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Welcome to Kansas City, Missouri and the 2020 National EHDI Meeting!

In its 19th year, the EHDI Meeting has built a strong reputation for bringing together a wide variety of attendees including those who: work in state Early Hearing Detection and Intervention programs; assist in EHDI efforts on the federal level; provide screening, diagnostic and early intervention support at the state/ local level to young children with hearing loss and their families; champion Medical Home activities within each state; are parents of children with hearing loss; or are deaf or hard-of-hearing adults who are helping to expand opportunities for young children with hearing loss. EHDI Meeting participants will range from state and local programs to the federal level and from academics to families.

GOAL OF THE EHDI ANNUAL MEETING

The goal of this meeting is to enhance the implementation of comprehensive state-based Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EHDI) programs.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES FOR PARTICIPANTS

- Identify and promote knowledge and awareness of successful strategies for implementing comprehensive state-based EHDI programs that include screening, audiologic diagnostic evaluation, early intervention, medical home, reporting, tracking, surveillance, loss to follow-up issues, data integration, and other related surveillance components.
- Interpret and describe current research and research methods related to EHDI.
- Examine cultural competence of providers and assess their ability to work with children who are deaf or hard of hearing, their families, and communities.
- Discuss the importance of enhancing and creating new and ongoing working relationships among federal agencies, non-profit organizations, state health departments and educational agencies, advocacy groups, families, and professionals.

PRINCIPLES OF PARTICIPATION

The right to participate in the EHDI Annual Meeting is fundamental to ensuring open dialogue between all EHDI stakeholders. The Meeting Organizers encourage respectful dialogue as a key element of participation among all meeting participants. The EHDI Annual Meeting opposes the disruption of any meeting sessions or events that results in the inability for dialogue to take place. The EHDI Annual Meeting reserves the right to withdraw the name badge, and therefore deny access, to participants who do not adhere to these Principles of Participation.

ACCESSIBILITY GUIDELINES FOR EHDI MEETING PARTICIPANTS AND SESSION PRESENTERS

The EHDI Meeting Planning Committee has developed guidelines to maximize access for all participants in the EHDI Meeting. The Planning Committee has also developed a checklist for EHDI Meeting participants and session presenters to help us all prepare for an accessible meeting. See the link below for the checklist (PDF):

<https://ehdimeeting.org/includes/2020/ProgramParticipantChecklist2020.pdf>

Thank you all for helping make the valuable information and dialogue at the EHDI Meeting accessible to all participants.

ACCESSIBILITY SERVICES

If you noted through the EHDI Meeting registration process or made arrangements with the EHDI Meeting organizers in advance for services, please check in with staff at the EHDI Meeting registration desk when you arrive at the EHDI Meeting to confirm arrangements. Please see the EHDI Meeting staff if you encounter any problems during the EHDI Meeting or need further assistance.

If you have not arranged for services in advance, the EHDI meeting staff and organizers will do their best to accommodate requests onsite.

All continuing education forms, including instructions and requirements for CEU submissions, can be found at the EHDI Annual Meeting Registration Desk.

ALL Continuing Education forms MUST be submitted no later than March 20, 2020 or participants will be responsible for submitting to CEU organizations on their own. Submit forms at the registration desk OR by email to mandy.jay@usu.edu no later than March 20, 2020.



AG Bell Academy for Listening and Spoken Language

At the time this book was printed, the overall Meeting was pending approval for CE credits for Instructional Sessions and for the Meeting plenary and breakout sessions by the AG Bell Academy for Listening and Spoken Language. A list of approved sessions will be available at the Meeting.

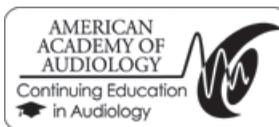
Information regarding Instructional Sessions and Meeting Sessions that have been approved for CE credits by the AG Bell Academy for Listening and Spoken Language is available at the EHDI Meeting registration desk. You will find instructions and required paperwork at the registration desk as well. Completed forms should be submitted to the registration desk prior to leaving the Meeting.

Illinois Early Intervention Training Program

At the time this book was printed, approval was pending to offer continuing education credit from the Illinois Early Intervention Training program for the 2020 EHDI Annual Meeting. If approved, sessions approved for credit will be found at <https://eitp.education.illinois.edu>. It is the responsibility of the individual to provide proof of attendance or completion of this activity to provider connections.

