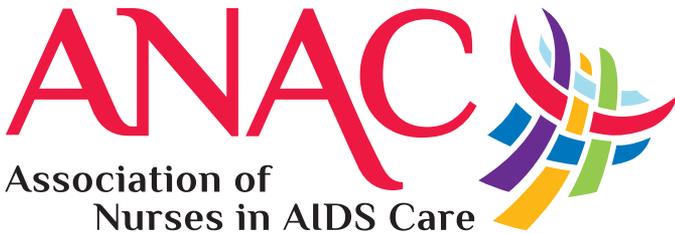


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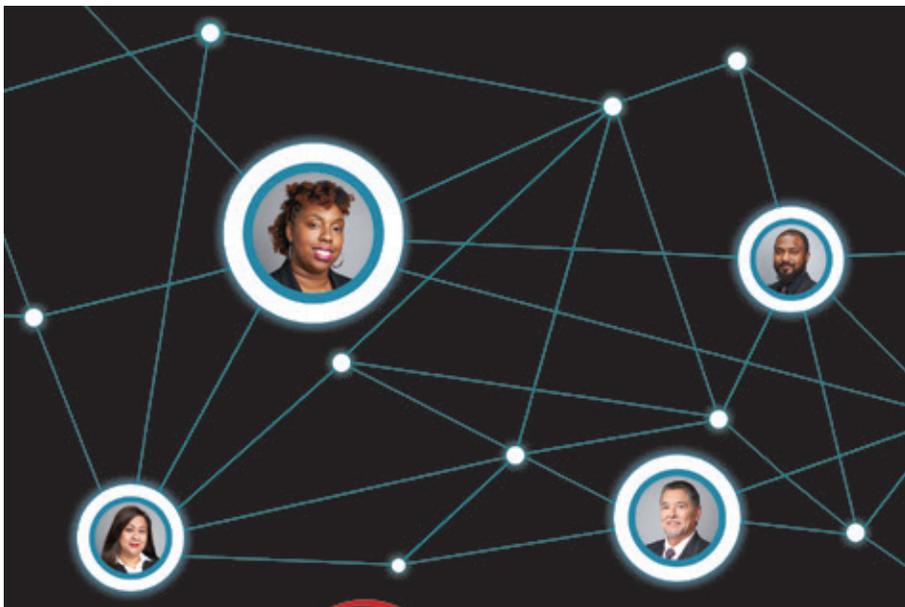
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Dear Colleague,

The ANAC2018 conference committee welcomes you to Denver! Your conference planning committee along with the local Denver ANAC chapter is excited to welcome you to our annual conference. As we reconnect with friends, colleagues and new collaborators we ready ourselves to learn and discuss all manner of topics related to domestic and international HIV and viral hepatitis care, treatment and prevention. As always, our conference sessions have been designed to address current issues in HIV and provide a vision of the future. This year, ANAC2018 is pleased to provide participants with the opportunity to learn about the latest and most pressing issues that impact people and systems that are responding to the HIV epidemic in our neighborhoods, clinics and communities locally and globally. One of our most pressing issues is raising our voices to demand equity for all people.

We are fortunate to have some of the leading experts in the field of nursing, medicine, policy, pharmacy and education who will share their expertise. Our speakers will focus their presentations on our most highly-impacted communities, including people of color, immigrants, women, transgender persons, adolescents and persons who use drugs.

We are also pleased to offer attendees the opportunity to participate in several pre-conference events: a workshop focusing on using large data to answer research questions - an innovative model for providing PrEP via Telehealth, Medication-Assisted Treatment for substance use disorders and more. This year we are trying something new and bringing some community models of care to our conference site.

The Denver chapter has been working to create a fun and lively gala as well as our annual Celebration of Life. The Celebration of Life is always a meaningful event where we can come together to acknowledge those whose lives have ended and that we want to celebrate. We welcome everyone to attend.

While in Denver, we hope you will spend time getting to know the area including the LoDo (lower downtown), Union Station, Denver Museum of Art, and the 16th Street Mall. Of course, we also hope you will enjoy some of the award-winning local restaurants and nightspots — Mile High Hamburger Mary's, anyone?

Many thanks go out to our colleagues on the national conference committee: Lisa Lawrence, Co-Chair; LaRon Nelson, Research Chair; Ann Gakumo, Research Co-Chair; Shannon Perret; Christopher Fox; Peter Prutch; Willie Roberts; Michael Sanchez; Glenda Baguso; Julie Schexnayder; Jason Hindman; Natalia Villegas; David Golias; Jim Kozman; Diane Clements Walton; Allison Webel, Director of CNE; and Joseph Perazzo, Nurse Planner. An extra shout out to Diane Clements Walton who helped us track decisions and more. A special thank you to Erin Myers and Carole Treston at the national ANAC office without whose leadership, none of this would be possible. Thank you to the ANAC board of directors who have been continually engaged and supportive of the committee. We would also like to thank the Denver chapter for serving as our host committee during conference. Finally, we are grateful to you, our participants. Enjoy ANAC2018!

**Carol Dawson-Rose**, *Conference Co-chair*

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### Wednesday, November 7

#### Finance committee (closed meeting)

Noon–1 p.m.

Room: Saratoga

#### Research committee

Noon–1 p.m.

Room: Matchless

#### Awards committee

2–3 p.m.

Room: Matchless

#### Diversity committee

2–3 p.m.

Room: Gold Coin

#### Palliative nursing committee

2–3 p.m.

Room: Mattie Silks

#### JANAC editorial board of directors meeting (closed meeting)

6–8:30 p.m.

Room: Homestead

### Thursday, November 8

#### Chapters committee (closed meeting)

8–9 a.m.

Room: Penrose 1

#### Nominating committee (closed meeting)

8–9 a.m.

Room: Saratoga

#### Policy committee

8–9 a.m.

Room: Matchless

#### Bylaws committee

9–10 a.m.

Room: Gold Coin

#### Chapters

9–10 a.m.

Room: Penrose 1

#### Global committee

9–10 a.m.

Room: Matchless

#### Health and Wellness Committee

9–10 a.m.

Room: Saratoga

#### Rural and Frontier Nursing

9–10 a.m.

Room: Mattie Silks

*Unless otherwise indicated as closed, all conference attendees are invited to attend committee meetings.*

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to the annual ANAC conference in Denver. Over the next few days, you will hear from fellow ANAC members who are experts in HIV prevention and treatment. Your contributions during Q&A and through the evaluations are so important to us.

We are also proud to share with you the updated ANAC public policy agenda, developed by the ANAC policy committee, included in your conference bag. Our public policy agenda reflects our holistic approach to the intersection of human rights and health care. Part of what initially attracted me to ANAC was the legacy of advocacy for the health, welfare and rights of people living with HIV. ANAC nurses were at the forefront of advocacy for patients with AIDS early in the epidemic and that continues.

This undeniable link to human rights for people living with HIV has defined the AIDS advocacy movement. The related concepts of patient empowerment and patient-centered care began in the struggle against the HIV/AIDS epidemic. Central to this is the meaningful involvement and the leadership of PLWH in the movement.

