

# Collaborations Conference 2018

## Schedule-At-a-Glance – Sunday, September 23, 2018

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| 1:00 – 7:00 pm<br><i>Ballroom Foyer</i> | Conference Registration Open  |
| 1:00 – 5:00 pm<br><i>Ballroom Foyer</i> | Exhibit Set-Up  |
| 1:00 – 2:00 pm<br><i>Greenway</i>       | VRCEA Meeting   |
| 1:00 - 2:00 pm<br><i>Montpelier</i>     | VA-APSE Meeting   |
| 2:00 – 5:00 pm                          | Pre-Conference Training Sessions  |
| <b>Stratford Hall</b>                   | <b>DD Waiver Core Responsibilities: The Role of the DSP</b><br><i>Eric Williams, Director of Provider Development, DBHDS</i>  |
| <b>Poplar Hall</b>                      | <b>Ethics: Making Sound Ethical Decisions When Faced with Injustice in the Workplace</b><br><i>Maureen McGuire-Kuletz, Ed.D., Co-Director and Robert Froehlich, Ed.D., Project Director, The George Washington University and Kevin Paluszak, CEO, ECCO Consulting Services</i> |
| 5:30 – 7:00 pm<br><i>Ballroom Foyer</i> | Welcome Reception – Hosted by Sponsors & Exhibitors   |
| 8:00 – 11:00 pm<br><i>RiverWalk</i>     | Hospitality Suite – Hosted by Collaborations Steering Committee<br>8:00 – 9:00 pm Sip & Taste Wine & Trivia Games – Host Bar<br>9:00 – 11:00 pm DJ – Music – Dancing – Host Bar   |

## Schedule-At-A-Glance – Monday, September 24, 2018

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| 7:30 am – 5:00 pm<br><i>Ballroom Foyer</i> | Conference Registration   |  |   |   |  |
| 7:30 am – 5:00 pm<br><i>Ballroom Foyer</i> | Exhibits Open   |  |   |   |  |
| 7:30 – 8:30 am<br><i>Foyer</i>             | Breakfast   |  |   |   |  |
| 8:30 – 10:00 am                            | Session #1  | Session #2   | Session #3  | Session #4  | Session #5   |
|  | <b>Greenway</b>   | <b>Providence</b>  | <b>Brandon A &amp; B</b>  | <b>Monticello</b>   | <b>Poplar</b>  |
| <b>Concurrent Sessions</b>                 | Agriculture-Based Employment for Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder: Exploring Benefits & Best Practices   | Harassment Happens: A Candid Cultural Conversation                           | Working With the LGBTQ+ Community   | Developing Antecedent Based Interventions & Replacement Behaviors to Reduce Challenging Behaviors on the Job Site | CMS Home & Community Based Services (HCBS) Settings Requirements & New Updates – What Providers Need to Know to be Compliant |
| 10:00 – 10:15 am                           | Break   |  |   |   |  |
| 10:15 – 12:00 pm<br><i>York/Stratford</i>  | <b>Opening General Session:</b><br>Honorable Kathryn A. Hayfield, Commissioner, DARS<br><b>“Choose to Take Away the Positive”</b><br>Honorable David Reid, Delegate, Virginia’s 32 <sup>nd</sup> District<br><b>Conference Drawing – (Must be Present to Win)</b> |  |   |   |  |
| 11:00 – 3:00 pm<br><i>Montpelier</i>       | Assistive Technology Fair   |  |   |   |  |
| 12:00 – 1:45 pm<br><i>Monticello</i>       | VRA General Membership Meeting & Lunch  |  |   |   |  |
| 12:00 – 1:45 pm                            | Lunch on Your Own   |  |   |   |  |
| 2:00 – 3:15 pm                             | Session #1  | Session #2   | Session #3  | Session #4  | Session #5   |
|  | <b>Greenway</b>   | <b>Providence</b>  | <b>Brandon A &amp; B</b>  | <b>Montpelier</b>   | <b>Poplar</b>  |
| <b>Concurrent Sessions</b>                 | Adjustment to Disability: Employment, Environmental and Counseling Considerations   | Responding to the Opioid Epidemic: Meeting the needs of the Community (RBHA) | Practical Methods of Job Development; Identifying and Developing Natural Supports | Assistive Technology Fair – A “Hands On”, Give It a Good Ole’ Try, Show & Tell Assistive Technology Showcase      | ABLEnow – What Providers Need to Know in 2018  |