National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc. (NCHEC)

At the time this book was printed, approval was pending for NCHAM to be a designated provider and to offer CE credit from the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing, Inc. If approved, this program will be designated to offer Certified Health Education Specialists (CHES) and the list of approved sessions and required paperwork will be available at the EHDI Annual Meeting Registration Desk. Completed forms should be submitted to the registration desk prior to leaving the Meeting.



American Academy of Audiology

At the time this book was printed, approval was pending for NCHAM to offer continuing education from the American Academy of Audiology. If approved, the program will be worth a maximum of 2.5 CEUs (this includes up to 14.5 hours of Instructional Sessions.) Instructions and the required paperwork will be available at the registration desk. Completed forms should be submitted to the registration desk prior to leaving the Meeting.

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American Speech-Language-Hearing Association

If approved, this course is offered for up to 2.65 ASHA CEUs (Intermediate level, Professional area). The National Center on Hearing Assessment and Management has submitted an application to the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association to offer CEUs for the 2020 EHDI Annual Meeting. The program may be worth a maximum of 2.65 CEUs, if approved. Instructions and the required paperwork (ASHA participant form and instructions) are available at the registration desk. Completed forms should be submitted to the registration desk prior to leaving the Meeting.

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Antonia Brancia Maxon Award for EHDl Excellence

The **Antonia Brancia Maxon Award for EHDl Excellence** honors the career achievements of Dr. Antonia Brancia Maxon in promoting effective EHDl programs for all newborns, infants, and young children. Dr. Maxon was a visionary in EHDl programs, beginning with her leadership in the Rhode Island Hearing Assessment Project in the late 1980's. She was one of the first to recognize the feasibility and value of universal newborn hearing screening and was a tireless advocate for connecting screening programs with timely and appropriate diagnosis and early intervention.

Her extensive contributions to creating excellent EHDl programs were abruptly ended by a tragic automobile accident in May of 2007. In memory of her contributions, an **Award for EHDl Excellence** is presented at the EHDl Annual Meeting to honor an individual or group of people who have made a noteworthy accomplishment that contributed to achieving excellence in EHDl programs nationally or in a particular state or region of the country.

Presentation of the 2020 Award

Exhibit Hall Section B

Monday, March 9

5:15 PM

Antonia Brancia Maxon Award for EHDl Excellence

Past Recipients of the Antonia Brancia Maxon Award for EHDl Excellence

2019 Recipient: Lisa Kovacs
2018 Recipient: Robert Cicco
2017 Recipient: Linda Hazard
2016 Recipients: Irene Forsman and Susan Lenihan
2015 Recipient: Elizabeth Seeliger
2014 Recipient: Christine "Christie" Yoshinaga-Itano
2013 Recipient: Janet Farrell
2012 Recipient: Betty R. Vohr
2011 Recipient: Jean L. Johnson
2010 Recipients: Beth Benedict and Al Mehl
2009 Recipients: Leeanne Seaver and Janet DesGeorges
2008 Recipients: Judith Gravel and Mary Hartnett

Nominees for the 2020 Antonia Brancia Maxon Award for EHDl Excellence

Deb Behringer
Eleni Boston
Maria Cantu
Patti Martin
Lylis Olsen
Johnnie Sexton
Alyson Ward
Kathleen Watts

**Thank you to all who submitted
nominations for this year's award.**

More information about the accomplishments of each of the recipients of the Antonia Brancia Maxon Award for EHDl Excellence can be found at <https://ehdiconference.org/Award.cfm>

EHDI Family Leadership Award

2020 is the fourth year for the EHDI Family Leadership Award. During the last several decades it has become increasingly clear that EHDI only exists to improve the well-being of babies and families. Symbiotically, engaged families are central to the success of EHDI programs and more specifically to the success of children who are deaf or hard of hearing.

This award honors a parent or family member of a child who is deaf or hard of hearing for providing exemplary leadership in their state EHDI system and whose leadership has led to improved outcomes. The recipient was selected by NCHAM's Family Advisory Committee.