An important piece of this originated here in Denver at a Gay and Lesbian Health Conference in 1983. A group of men with AIDS developed and presented a set of principles that has defined the response to AIDS and changed approaches to health care overall. This seminal document, known as the Denver Principles, are the foundation for the self-empowerment movement for PLWH. From the Denver Principles:

*We condemn attempts to label us as "victims," a term which implies defeat, and we are only occasionally "patients," a term which implies passivity, helplessness and dependence upon the care of others. We are "People With AIDS."*

The Denver Principles also includes a call for others to: 1. Support us in our struggle against those who would fire us from our jobs, evict us from our homes, refuse to touch us or separate us from our loved ones, our community or our peers, since available evidence does not support the view that AIDS can be spread by casual, social contact and, 2. Not scapegoat people with AIDS, blame us for the epidemic or generalize about our lifestyles.

These opening sentences call attention to the reality of living with AIDS in 1983, including the burden of fear and stigma. It was overwhelming then and unfortunately, still impacting too many PLWH today. We continue to have work to do here. But I want to salute our colleagues who were early adopters and those that continue to uphold and support the Denver Principles. You are part of that group — even if you are not familiar with the historic Denver Principles. But nurses' contributions are noticed.

*"Nurses were the heroes, the people I trusted the most to care for my friends, they were the embodiment of what the Denver Principles were about- to support people living with AIDS to live their best lives and this continues today" — Paul Kawata, Executive Director NMAC, co-founder of National Association of People Living with AIDS.*

I join Paul in saluting you and your compassion that distinguishes our evidence-based care. I am grateful to be your colleague. I hope you enjoy the conference.

Warm regards,

**Carole Treston**  
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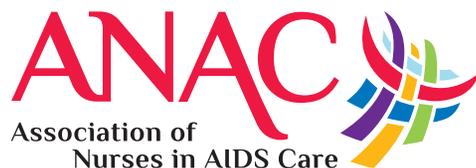
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## 2018 Agenda at a Glance

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7	
8 a.m. – 5 p.m.	Registration
8 a.m. – 5 p.m.	PCSS MAT 8 Hour Waiver Training
9 a.m. – 11 a.m.	On-site skills building workshops
Noon – 3 p.m.	Committee meetings
2 – 6 p.m.	Research workshop
6 – 8:30 p.m.	JANAC editorial board meeting
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8	
8 – 9 a.m.	New attendee session: Are you new to ANAC and/or HIV?
8 – 10 a.m.	Committee meetings
8 a.m. – 5 p.m.	Registration
10:15 – 11:30 a.m.	Keynote speaker
11 a.m. – 4 p.m.	Exhibit hall open
11:45 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Lunch/Poster session in Exhibit Hall
1:15 – 2:15 p.m.	Concurrent sessions
2:30 – 3 p.m.	Break in exhibit hall
3:15 – 4:15 p.m.	Concurrent sessions
4:30 – 5:30 p.m.	Afternoon plenary
5:45 – 6:45 p.m.	Annual ANAC business meeting
7:30 – 10 p.m.	Gala
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9	
7 – 8:30 a.m.	Satellite breakfast
7 a.m. – 3 p.m.	Exhibit hall open
8 – 10:30 a.m.	Coffee break in Exhibit Hall
8 a.m. – 5 p.m.	Registration
8:45 – 9:45 a.m.	Morning plenary
9:45- 10:30 a.m.	Poster presentations
10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Oral abstract sessions
12:45 – 2:15 p.m.	Satellite lunch
1 – 2:15 p.m.	Snacks / Exhibit hall open / Posters
2:30 – 4:30 p.m.	Oral abstract sessions
4:45 – 5:45 p.m.	Afternoon plenary
6 – 7 p.m.	HANCB reception
7:15 – 9 p.m.	Satellite dinner
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10	
7 – 8:30 a.m.	Satellite breakfast
8 – 11:30 p.m.	Exhibit hall open
8 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Registration
8:30 – 9:30 a.m.	Open global session
9:45 – 10:45 a.m.	Morning plenary
10:45 – 11:15 a.m.	Beverage break / Raffle drawing in Exhibit Hall
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Concurrent sessions
12:45 – 2:15 p.m.	Satellite lunch
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Concurrent sessions
3:30 – 4:45 p.m.	Closing plenary
5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	Celebration of Life
7 – 9 p.m.	Awards ceremony

## General Information

### ANAC 2018 Conference Objectives

- 1 Analyze strategies to advocate for advancements in HIV/AIDS care and prevention within the existing policy environment
- 2 Discuss innovative biomedical, psychosocial and behavioral research in HIV with an emphasis on:
  - Symptoms
  - Self-management strategies
  - End of life and palliative care
  - Prevention and wellness
  - Technological modalities
  - Social determinants
  - Intervention strategies that impact disparities in HIV incidence and health outcomes
- 3 Evaluate the global impact of nurses and other healthcare professionals in addressing HIV prevention and care, health disparities, HIV risk and social determinants of health
- 4 Demonstrate an enhanced ability to care for key populations at risk for, living with or affected by HIV and related co-morbidities
- 5 Increase capacity of nurses and other healthcare professionals to identify, treat and care for individuals at risk for and/or living with viral hepatitis

### Registration and App Help Desk

All attendees must register for the conference. The registration desk is clearly marked and is located on the lower level and is open during the following hours:

Wednesday:	8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Thursday:	8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Friday:	8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Saturday:	8 a.m. – 1 p.m.

### What the Registration Fee Includes

The registration fee includes admission to:

- All conference education sessions, exhibits, poster sessions and roundtable discussions
- The gala reception
- Lunch in the exhibit hall
- Coffee breaks
- CE contact hours
- All non-member registrants will receive a one-year ANAC membership

### Name Badges

The official conference name badge must be worn for access to all conference educational sessions, exhibit hall and social functions. For your safety, do not wear your badge outside the convention hotel.

### Continuing Education Accreditation

The Association of Nurses in AIDS Care is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Participants who attend sessions and complete on-line CNE evaluations may be eligible for up to 20 hours of CNE. Links to CNE evaluations will be provided to attendees thru a post-conference email and are available through the conference app.

### Evaluations

Conference evaluations are important to the planning of future conferences. Following the conference, attendees will receive an email that includes instructions for accessing conference evaluations.

Please call Erin Myers at 330-670-0101 for more information about CNE or evaluations.

## General Information

### Colorado Ballroom

This room is located on the lower level of the hotel. Please also feel free to ask hotel staff or ANAC staff for assistance.

### Gala Reception

All attendees are invited to attend the gala reception at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday. There will be food served with a cash bar and will feature local entertainment followed by a DJ for dancing.

The theme for this year's gala is Colorado Gold Rush. Costumes are optional.

### Awards Ceremony

The awards ceremony will be held on Saturday evening following the Celebration of Life. Food will be served and a cash bar will be available. You can then spend time with your new and old friends and enjoy your last evening in Denver. Please note that there is a cost of \$30 to attend the awards ceremony and this is not included in your registration.

### Celebration of Life

The Celebration of Life will be a short but powerful gathering to remember those we have lost, celebrate our collective spirit and share memories of friends and family. It will be held on Saturday, Nov. 10 at 5:30 p.m. in Colorado GHIJ.

### Poster Session

Posters represent research, clinical practice, administration and education projects developed by our membership. Please check the conference schedule for poster session times.

### Student Poster Award

The student poster award winner will be announced on Friday at 1 p.m. in the Exhibit Hall.

