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HOT TOPICS FOR RELIGIOUS PROFESSIONALS AND YOUTH: SUICIDE, CANNABIS, SEXUALITY/GENDER

September 13, 2019 | 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

An interfaith conference for religious leaders of all faiths who work with young people. Its purpose is to help equip religious leaders for conversations in the areas of youth suicide, cannabis and its implications, and LGBTQI+ and Transgender youth.

Theological perspective will be offered from Muslim, Jewish, and Christian perspectives.

Sponsored by Nationwide Children's Hospital departments of Psychiatry and Pastoral Care



Tifereth Israel

1354 E. Broad St. | Columbus, OH 43205

8:30 – 9:00 AM

CHECK-IN / GATHERING

9:00 – 9:15 AM

Welcome & Opening Remarks

Rev. Susan Kyser, M.Div., Director, Pastoral Care

Rev. Dr. Mary Lynn Dell, MD, DMin, Professor, Psychiatry & Pediatrics

David Axelson, MD, Medical Director, Behavioral Health Services

9:15 – 10:00 AM

Suicide and Adolescents

John Ackerman, PhD

Coordinator, Center for Suicide and Prevention Research

10:00 – 10:45 AM

Cannabis and the New Challenges

Steven Matson, MD

Director, Opiate Addiction Clinic – Division of Adolescent Medicine

10:45 – 11:00 AM

BREAK

11:00 – 11:45 AM

LGBTQI+ and Transgender Youth

Meredith Chapman, MD

Medical Director, Center for Suicide Prevention and Research

11:45 – 12:45 PM

LUNCH

12:45 – 1:30 PM

Theological Reflections

- Muslim: Malika Haque, MD – Nationwide Children's Hospital, Primary Care, Clinical Prof. of Pediatrics.
- Jewish: Rabbi Hillel Skolnik – Tifereth Israel
- Christian: Rev. John Wooden – Stone Village UMC

1:30 – 2:00 PM

Closing Discussion

Cost to Attend \$35 per person

Register and Reserve Your Seat at <http://bit.ly/2019PastoralCareConf>

Questions? Need Assistance? Contact Nationwide Children's Hospital Education at 614-355-0650