Presentation of the 2020 Award

Exhibit Hall Section B

Monday, March 9

5:00 PM

Past Recipients

2019 – Djenne-Amal Morris and Lesa Coleman

2018—Melissa Tumblin

2017—Lisa Adams and Janel Frost

Nominees for the 2020 Family Leadership Award for EHDI Excellence

Pamela Aasen

Shelli Janning

Kat Lowrance

Kathy Manfield

Sherri Nighbert

**Thank you to all who submitted nominations
for this year's award.**

More information about the accomplishments of each of the recipients of the Family Leadership Award for EHDI Excellence can be found at <http://ehdiconference.org/Award.cfm>

HRSA’s Vision for Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EHDI) Programs

The Maternal and Child Health Bureau of the Health Resources and Services Administration was an early proponent of universal newborn hearing screening beginning with their funding of the Rhode Island Hearing Assessment Program in the 1980’s. Since that time MCHB has provided continuous funding and support to reduce loss to follow-up, connect newborn hearing screening programs to the medial home, use quality improvement methods, and engage families. Future directions and initiatives to continually improve Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EHDI) systems will be discussed with suggestions for how various stakeholders can collaborate.



Dr. Michael Warren

Dr. Michael Warren became Associate Administrator of the Maternal and Child Health Bureau (MCHB), part of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services’ Health Resources and Services Administration, on October 15, 2018. MCHB’s mission is to improve the health of America’s mothers, children, and families. Its Title V Maternal and Child Health Block Grant Program provides health care and public health services for an estimated 56 million people, including pregnant women, infants, children, including children with special health care needs, and their families in the United States.

Dr. Warren manages MCHB's \$1.33 billion budget, providing vision and direction to ensure programs are planned and carried out effectively to achieve results. Dr. Warren’s impressive career in public health clearly demonstrates his passion and commitment to improving maternal and child health outcomes.

Before assuming his current role, Dr. Warren served as the Deputy Commissioner for Population Health at the Tennessee Department of Health. In this role, he made improvements in maternal and child health across the state in the areas of safe sleep policies, breast feeding rates, decreased early elective deliveries, newborn screening transit times, electronic systems for WIC and vital records registration, and establishing the first-ever real-time public health surveillance system for neonatal abstinence syndrome

As a board-certified pediatrician, Dr. Warren previously served as the Tennessee Department of Health Assistant Commissioner for Family Health and Wellness and as the Director of Maternal and Child Health. Prior to joining the Department of Health, he served as an Assistant Professor in the Department of Pediatrics at Vanderbilt and as Medical Director in the Governor’s Office of Children’s Care Coordination.

Dr. Warren graduated Summa Cum Laude with Honors in Psychology from Wake Forest University and earned his medical degree from the Brody School of Medicine at East Carolina University, where he was inducted into the Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society. He completed his pediatrics residency, Chief Residency, and fellowship in Academic General Pediatrics at Vanderbilt, where he also obtained a Master’s in Public Health. He is a fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics.

Dr. Warren has served as President for the Association of Maternal and Child Health Programs (AMCHP), the national professional organization for maternal and child health professionals. He was also appointed by the United States Department of Health and Human Services to the Secretary’s Advisory Committee on Infant Mortality (SACIM).



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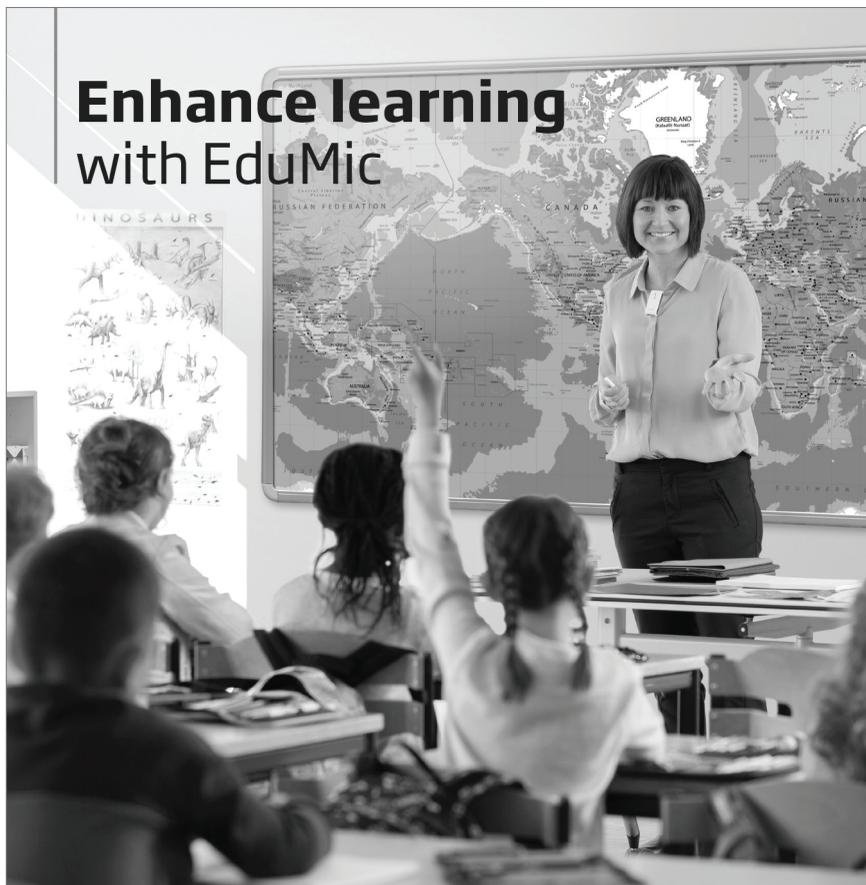
Survive and Thrive