### Exhibits

Exhibits are located in the Colorado Ballroom. ANAC welcomes government agencies, community-based organizations, pharmaceutical companies and many others to showcase their exhibits. Please check the conference schedule for day and time, complimentary lunch and snack breaks.

This year we will hold a series of events in the Exhibit Hall, including lunch and posters on Thursday and Friday, and a raffle on Saturday.

To participate in the raffle, visit and get stickers on your exhibit card from 12 booths during the conference and drop your card at the registration desk before 10:30 a.m. on Saturday to be entered in a prize drawing.

### ANAC Annual Business Meeting

Learn more about the operations, programs and finances of ANAC. Meet current and newly elected ANAC board members. All ANAC members are encouraged to attend. This meeting will be held on Thursday, November 8 at 5:45 p.m. in Penrose.

### New to ANAC & HIV Session

All registrants that are first-time attendees are urged to attend this session. This session will give you an overview of the organization and the annual conference. You will find this a very worthwhile use of your time.

### ANAC Merchandise Booth

All registrants are encouraged to stop by the ANAC merchandise booth, located on the lower level. Open during registration hours.

### Satellite Sessions

Satellite sessions are sponsored sessions that provide information about a product or service. Meals are provided and admission is limited and on a first come, first served basis.

### Conference App

There is a free downloadable app for conference information and a help desk for the app at the registration area. The app provides information on the schedule, speakers, exhibitors, Denver and obtaining CNE. It's also a way to communicate with other conference attendees. Download the app at <https://crowd.cc/s/1FJTK>

### Social Media

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**Friday November 9**

7–8:30 a.m.  
Satellite breakfast  
Room: Denver Ballroom

**100-Week Long-Term Data for the Maintenance of Virologic Suppression with Fewer Antiretrovirals**

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*Speaker:*

**Karla Torres, MD, MSN-FNP**  
Community Medical Liaison, ViiV Healthcare

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**Friday November 9**

12:45–2 p.m.  
Satellite lunch  
Room: Denver Ballroom

**HIV Case-Based Approaches**

This presentation uses a Case-Based approach to review a DHHS guidelines recommended HIV-1 treatment option for appropriate treatment-naïve and virologically suppressed adults. Content includes a discussion of patient cases in addition to a review of the Phase 3 clinical trial efficacy and safety data.

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**Shauna Applin**  
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**Friday, November 9**

7:15–9 p.m.  
Satellite dinner  
Room: Denver Ballroom

**Best Practice Sharing for Implementing Early HIV Treatment Initiation**

Please view the conference app for information about this session.

**Debbie Mohammed**

DrPH, MS, AACRN

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**Saturday, November 10**

7–8:30 a.m.  
Satellite breakfast  
Room: Denver Ballroom

**An HIV Prevention Medication: Reducing the Risk of Acquiring HIV-1 Infection**

Each year, approximately 40,000 new HIV infections are diagnosed in the U.S. This presentation will educate providers on an HIV prevention option and how to identify appropriate candidates. Additionally, clinical studies and recommended guidelines will be discussed.

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## On-site Skills Building Workshops

### Wednesday November 7

8 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Room: Penrose 1

#### Providers Clinical Support System (PCSS) Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) 8 Hour Waiver Training

PCSS is a program funded by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) created in response to the opioid overdose epidemic to train primary care providers in the evidence-based prevention and treatment of opioid use disorders (OUD). PCSS provides this free Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT) waiver training for providers. This training allows providers to seek a waiver to prescribe buprenorphine in office based treatment of OUD. To obtain the waiver to prescribe, physicians are required to take eight hours of training and NPs/PAs are required to take 24 hours of training including this eight hour MAT training.

Laura Martin, MD

### Wednesday November 7

9 – 11 a.m.  
Room: Colorado GH

#### HIV prevention from your sofa— Building a Rural TelePrEP Network

In this session we will review steps to establish and implement a telemedicine PrEP program and review experiences at University of Colorado. This presentation will cover an overview of HIV prevention needs in rural underserved areas, telemedicine, legal regulations and licensure requirements, reimbursement mechanisms, challenges and opportunities, and future directions.

Donna McGregor, RN MSN ANP-C  
Lisa Lawrence, MSW

### Wednesday November 7

9 – 11 a.m.  
Room: Colorado IJ

#### Sexual Health and Harm Reduction in Denver

Introduction and information about Rocky Mountain Cares and Denver Health Foundation. They will discuss their different community programs including rapid HIV, HCV testing, harm reduction/needle exchange program and a short tour of their mobile bus testing unit. Session will conclude with Q&A.

Quinn Patton, Prevention Supervisor, Rocky Mountain Cares  
Jesse Chavez, Denver Health Department  
Lisa Raville, Executive Director, Harm Reduction Action Center Denver

## Research Workshop

### Wednesday, November 7

2 – 6 p.m.  
Room: Nat Hill

#### Secondary Data Analysis: Get in Where you Fit in

Topics will include maximizing the use of CFAR (Center For AIDS Research) data to advance HIV-related nursing science, how to establish a collaborative line of research using SDA and advantages/challenges of SDA (Secondary Data Analysis) vs. other approaches.

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We also thank Case Western Reserve University CFAR for their in-kind support for this session.

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## New Attendee Session

**Thursday November 8**

8 – 9 a.m.

Room: Colorado GH

### **Are you new to ANAC and/or HIV?**

All registrants that are first-time attendees are urged to attend this session. It will give you an overview of the ANAC organization and the annual conference. You will learn more about the healthcare community surrounding HIV/AIDS care and the role ANAC and its members play.

Committee leaders are encouraged to attend.

## Keynote Speaker

**Thursday November 8**

10:15 – 11:30 a.m.

Room: Denver Ballroom

### **Spirituality and Health: Mind, Body and Spirit: An Intersectional Approach**

Using a didactic group process, this presentation will discuss the current research articulating the correlation between religiosity, spirituality and health outcomes among millennials and persons of color. A discussion of intersectionality and how the intersection of race, class, gender and socio-economic status conflates to predict health status will be presented. This presentation will also discuss sex, sexuality, spirituality and homophobia/heterosexism and examine how our internalization of these “isms” has adversely affected communities of color in addressing social and health.



**Rev. Tommie Watkins, Jr.**

PhD, MDiv, LMSW

## Concurrent Sessions

**Thursday, November 8**

1:15 – 2:15 p.m.  
Room: Colorado GH

### **Cardiovascular Health & HIV: Best Practices Across Settings**

With medication advances, people living with HIV (PLHIV) have experienced a marked improvement in their lifespan. This success allows PLHIV, clinicians, and researchers to widen their focus to improve the quality of life and prevent other non-HIV related chronic conditions. HIV is a risk factor for cardiovascular disease (CVD), which has created new challenges for both PLHIV and their clinicians. As the number of PLHIV with CVD is rapidly rising there is a recognized and growing need to promote cardiovascular health before disease develops.



**Allison Webel**  
RN, PhD

**Thursday, November 8**

1:15 – 2:15 p.m.  
Room: Colorado IJ

### **Saving Our Queens: PrEP in African American Women**

This talk will be a comprehensive examination of Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) for Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) and will highlight key issues associated with PrEP in African American and African women.



