12:30 to 1:30 p.m. **Optional Breakout Rooms: Facilitated Small Group Discussions by Region**

Day 2 August 25th

9:00 – 9:10 a.m. **Welcome - Director Jones**

9:10 – 10:00 a.m. **Presentation - Harm Reduction Ideas that Need Legislative Support**

Chelsea Laliberte Barnes, Co-Founder & Advocacy Strategist, Live4Lali

10:00 -10:50 a.m. **Panel - Challenges Faced Around the State: Stigma, Medicalized Trauma, and Other Barriers**

Facilitator:

1. Thomas Huggett, M.D., M.P.H., Family Physician and Medical Director-Mobile Health, Lawndale Christian Health Center
2. Lyndsey Hartman, Founder and Director of Point to Point Kane County
3. Jen Nagel, Founder/Executive Director, The Porchlight Collective, SAP

10:50 – 11:05 a.m. Break

11:05 to 11:55 a.m. **Round Table Discussion – Community Engagement – Led by:**

Facilitator:

1. Chris Schaffner, Program Director, Jolt Harm Reduction
2. Vilmarie Fraguada-Narloch, PSYD, Director of Drug Education
3. Gabriela Zapata-Alma, Director of Policy and Practice on Domestic Violence and Substance Use, National Center on Domestic Violence, Trauma, and Mental Health

11:55 to 12:45 p.m. **Keynote Speaker - Monique Tula, Executive Director, National Harm Reduction Coalition**

12:45 to 1:00 p.m. **Closing remarks/Questions**

Pre-Recorded Webinars Uploaded to the Summit Website:

1. Harm Reduction 101 for Families
2. Harm Reduction 101 for Providers