We are all expected to be on the top of our game and take on the challenges that life presents to us, but managing them can be difficult. We are all too familiar with the stresses in life and the damage it can do to the biology and the psyche of a person. Resilience, solution-oriented thinking, positive attitude and decision-making with a strong dose of purpose is the foundation for mental fitness. That doesn't mean that things don't go wrong as they often do in life, but just surviving is not enough. It is also about thriving.



Eric Hipple

Eric Hipple is a former National Football League (NFL) quarterback whose ten year career was spent with the Detroit Lions. Hipple's accomplishments include two playoff bids, a divisional championship, and the Detroit Lion's Most Valuable Player award for the '81 season. From 1995-2000 Hipple was color analyst for the FOX NFL pre-game show in Detroit. Since his 15-year-old son Jeff's suicide, Hipple has devoted his life to building awareness and breaking down the stigma surrounding depressive illnesses. Hipple recently received an Honorary Doctorate for his work in Mental Health from Utah State University, his Alma Mater, the University of Michigan 2015 Nuebacher Award for work with stigma associated with disabilities, the Detroit Lions 2010 Courage House award, and the prestigious 2008 Life Saver Achievement award given by the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention. He co-authored a study examining depression among retired football players that appeared in the April 2007 issue of *Medicine & Science in Sports & Exercise*. He was awarded a presidential citation at the American Psychological Association's 2006 Annual Convention for his six years of national community-based work combating adolescent depression and suicide prevention. His message of resilience has provided mental fitness awareness to professional groups, military, law enforcement, schools, communities and through the "Under the Helmet" program, thousands of high school and youth coaches across the country. In conjunction with NAVY U.S. Fleet Forces, he has provided workshops on suicide and destructive behavior prevention during the last 10 years by focusing on Mental Fitness. His book "Real Men Do Cry" received a publisher Presidential Award. After retiring from University of Michigan's Comprehensive Depression Center, where he spent eleven years in outreach, Hipple is currently working to provide mental health awareness among military veterans, youth and in the workplace. Eric's commitment to helping others find a quality in life is demonstrated through his work with several nonprofits: After the Impact Fund, Center Neurological Studies, SPESA, and BeNice (a school based education program sponsored by the Mental Illness Resource Association).



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Putting Ourselves into the Story: Promoting Resilience for Children Who are DHH and their Families

What would happen if we enter radical relationships, pursue relentless collaborations, commit to dismantling harmful systems and structures, and envision an equitable future for all children who are deaf/hard of hearing (DHH) irrespective of race, family income, place of residence, language, gender, or social status? Examining the outcomes of the most vulnerable among us, we can see that our intervention systems have a long way to go to meet the needs of all children and families in our care. Yet, as early hearing detection and intervention (EHDI) stakeholders we must remain hopeful and committed to the individual and systems change required to achieve a future where all children and families can achieve their full potential.

This presentation will describe and define sources of adversity and the subsequent impact on child development. The Adverse Childhood Experiences Survey will be presented to appraise those sources of adversity and trauma which impact the children and families encountering EHDI systems. The impact of sustained early adversity on children and families will be examined through both neuro-developmental and family-systems approaches. Resources to aid in individual and systems change will be offered, including opportunities to identify one’s own bias, build authentic relationships, assess family-needs, provide short- and long-term resources, advocate, and promote the highest educational outcomes. EHDI participants will be called up on to name opportunities they have to influence family resilience and build organizational capacity within their own spheres of influence. After considering the systems designed to support learners who are DHH, participants are challenged to consider how child and family adversity is attended to, or not, in their own service delivery models.