**Alycia T. Dickens**  
DNP, FNP-BC

**Thursday, November 8**

1:15 – 2:15 p.m.  
Room: Penrose 1

### **Advances in Antiretroviral Therapy**

This session will review newly licensed antiretroviral agents, updated treatment guidelines and some safety concerns with ART. Intended for prescribers and others interested in ART therapies.



**Steven C. Johnson, MD**

## Concurrent Sessions

**Thursday, November 8**

1:15 – 2:15 p.m.  
Room: Penrose 2

### **Up in Smoke: Marijuana-related Issues to Consider in HIV Care**

This session is geared towards providers wanting to learn more about concomitant use of marijuana and highly active antiretroviral therapy. It will focus on pharmacotherapy, pharmacokinetics, drug interactions, side effects and potential adverse drug events.



**Jasjit Gill, PharmD, RPH**

**Thursday, November 8**

1:15 – 2:15 p.m.  
Room: Nat Hill

### **Now that we have antiretrovirals, why do we need palliative care?**

Antiretrovirals have made a big difference in the way we provide care for PLWH. Not too many years ago, a diagnosis of HIV infection meant several years of declining quality of life and eventual death - with an obvious need for palliative care to ease suffering. Then powerful antiretrovirals became the standard of care, PLWH began to live, and HIV infection is now treated more as a chronic disease. So, why do we need palliative care? This presentation will answer that question and will also provide the latest information on advance directives.



**Becky Brotemarkle, PhD,  
RN, PCC, NBC-HWC, CEC**



**Loretta Winde**  
RN, BSN, ACRN

Posters

Thursday, November 8

11:45 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Friday, November 9

9:45 – 10:30 a.m.

Room: Exhibit Hall/Colorado Ballroom

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P-1  
**Mother-to-child transmission of HIV among infants in Ethiopia: A systematic review and meta-analysis**

Aklilu Endalamaw

P-2  
**HIV and HIV-HBV co-infection among pregnant women in Ethiopia and its implication for preventing vertical transmission: a systematic review and meta-analysis**

Demeke Geremew

P-3  
**Fatigue in HIV: Within- and Between-Person Variability in Symptoms and Self-Management Behaviors**

Paul Cook

P-4  
**Can Computerized Cognitive Training Address the Neurocognitive Complications of HIV?: A Systematic Review**

David Vance

P-5  
**HIV and STI Knowledge of Young Male College Students**

Eric Finkl

P-6  
**Knowledge, Attitude, Practice and Belief of HIV-Positive Women to Retroviral Treatment in a Tertiary Hospital in Nigeria.**

Mfuh Anita

Posters

NOTES

P-7  
**Self-reported HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) use in key populations identified in national HIV prevention goals: Meta-analysis of published surveys**

Emiko Kamitani

P-8  
**History and Agenda Setting for HIV Prevention among the Asian American Population**

BoRam Kim

P-9  
**Neurocognitive functioning is associated with self-reported HIV treatment management in HIV+ adults with low health literacy**

Pariya Wheeler

P-10  
**Prescription-based Incentives to Improve Retention in HIV Care: Clinician Perspectives**

Kasey Claborn

P-11  
**Changing the Narrative: Routine HIV/HCV Screening and Linkage to Care in a Community Health Center**

Sanique Olkuch

P-12  
**'Telling Our Stories': Nurses at The Frontline Of HIV Care In South-South Region Of Nigeria**

Mildred John

P-13  
**Effects of the Ketogenic Diet on Cognitive Performance in Older Adults with Cognitive Deficits: A Randomized Pilot Trial**

Shannon Morrison

## Posters

P-14

### **Nurse-led Mobile App-Based Symptom Monitoring for HIV-Positive MSM in Ghana: Client-Centered Community Care Coordination (C5)**

LaRon Nelson

P-15

### **Effect of Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) Education on Sexual Behaviors and Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs) of Gay and Bisexual Men (GBM)**

Randulf Erguiza

P-16

### **Comparison of Quality of Life Predictors in Persons Living with HIV with and without Diabetes**

Julie Zuniga

P-17

### **Strategies for Male Partners' Involvement in the Prevention of Mother-to-Child Transmission of HIV in Rural Communities of Cross River State, Nigeria**

Alberta Nsemo

P-18

### **Fatigue among Older Black Women Living with HIV**

Rosina Cianelli

P-19

### **Nurse-led Transitional Care Intervention to Improve Linkage Among Vulnerable Patient Population**

Marik Moen

P-20

### **A RN-led, Routine HIV/HCV Testing and Treatment Program in a Large, Multi-Campus Emergency Department Finds High Prevalence of Acute HIV and Chronic Hepatitis C**

Ryan Anson

## NOTES

## Student Posters

**Thursday, November 8**

11:45 a.m. – 1 p.m.

**Friday, November 9**

9:45 – 10:30 a.m.

Room: Exhibit Hall Colorado

## NOTES

SP-1

### **High prevalence of pain among adult HIV-infected patients at University of Gondar Hospital, Northwest Ethiopia**

Abere Azagew

SP-2

### **Acceptability of an intervention addressing persons living with HIV who are out-of- care**

Laura Remy

SP-3

### **Challenges and Lessons Learned from Collecting Retention in HIV Care Data from Electronic Medical Records**

Ashley Anderson

SP-4

### **Integration of Anal Dysplasia Screening Into the Primary Care of Persons with HIV**

Ralph Mangusan

SP-5

### **Proposing a Model for PrEP Linkage to Care at Low-Resource Drug Treatment Centers**

Nancy Goldstein



## Concurrent Sessions

### Thursday, November 8

3:15 – 4:15 p.m.  
Room: Colorado GH

#### Hepatitis C: An update on screening, evaluation and treatment for 2018

During this session, the presenter will review current guidelines for the screening and evaluation of HCV mono- and co-infected adults. Through the use of case studies the presenter will discuss treatment and management of HCV-positive patients in the clinical setting.



**Patricia A. Cioe**  
PhD, CNP

### Thursday, November 8

3:15 – 4:15 p.m.  
Room: Colorado IJ

#### HOPE: An integrated nursing approach to solid organ transplant care for people living with HIV

Since 1988 HIV infection has been a contraindication to organ donation and approximately 500-600 organs are discarded annually due to the HIV+ status of potential deceased donors. In 2013, the HIV Organ Policy Equity (HOPE) Act was signed, allowing research of organ donation from HIV+ donors to HIV+ recipients and in 2015, the DHHS released its final safeguards and research criteria for the transplantation of HIV+ organs.

Cochran and Brown have worked closely with colleagues in transplant, infectious disease and research to develop an integrated nursing approach to solid organ transplant care for people living with HIV. These efforts have the potential to effect practice and policy around the U.S. and to increase access to organ transplant for PLWHA.



**Willa Cochran**  
BSN, MSN, CRNP



**Diane Brown**  
RN, MSN

## Plenary Speaker

### Thursday, November 8

4:30 – 5:30 p.m.  
Room: Denver Ballroom

#### Protecting our HIV Patients from Viral Hepatitis: How Are We Doing?

This session will present data from the CDC's Medical Monitoring Project (MMP) describing care providers' successes and failures in protecting their HIV patients from viral hepatitis infections. It will also discuss findings of the MMP Provider Survey describing the quality of HIV care delivered by nurse practitioners, physician assistants and physicians.