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| <b>3:15 – 3:30 pm</b>                                      | <b>Break</b>  |  |  |  |   |
| <b>3:30 – 4:45 pm</b><br><b>Concurrent Sessions</b>        | <b>Session #1</b>   | <b>Session #2</b>  | <b>Session #3</b>  | <b>Session #4</b>  | <b>Session #5</b>                               |
|  | <b>Greenway</b>   | <b>Providence</b>  | <b>Brandon A &amp; B</b>   | <b>Monticello</b>  | <b>Poplar</b>                                   |
|  | The Future is Now: How Technology is the Key to Unlocking Independence for All  | Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia and Individuals with Disabilities     | Community & Client Connections – Working With Ecomaps              | The Vocational Rehabilitation Return on Investment (ROI) Project - Recent Results for Virginia   | DBHDS Update – Implementing New Waiver Services |
| <b>6:00 – 6:30 pm</b><br><i>York &amp; Stratford Hall</i>  | <b>Cash Bar &amp; Awards Dinner Seating</b>   |  |  |  |   |
| <b>6:30 – 8:30 pm</b><br><i>York &amp; Stratford Hall</i>  | <b>Awards Dinner – Celebrating Staff, Employers and Virginians with Disabilities!</b><br><b>Conference Drawing – (Must be Present to Win)</b>   |  |  |  |   |
| <b>8:30 – 8:45 pm</b>                                      | <b>Formal Pictures - Awardees</b>   |  |  |  |   |
| <b>9:00 – 11:00 pm</b><br><i>Riverwalk</i>                 | <b>Hospitality Suite – Hosted by the Collaborations Steering Committee</b><br>9:00 – 10:00 pm <i>Line Dancing Lessons and Host Bar Hospitality</i><br>10:00 – 11:00 pm <i>DJ Music – Dancing – Host Bar Hospitality</i> |  |  |  |   |
| <b>Schedule-At-a-Glance – Tuesday, September 25, 2018</b>  |   |  |  |  |   |
| <b>7:30 – 12:30 pm</b><br><i>Ballroom Foyer</i>            | <b>Conference Registration</b>  |  |  |  |   |
| <b>7:30 – 12:30 pm</b><br><i>Ballroom Royer</i>            | <b>Exhibits Open</b>  |  |  |  |   |
| <b>7:30 – 8:30 am</b><br><i>Foyer &amp; Stratford Hall</i> | <b>Breakfast</b>  |  |  |  |   |
| <b>8:30 – 9:30 am</b><br><b>Concurrent Sessions</b>        | <b>Session #1</b>   | <b>Session #2</b>  | <b>Session #3</b>  | <b>Session #4</b>  | <b>Session #5</b>                               |
|  | <b>Greenway</b>   | <b>Providence</b>  | <b>York/Stratford</b>  | <b>Brandon A &amp; B</b>   | <b>Poplar</b>                                   |
|  | Career Pathways & the Virtual Job Shadow  | Identifying Autism Characteristic & How It Applies to Mental Health Services | What's New in CARF? - A Whole New Section on Workforce Development | PEERS – An Evidence Based Approach for Individuals on the Autism Spectrum to Learn Social Skills | Pre-Employment Transition Services (Pre-ETS)    |
| <b>9:30 – 9:45 am</b><br><i>Ballroom Foyer</i>             | <b>Break</b>  |  |  |  |   |
| <b>9:45 – 12:15 pm</b><br><b>Concurrent Sessions</b>       | <b>Session #1</b>   | <b>Session #2</b>  | <b>Session #3</b>  |  |   |
|  | <b>Poplar</b>   | <b>Providence</b>  | <b>York/Stratford</b>  |  |   |
|  | Customized Employment – Leveraging Job Seekers Social Capital and Innate Strengths to Find Successful Employment  | Employment as a Pillar of Recovery   | Appreciative Practices: Engaging Work and Life with Intention      |  |   |
| <b>12:15 – 12:30 pm</b>                                    | <b>Break</b>  |  |  |  |   |
| <b>12:30 – 1:15 pm</b><br><i>York/Stratford</i>            | <b>Closing General Session &amp; Wrap Up</b><br><b>Conference &amp; Exhibitor Drawing (\$100 - Must be Present to Win)</b>  |  |  |  |   |
| <b>1:15 pm</b>   | <b>Conference Adjourns</b>  |  |  |  |   |