How might we engage in honest self-reflection and open dialogue with one another, so we can create more equitable EHDI systems of support for children who are DHH and their families?



Jenna Voss

Fontbonne University

Jenna Voss, PhD, CED, LSLS Cert AVEd, is an Assistant Professor and Director of Deaf Education in the Communication Sciences and Disorders & Deaf Education program at

Fontbonne University. She received her undergraduate degree in Deaf Education, and her master’s degree in Early Intervention in Deaf Education from Fontbonne University. As a National Leadership Consortium in Sensory Disabilities (NLCSD) fellow, she completed her PhD in Speech and Hearing Sciences in the Program in Audiology and Communication Sciences at Washington University in St. Louis. She holds teaching certification in the state of Missouri in the areas of Deaf Education and Early Childhood Special Education. Her background, as a educator of the deaf and early intervention provider, has informed research interests including promoting resilience for children and families experiencing adversity, provider use of strategies and techniques implemented in family-centered practice, and interprofessional preparation of pre-service listening and spoken language (LSL) practitioners.



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EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT HALL A

The 2020 EHDI Meeting Planning Committee would like to express their appreciation to all of the following exhibitors for supporting the EHDI Meeting. Exhibits will be open:

Sunday, March 8
6:00 PM–8:00 PM

Monday, March 9
7:15 AM–5:30 PM

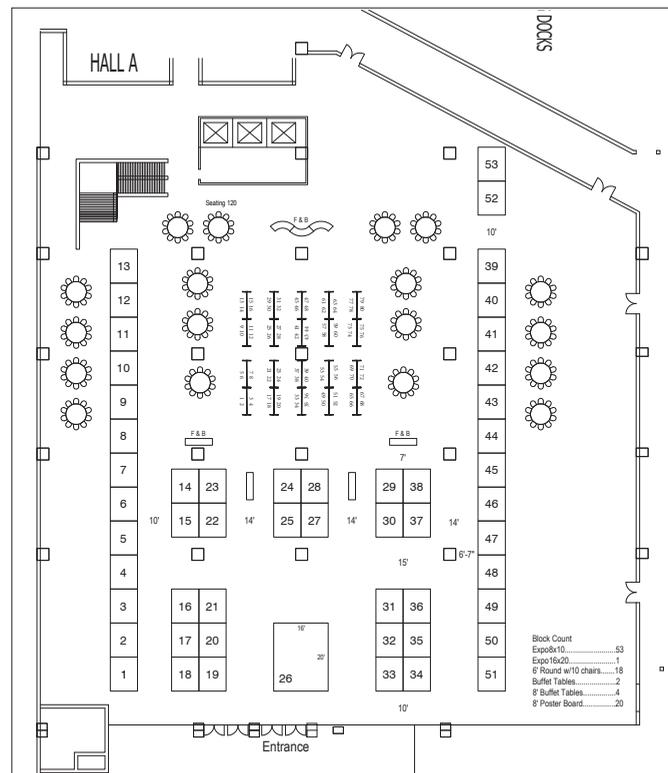
Tuesday, March 10
7:15 AM–11:00 AM

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19	Intelligent Hearing Systems
20	Pediatric Medical Group
21	Hearing Screening Associates
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29	American Speech-Language-Hearing Association
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34	Described and Captioned Media Program

35	National Center on Deaf-Blindness
37	Rejuvenation
38	Advanced Bionics
39	Boys Town National Research Hospital
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43	Co-amplify
44	Central Institute for the Deaf
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Saturday, March 7, 2020

8:30 am – 4:45 pm	The Linguistic Genius of Babies: A One Day Early Learning Conference (A Collaboration of AG Bell, Hearing First, and NCHAM)	Atlanta
8:30 am – 5:00 pm	JCIH Meeting	Chicago A
1:00 am – 4:00 pm	DSHPSHWA Executive Board Meeting	Fremont
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Islands/Outlying Territories Meeting	Chicago C
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	DSHPSHWA Meeting	Chicago B
7:00 pm – 8:00 pm	HRSA/MCHB Reception	New York A