**John Weiser**  
MD, MPH  
Medical Epidemiologist  
Medical Monitoring Project, Behavioral and Clinical Surveillance Branch, Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention, Center for Disease Control and Prevention



## ANAC Annual Business Meeting

### Thursday, November 8

5:45–6:45 p.m.

Room: Penrose 1 and 2

Hear about the programmatic accomplishments of ANAC along with the financial stewardship of the organization. All ANAC member are encouraged to attend.

#### ELECTION RESULTS

The new members of the board of directors will be installed at the annual business meeting.

Directors-at-large: **Erin Athey, Marik Moen, Stephen Perez** and **David Vance**

Treasurer: **Mitchell Wharton**

Incoming nomination committee members: **Debra Kosko, Victoria Langston** and **Aleida Torres**

We gratefully acknowledge the service of the following members whose terms expire and are rolling off the board of directors. Thank you to **Joachim Voss, Gwen Childs, Dennis Flores** and **Judy Wessell**.

## Gala Reception

### Thursday, November 8

7:30–10 p.m.

Room: Denver Ballroom

ANAC2018 attendees will enjoy food served with a cash bar. A DJ will provide an atmosphere for networking and fun. We hope to see you there!

The theme for this year's gala is Colorado Gold Rush. Costumes are optional.



## Agenda at a Glance – Friday, November 9

7 – 8:30 a.m.

#### Satellite breakfast

Denver Ballroom

8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

#### Registration open

Lower Level

8:45 – 9:45 a.m.

#### Mekbib Gameda

Denver Ballroom

9:45 – 10:30 a.m.

#### Poster presentations

Exhibit Hall/Colorado Ballroom

10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

#### Concurrent oral abstract sessions

12:45 – 2:15 p.m.

#### Satellite lunch

Denver Ballroom

1 – 2:15 p.m.

#### Snack break/Posters

Colorado Ballroom

2:30 – 4:30 p.m.

#### Concurrent oral abstract sessions and late breaker abstracts

4:45 – 5:45 p.m.

#### Afternoon plenary

**Shaun Watson, Mitchell Wharton,** PhD, RN, FNP-BC, CNC, and

**Carole Treston,** RN, MPH, ACRN FAAN

Denver Ballroom

6 – 7 p.m.

#### HANCB reception

Penrose

7:15 – 9 p.m.

#### Satellite dinner

Denver Ballroom

## NOTES



## Abstract Sessions

**Friday, November 9**

10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Room: Penrose 1

### Social, Psychological and Clinical Factors Affecting Health of People Living with HIV

TITLE	SPEAKER
A-1 Relationship of Depression to Social Isolation and Social Capital in People Living with HIV	Joseph Perazzo
A-2 Impact of HIV diagnosis in the sexuality of older minority women living with HIV	Natalia Villegas
A-3 Depression and HIV-associated neurocognitive disorders among HIV-infected adults in rural southwestern Uganda	Jane Kasozi Namagga
A-4 Personalized feedback improves CVD risk perception and physical activity levels in persons living with HIV: A pilot randomized clinical trial	Patricia Cioe

Room: Penrose 2

### Advances and Impact in the Sub-Saharan Africa Region

TITLE	SPEAKER
A-5 The burden of anemia among Human Immunodeficiency Virus positive children in Ethiopia and its association with the initiation of HAART	Fasil Wagnew
A-7 The Changing Nature of Human Resources for Health in a PEPFAR Scale-Up Country	Carolyn Hall
A-8 Impact of NIMART training on HIV management in North West province	Lufuno Makhado

## Abstract Sessions

**Friday, November 9**

10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Room: Colorado IJ

### HIV Prevention and Treatment with Cis-Gender Women

TITLE	SPEAKER
A-9 Knowledge, indications, and willingness to take pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) among an online sample of black women	Keosha Bond
A-10 Reduction in a High Risk Sex Script among Young Urban Women in the Love, Sex, & Choices Web Video HIV Prevention Intervention Study	Rachel Jones
A-11 Developing Interpersonal Relationships as a Strategy for Engaging Latinas into HIV Care	Michele Crespo-Fierro
A-12 Preferred PrEPparation for the Black College Woman	Rasheeta Chandler

Room: Nat Hill

### PrEP Implementation: Advances, Associations and Impacts

TITLE	SPEAKER
A-13 Evidence-Based Study of Medication Compliance Project in HIV Prevention Using Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) Antivirals for HIV-Negative Males	Ming-Chun Ho
A-14 Establishing an Integrated Care Clinic for HCV-infected People Who Actively Inject Drugs at a Harm Reduction Center in Washington, DC (The ANCHOR Study)	Rachel Silk
A-15 Awareness and Uptake of PrEP Among Southern Gay Men: A Review of the Literature	Benjamin Lee
A-16 Perceptions of PrEP, risk for contracting HIV and potential compliance with PrEP among IVDU accessing a needle exchange program	Jane Champion

## Concurrent Sessions

**Friday, November 9**

10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Room: Colorado GH

### JANAC Article of the Year

#### Focus Group Findings to Develop an HIV/STI Prevention Program for Heterosexually Active Black Adolescents with Mental Illnesses

In the article, Dr. Brawner and colleagues elevate the voices of a population largely absent from HIV prevention literature—heterosexually active black adolescents dealing with mental illnesses. The psychological sequelae of their conditions (e.g., loneliness, impulsivity) may increase their risk for HIV/STIs, yet few interventions exist that address these concerns. Through focus groups with 33 black adolescent males and females, the research team uncovered social, cultural, and psychological factors that influence HIV/STI risk-related sexual behaviors in the target demographic.



**Bridgette M. Brawner**  
PhD, MDiv, APRN

### Researcher of the Year

#### Cardiovascular risk reduction in persons living with HIV: Developing a program of research

HIV-positive persons are living near normal lifespans but have an increased incidence of cardiovascular disease. Developing and testing effective interventions to reduce CVD risk is a priority for this population.



**Patricia A. Cioe**  
PhD, CNP

## Late Breakers

**Friday, November 9**

2:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Room: Colorado GH

TITLE	SPEAKER
LB-1 Symptom Presentation of Drug Resistant Tuberculosis: Implications of Nurse-Led Active Screening	Hyejeong Hong
LB-2 Transition from Adolescent HIV Care to Adult HIV Care: A Qualitative Metasynthesis	Emily Barr
LB-3 Examining Disrupted Sleep, Depression and Fatigue, and Exploring These Symptoms as a Cluster in Older Adults Living with HIV	Judy Frain
LB-4 HIV-Status Disclosure among Older African American Men Who Have Sex with Men and Women: A Review of the Literature	Steven Simpkins

## Abstract Sessions

**Friday, November 9**

2:30–4:30 p.m.

