

SAVE THE DATE

Pennsylvania's Dual Diagnosis Conference

*Theme: Broadening
Understanding,
Strengthening Support*

**Tues., November 13,
Wed., November 14 and
Thurs., November 15, 2018**

**Blair County Convention
Center
1 Convention Center Drive,
Altoona, PA 16602**

The Office of Developmental Programs and the Office of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services are pleased to announce a statewide conference focused on building capacity to better support individuals with complex needs in the community.

Keynote and Featured Speakers:

- ◆ Brenda Finucane, MS – Geisinger Health Systems, Autism & Developmental Medicine Institute
- ◆ Dan Dubovsky, MSW – Independent Contractor
- ◆ Beth Barol, Ph.D. – Widener University, School of Social Work
- ◆ Matthew Wintersteen, Ph.D. – Thomas Jefferson University, Department of Psychiatry & Human Behavior
- ◆ Jim Donovan, M.Ed. – St. Francis University

Session Topics Include:

Genetic Testing, Diagnosis and Next Generation Treatment Approaches ◆ Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders ◆ Supporting the Supporters ◆ Suicide Prevention, Assessment and Brief Intervention ◆ Finding Solutions Together: Practical Assistive Technology and Tools ◆ Behavioral Approaches: Functional Assessment and Intervention Planning

Conference Schedule:

Day 1: Tuesday, November 13 – 9:00 am to 4:15 pm

Day 2: Wednesday, November 14 – 8:30 am to 4:15 pm

Day 3: Thursday, November 15 – 9:00 am to 4:15 pm

Continuing Education: The opportunity to provide CEUs to participants is being reviewed. Further information will be available with the final registration materials.

Cost: Participants can register for one of these three options with the accompanying registration fee.

Registration fee includes lunch, break snacks and all materials.

Days 1, 2 and 3 - \$225.00

Day 1 and Day 2 – \$150.00

Day 3 - \$75.00

Hotel Information: A limited number of rooms will be available at a group rate. Details on hotel accommodations will be included with registration.

Full conference agenda and registration information are coming soon.



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