Sunday, March 8, 2020

7:15 am – 8:00 pm	Pre-Session – Meeting Registration Open	The Terrace
8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Presenter Ready Room open	Van Horn A
8:00 am – 1:00 pm	EHDI Coordinator Meeting	Atlanta
8:30 am – 5:00 pm	Instructional Sessions: (18 Total) Sunday (13) Wednesday (5)	
9:00 am – 1:00 pm	Family Based Organization (FBO) Meeting	New York B
1:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Exhibitor and Poster Set-up	Exhibit Hall A
2:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Workshop for LEND Audiology Trainees	New York B
4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Deaf Schools Meeting	Chicago C
4:30 pm – 6:00 pm	EHDI 101	Exhibit Hall B
5:00 pm – 6:00 pm	EHDI Student Kick-off	Atlanta
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Reception and Exhibits Open	Exhibit Hall A
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Parent Gathering	Exhibit Hall B
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm	Children's Storytelling	Van Horn C

Monday, March 9, 2020

6:45 am – 8:00 am	Continental Breakfast	Exhibit Hall A
7:00 am – 3:30 pm	Registration open	The Terrace
7:00 am – 7:50 am	Food for Thought: Student-Professional Networking Breakfast	Chicago A
7:15 am – 5:30 pm	Presenter Ready Room open	Van Horn A
7:15 am – 5:30 pm	Exhibits open	Exhibit Hall A
8:00 am – 8:30 am	Opening/Welcome Overview of Stakeholder Meetings	Exhibit Hall B
8:30 am – 9:30 am	Opening Plenary #1/ State Stakeholders' Meetings	Exhibit Hall B
9:30 am – 9:45 am	Break	
9:45 am – 10:45 am	Opening Plenary #2/ State Stakeholders' Meetings	Exhibit Hall B
10:45 am – 11:00 am	Break	
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Topical Session 1	
12:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Lunch (On your own)	

Monday, March 9, 2020 (CONT)

12:15 pm – 1:45 pm	Parent Place Lunch Meeting	Atlanta
12:30 pm – 1:45 pm	Poster Session, Exhibits open	Exhibit Hall A
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Topical Session 2	
3:00 pm – 3:15 pm	Refreshment Break	Exhibit Hall A
3:15 pm – 3:45 pm	Topical Session 3	
3:45 pm – 4:00 pm	Break	
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Plenary II	Exhibit Hall B
5:00 pm – 5:15 pm	Presentation of EHDI Family Leadership Award	Exhibit Hall B
5:15 pm – 5:30 pm	Presentation of the Antonia Brancia Maxon Award for EHDI Excellence	Exhibit Hall B

Tuesday, March 10, 2020

6:45 am – 8:00 am	Continental Breakfast	Exhibit Hall A
7:00 am – 7:50 am	Food for Thought: Student-Professional Networking Breakfast	Chicago A
7:00 am – 12:00 pm	Registration Open	The Terrace
7:15 am – 3:15 pm	Presenter Ready Room Open	Van Horn A
7:15 am – 11:00 am	Exhibits Open	Exhibit Hall A
8:00 am – 9:00 am	Plenary III/Closing	Exhibit Hall B
9:00 am – 9:20 am	Presentation of Poster and Website Awards	Exhibit Hall B
9:20 am – 9:40 am	Refreshment Break	Ballroom Foyer
9:40 am – 10:40 am	Topical Session 4	
10:40 am – 11:00 am	Break	
11:00 am – 1:45 pm	Poster and Exhibitor Break-down starts	Exhibit Hall A
11:00 am – 12:00 pm	Topical Session 5	
12:00 pm – 1:45 pm	Lunch (On your own)	
12:00 pm – 1:45 pm	Family Advisory Committee Lunch	New York B
1:45 pm – 2:45 pm	Topical Session 6	
2:45 pm – 3:00 pm	Break	
3:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Topical Session 7	
3:30 pm – 3:45 pm	Refreshment Break	Ballroom Foyer and Empire Foyer
3:45 pm – 4:45 pm	Topical Session 8	

Wednesday, March 11, 2020

7:45 am – 12:30 pm	Field trip to Tour of the Museum of Deaf History, Arts & Culture (MDHAC) and a Tour of the Kansas School for the Deaf (KSD)	Hotel Lobby
8:00 am – 3:00 pm	Instructional Sessions – 4 on-site (Various Times)	