Room: Penrose 1

### Impacting HIV Care Through Innovations in Education and Policy

TITLE	SPEAKER
B-1 Modernization of the North Carolina HIV Control Measures: The Role of the Health Provider	Kara McGee
B-3 Teaching the impact of geography, social justice and health care policies for Person's Living With HIV (PLWH): A pedagogical paradigm shift	John Stanton Jr.,
B-4 Development of a HIV Social Issues Course for Nurse Practitioner Students	Kara McGee

Room: Penrose 2

### Supporting Linkage and Retention in HIV Care

TITLE	SPEAKER
B-5 "Rapid" in the "Real World": Implementing HIV "Rapid Entry" in a Community Infectious Disease (ID) Practice	Jan Stockton
B-6 Predictors of retention in care for people living with HIV in rural Colorado	Lucy Graham Paul Cook
B-7 Cooper University Hospital (CUH) Early Intervention Program (EIP) Screen, Identify and linkage to Care (SILC) Project: A Collaborative Multidisciplinary Approach leads to Improved Identification of Positive HIV/HCV Infections and Linkage to Care Pamela Gorman	Pamela Gorman
B-8 Access Care Early Clinic: Improving access to and retention in HIV care of young people 18-30 years old living with HIV	Kisten Nolan

## Abstract Sessions

**Friday, November 9**

2:30–4:30 p.m.

Room: Colorado IJ

### Opportunities and Challenges for HIV Prevention and Care in Clinical Settings

TITLE	SPEAKER
B-9 Proactive HIV Testing Among Youth	Oluwamuyiwa Adebayo
B-10 Michigan HIV Consultation Program	Shannon Payne
B-11 Eliminating HCV through a Multidisciplinary Clinical Pathway for HCV Treatment in HIV Primary Care	Laura Starbird
B-12 Challenges to implementing evidence-based behavioral interventions in HIV clinic settings	Jeffrey Parsons

## Plenary Speakers

### Friday, November 9

4:45 – 5:45 p.m.

Room: Denver Ballroom

### Highlights from the 22nd International AIDS Conference

Highlights from the international AIDS conference held July 22-28 in Amsterdam will be presented. Nurse leaders will discuss key developments from the important HIV/AIDS meeting through the unique lens of the nursing perspective. Topics include clinical developments focused on the U=U campaign, the impact of the growing youth bulge on HIV prevention and care and issues that impact the global nursing workforce.



**Carole Treston**  
RN, MPH, ACRN, FAAN



**Shaun Watson**, chair,  
UK National HIV Nurses  
Association



**Mitchell Wharton**  
PhD, RN, FNP-BC, CNS

*Moderator*

**Sheldon Fields**, PhD, RN, FNP-BC, AACRN,  
FAANP, FNAP, FAAN

## HANCB Reception

### Friday, November 9

6 – 7 p.m.

Room: Penrose

HANCB board members invite all attendees to attend their reception. They will be introducing their newly elected board of directors and announcing the winners of the silent auction items. HANCB board will also be available to answer any questions for attendees that are interested in certification or concerns about the updated ACRN/AACRN examinations.

Wine and light snacks will be provided.

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## Agenda at a Glance – Saturday, November 10

Saturday November 10  
7- 8:30

### Satellite breakfast

Denver Ballroom

8 – 9:30 a.m.

### Open global session

Penrose 1

8 – Noon

### Exhibit Hall open

Colorado Ballroom

8 a.m. – 1 p.m.

### Registration open

Lower level

9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

### Morning plenary

**Paula Neira**, JD, MSN, RN,  
CEN

Denver Ballroom

10:45 – 11:15 a.m.

### Beverage break and raffle drawing

Exhibit Hall

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

### Concurrent sessions

12:45 – 2:15 p.m.

### Satellite lunch

Denver Ballroom

2:15 – 3:15 p.m.

### Concurrent sessions

3:30 – 4:45 p.m.

### Closing plenary

**Harlan Pruden**, BA

Denver Ballroom

5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

### Celebration of Life

Colorado GHJ

7 – 9 p.m.

### Awards ceremony

(pre-registration required)

Denver Ballroom

## NOTES

## Open Global Session

**Saturday, November 10**

8–9:30 a.m.

Room: Penrose 1

Hosted by the ANAC global committee, this interactive session will provide a recap of nursing perspectives from the International AIDS Conference and feature facilitated dialogue on strategies to enhance nursing education, practice and leadership in the global response to HIV/AIDS. Your ideas and experience are important to ANAC as we plan for the future!

*Presenters:*

**Dalmacio Dennis Flores**, PhD, ACRN

**Dina Patel**, RN, MSN, AC-PNP

**Carole Treston**, RN MPH ACRN FAAN

**Suzanne Willard**, PhD, APN-c, FAAN

## Plenary Speaker

**Saturday, November 10**

9:45–10:45 a.m.

Room: Denver Ballroom

### LGBT Civil Rights and Healthcare

#### Service Beyond the Uniform: Military Service and the Path to a More Perfect Union

This plenary, drawing on the speaker's background as a naval officer, civil rights advocate and healthcare leader, will discuss the role military service has on advancing minority rights in the United States. For minorities, the ability to serve in the United States Armed Forces has been a catalyst for the advancement of civil rights throughout American history. When the military has enacted discriminatory policies, broader national policy has perpetuated prejudice and discrimination including contributing to health care inequity. This will be highlighted by describing the status of transgender military service. When the military has embraced diversity and inclusion it has been able to set the standard for civilian institutions. Through the lens of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) military service, the plenary will describe the history of evolving military personnel policies as well as the implications and effects such change has on broader society regarding civil rights and health care.



**Paula M. Neira**

JD, MSN, RN, CEN

## Concurrent Sessions

**Saturday, November 10**

11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Room: Penrose 1

### Locked Up: Providing HIV Care in the Correctional Setting and Beyond

This session will focus on the importance of specialized HIV care in the correctional setting and the need to facilitate effective transitions of care upon release.



**Melissa Badowski**

Pharm.D., MPH, BCPS, AAHIVP

**Saturday, November 10**

11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Room: Penrose 2

### Treatment of substance abuse in a Dual Diagnosis Program

A dual diagnosis program is founded on the principal that clients that present with substance abuse issues almost always display co-occurring mental health symptoms, and these symptoms precede substance abuse. The goal in a dual diagnosis program is not merely sobriety.

This presentation will compare dual diagnosis approaches to other approaches to substance abuse treatment, including the role of cognitive behavioral therapy, dialectical behavior therapy and other supportive therapies that are utilized in a dual diagnosis treatment program.



**Lois Leder**

LCSW

## Concurrent Sessions

**Saturday, November 10**

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Room: Colorado GH

### **HIV Criminalization — What matters in 2018!**

In this session, the impact of on-going HIV criminalization on stigma, engagement and retention in care and the role that nurses can play in reducing these barriers for optimal health care and quality of life for people living with HIV will be examined. Learn firsthand about the accomplishments of empowered PLWH in updating HIV criminal law in Colorado and how that can translate to other states. We will also explore the fears, myths and benefits of molecular HIV surveillance for cluster outbreaks within the framework of HIV criminalization.



**Barb Cardell**  
Board President  
Positive Women's  
Network-USA(PWN)



**Carole Treston**  
Executive Director  
ANAC

## Concurrent Sessions

**Saturday, November 10**

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Room: Colorado IJ

### **RAPID ART: Getting Closer to Zero**

In 2013 a pilot project was undertaken at San Francisco General Hospital with the goal of providing same day ART to persons newly diagnosed with HIV, with an emphasis on identifying those in acute infection. Since that time there have been several international studies supporting the benefits of early ART initiation. RAPID ART has become a standard of care at Ward 86 with over 200 patients having been initiated on early treatment. Initiation of ART has become the expectation of our patients, resulting in high rates of viral suppression and retention in care. Along the way there have been successes, challenges and lessons learned. RAPID ART is an important tool in reaching our goal of no new infections, no stigma, no HIV-related deaths and bringing us closer to ZERO.



**Clarissa Ospina Norvell**  
RN, MSN, ANP

## Concurrent Sessions

**Saturday, November 10**

2:15 – 3:15 p.m.  
Room: Penrose 1

### **Demystifying ANAC's Conference Abstract Submission Process: Making the System Work for You**

The ANAC submission process for conference abstracts can be complex and difficult to navigate, especially for those unfamiliar with the process. Even for the most seasoned of presenters, it is important to become familiar with the abstract review process and objectives to meet in order to submit high-quality abstracts. The purpose of this session is to provide practical tips on how to successfully prepare and submit an abstract for presentation at the annual ANAC conference. In addition, the current submission system and forms required at the time of abstract submission will be reviewed.



**C. Ann Gakumo, PhD, RN**



**Joseph Perazzo**  
PhD, RN, ACRN

**Saturday, November 10**

2:15 – 3:15 p.m.  
Room: Penrose 2

### **Cognitive Assessment for HAND: HIV-Associated Neurocognitive Disorder in Older Adults**

Cognitive assessment is an advanced nursing skill set that involves evaluation of patients who offer complaints about memory, attention, orientation, executive function and language. In this presentation, the collective diagnostic term, HAND— HIV-Associated Neurocognitive Disorder— will be discussed as it applies to older, HIV-positive persons. Background information, use of selected screening tools and application to clinical practice will be the focus of this session.



**Craig R. Sellers**  
PhD, MS, RN, AGPCNP-BC,  
GNP-BC, FAANP

## Concurrent Sessions

**Saturday, November 10**

2:15 – 3:15 p.m.  
Room: Colorado GH

### **The Role of Healthcare Providers in Combating Human Trafficking**

The Annals of Health Law published a report by Laura J. Lederer showing that 87 percent of 200 human trafficking survivors interviewed reported seeing a health care provider while they were still under the control of a trafficker (December 2014). This workshop equips nurses to understand types of human trafficking and identify potential victims. Applying trauma-informed care models to interaction with victims who present with a trafficker will equip nurses to identify control and coercion techniques and know how to report potential cases. Participants will understand their role in a multidisciplinary approach to identification, intervention, referral, and reporting for victims.



**Sandra Morgan**  
PhD, RN

**Saturday, November 10**

2:15 – 3:15 p.m.  
Room: Nat Hill

### **An Introduction to the *All of Us* Research Program**

Dr. Norma Cuellar, PhD, RN, FAAN will present an overview of the *All of Us* Research program, a historic effort by the National Institutes of Health to gather data from one million or more people living in the United States to accelerate research and improve health. Unlike research studies that are focused on a specific disease or population, *All of Us* will serve as a national research resource to inform thousands of studies, covering a wide variety of health conditions.

Dr. Cuellar will discuss the important role providers can play, paths to participation and enrollment, and the program's focus on enrolling diverse participants who have historically underrepresented in clinical research.



**Norma Cuellar**  
PhD, RN, FAAN  
President, Hispanic Nurses  
Association



## Closing Plenary Speaker

**Saturday, November 10**

3:30–4:45 p.m.

Room: Denver Ballroom

### Two-Spirit Gifts & Medicines: Dreams, hopes & healing

Many cultural traditions and practices of the peoples of Turtle Island have often been misrepresented or suppressed. This especially holds true for indigenous notions and practices of sex, gender, gender-roles and sexuality. This presentation explores these concepts by featuring some of the sociohistorical documentation from a nation-specific standpoint while supplementing these records and narratives with deconstructed colonial narratives and/or accounts. A brief overview is offered on how this burgeoning body of knowledge is used to (re)claim and restore respect, honor and dignity for today's Two-Spirit individuals and communities as they navigate and negotiate Native and LGBTQI+ spaces, places and communities. Finally, a discussion is taken up on the (re)positioning of Two-Spirit as this work and discussions significantly differs from that of the (non-Native) LGBTQI+ movements. It will include a critique of the 'western' framing of sex, gender, gender-roles, and sexuality opening up a space that transcends and challenges the binary creating a space to dream of a rich, complex and diverse world that acknowledges "other" while honoring, celebrating and valuing the gifts and medicines the "other" has to offer.



**Harlan Pruden**  
BA, PhD student

## Celebration of Life

**Saturday, November 10**

5:30–6:30 p.m.

Room: Colorado GHJ



The Celebration of Life will be a short but powerful gathering to remember those we have lost, celebrate our collective spirit and share memories of friends and family.

## Awards Ceremony

**Saturday, November 10**

7–9 p.m.

Room: Denver Ballroom

The awards ceremony will be held after the Celebration of Life. Please note there is an additional \$30 fee to attend the awards ceremony. Food will be served and a cash bar will be available.

*Best wishes*

for a  
successful  
conference!



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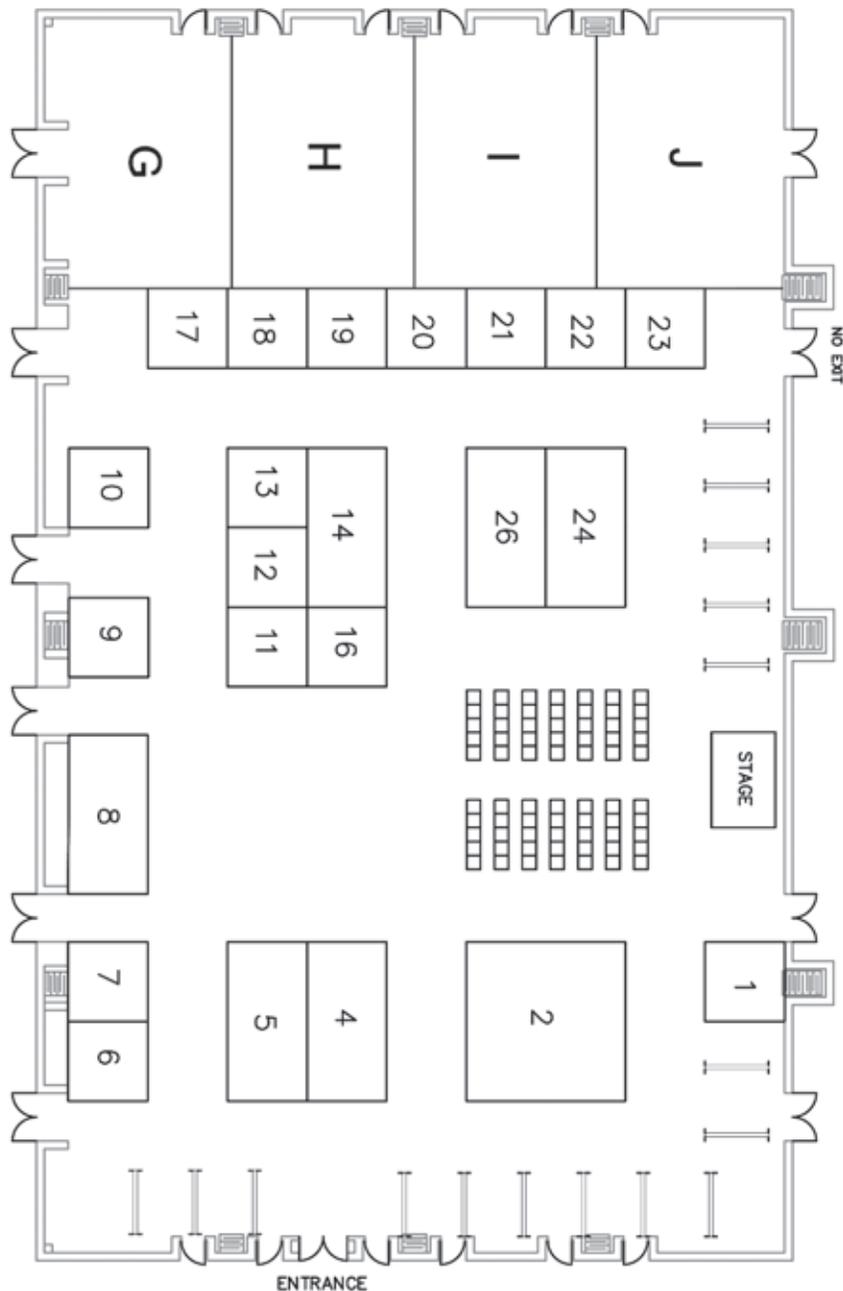
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# Exhibitors

## AHF/Positive Healthcare

Booth 20

1001 N. Martel AVE  
Los Angeles, CA 90046

AIDS Healthcare Foundation, the world's largest AIDS organization, provides medical care to almost 1 million individuals in 41 countries, including the United States. It operates global health care centers, HIV testing, prevention and education programs and domestic managed care programs and health plans under the Positive Healthcare brand.

## Avita

Booth 18

300 Canal St. Ste. 250  
New Orleans, LA 70125

Avita is a national pharmacy services and solutions provider with a passion for community support and advocacy.

## Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Booth 9

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Act Against AIDS – Health Care Provider Campaigns  
1600 Clifton Road MS E-49 Atlanta, GA  
Company web site address: [www.cdc.gov/actagainstaids/pic](http://www.cdc.gov/actagainstaids/pic)

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention has developed new resources for health care providers that translate scientific evidence into practical tools for HIV screening, prevention, and care. The HIV Screening, Standard Care, Prescribe HIV Prevention (PrEP & PEP), Prevention IS Care, and Transforming Health campaigns include resources to improve outcomes at each step of the HIV Prevention and Care Continuum.

## Colorado AETC

Booth 12

The AIDS education and training Center is the training arm of the Ryan White HIV/AIDS program. The AETCs provide locally based, tailored education and build capacity for health care providers along the HIV continuum.

## EMD Serono

Booth 13

One Technology Place  
Rockland, MA 02370

EMD Serono — the biopharmaceutical business of Merck KGaA, Darmstadt, Germany, in the U.S. and Canada — is engaged in the discovery, research and development of medicines for patients with difficult to treat diseases. The business is committed to transforming lives by developing and delivering meaningful solutions that help address the therapeutic and support needs of individual patients. Building on a proven legacy and deep expertise in neurology, fertility and endocrinology, EMD Serono is developing potential new oncology and immuno-oncology medicines while continuing to explore potential therapeutic options for diseases such as psoriasis, lupus and multiple sclerosis. Today, the business has approximately 1,300 employees around the country with commercial, clinical and research operations based in the company's home state of Massachusetts.

## The Gideons International

Booth 23

PO Box 140800  
Nashville, TN 37214

The Gideons International distribute testaments with Psalms and proverbs to all medical personnel at no charge in appreciation for what they do in our community

## Exhibitors

### Gilead Sciences HIV Treatment

Booths 2 & 3

333 Lakeside Dr.  
Foster City, CA 94404

Gilead Sciences is a biopharmaceutical company that discovers, develops and commercializes innovative therapeutics in areas of unmet medical need. The company's mission is to advance the care of patients suffering from life-threatening diseases. Gilead has operations in more than 30 countries worldwide, with headquarters in Foster City, California.

### Janssen Therapeutics, Division of Janssen Products, LP

Booth 11

1125 Trenton-Harbourton Road  
Titusville, NJ 08560

At Janssen Therapeutics, we are dedicated to providing innovative medicines that address serious unmet needs for people living with HIV, Hepatitis C and other infectious diseases. A division of Janssen products, LP, Janssen Therapeutics is one of the pharmaceutical companies of Johnson & Johnson.

### The Reach Initiative of The Johns Hopkins School of Nursing

Booth 5

855 N. Wolfe Street Suite 601, Room 609  
Baltimore, MD 21205

The Johns Hopkins School of Nursing in Baltimore, Maryland is a globally recognized leader in education, research and practice. Educational programs include the PhD program and DNP/PhD and DNP programs HIV specialty tracks. The school of nursing is also the home of The REACH Initiative, a center focused on prevention, care and support for people living with and at risk for HIV. The REACH Initiative provides technical assistance, skills-building and education as well as implementation science and clinical trials in HIV and associated co-morbidities.

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### Merck & Company

Booth 7

2000 Galloping Hill Rd  
Kenilworth, NJ 07033

For more than a century, Merck has been inventing for life, bringing forward medicines and vaccines for many of the world's most challenging diseases. Today, Merck continues to be at the forefront of research to deliver innovative health solutions and advance the prevention and treatment of diseases that threaten people and animals around the world.

### Napo Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Booth 16

201 Mission St., Suite 2375  
San Francisco, CA 94105

Napo Pharmaceuticals, Inc. focuses on developing and commercializing proprietary human gastrointestinal pharmaceutical for the global marketplace from plants used traditionally in rainforest areas.

### Rutgers University

Booth 19

180 University Ave., Room 308  
Newark, NJ 07101

The school of Nursing at Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey is ranked in the nation's top 20 graduate schools by U.S. News & World Report. Its innovative offerings include an advanced practice nursing HIV Care Specialization program. To learn about academic offerings and employment opportunities, please visit [nursing.rutgers.edu](http://nursing.rutgers.edu).

### Theratechnologies

Booths 24 & 26

2015 Peel Street, 5th Floor  
Montreal, Quebec

Theratechnologies (TSX: TH) is a specialty pharmaceutical company which has been addressing unmet medical needs to promote healthy living and an improved quality of life among HIV patients for 25 years. We have two approved products, EGRIFTA® and Trogarzo™, marketed in the United States. For further information about our company and products, please visit [www.theratech.com](http://www.theratech.com)

### Until There's A Cure

Booths 14 & 15

560 Mountain Home Rd  
Redwood City, CA 94062

Until There's A Cure Foundation is a national organization dedicated to eradicating HIV/AIDS by raising awareness and fund to combat this pandemic.

### ViiV Healthcare

Booth 8

5 Moore Drive  
PO Box 13398  
Research Triangle Park, NC 27713

ViiV Healthcare is a global specialist HIV company dedicated to delivering advances in treatment and care for people living with HIV. Formed in 2009, it is majority owned by GSK with Pfizer and Shionogi as other shareholders. Learn more about the company, its management, portfolio, pipeline, and commitment at [www.viivhealthcare.com](http://www.viivhealthcare.com).

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### Walgreens

Booth 4

200 Wilmot Road  
Deerfield, IL 60015

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### Wolters Kluwer

Booth 17

2001 Market St.  
Philadelphia, PA 19103

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