

Schedule at a Glance <i>(subject to change)</i>		
<div><div>Ci</div> <i>Clinical</i> <div>Bd</div> <i>Board</i> <div>Bu</div> <i>Business/Upper Management</i></div>		
Up to 19 CEU Credits Provided by NASW & NAADAC		
Wednesday September 17, 2025 CBHC Pre-Conference Workshops		
8:00am - 4:00pm	#1 Pre-Con Workshop <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Communicating Assertively: Finding Balance <i>Jorie Cotton, MA, LPC, PHR</i> <i>The Employers Council</i>	
8:00am - 4:00pm	#2 Pre-Con Workshop <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Transforming Toxic Stress and Burnout: Moving from Overwhelm and Depletion to Empowerment and Vitality <i>Janine D’Anniballe, PhD</i>	
Thursday September 18, 2025 CBHC Conference		
8:45am - 10:30am	Keynote & Mental Health First Aid Awards <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> The Resilient Life: Reducing Stress & Burnout in Today’s Wild World <i>Dr. Susan Biali Haas, MD</i>	
10:30am - 11:00am	Coffee Break Visit the Exhibits & Sponsors in the Colorado Ballroom	
11:00am - 12:00pm	#100 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> The Resilient Life: Strengthening Our Roots to Fortify Our Days <i>Dr. Susan Biali Haas, MD</i> #101 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Young Minds, Big Challenges: The Current State of Pediatric Mental Health in Colorado <i>Mark Allen, MD</i> #102 <div>Ci</div> Building Resilience for Clients From Marginalized Communities: A Roadmap for Clinicians <i>Jane Flournoy, PhD, LMFT, LPC, LAC; Hannah Haddadi, BS; Leela Romero, BA</i> #103 <div>Ci</div> Veteran Outreach & Suicide Prevention in Rural Communities <i>Brad Roe & Craig Rauwolf</i> #104 <div>Bu</div> Support Comes from Unexpected Places: Prosecutor-Led Behavioral Health Diversion <i>Jenny Dusseau, MA, CAS & Ayla Perez</i> #105 <div>Bu</div> <div>Ci</div> Supporting Employees Affected by Substance Use Disorder: The Colorado Recovery Friendly Workplace Initiative™ <i>David Shapiro</i> #106 <div>Ci</div> Flexible Framework for Helping Clients on the Autistic Spectrum <i>Autumn L. Matsutani, MA, CRC, LPC, NCC</i>	
12:00pm - 1:30pm	Lunch Attendees; CCBHC; Training & Development; MarComms Meeting	
1:30pm - 3:00pm	<div><div>#200 Session Sponsor</div><div>mend</div></div> General Session #200 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> State of the State Perspective: Panel With the BHA and HCPF Leadership <i>BHA Commissioner Dannette R. Smith, MSW with Cristen Bates, MPH and Bettina Schneider</i> #201 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bu</div> Targeted Violence Prevention <i>Brytany Lemon, MA, LPC & Rebecca Rickard, MSW, LCSW, Certified Master Trainer through NTER, DHS</i> #202 <div>Ci</div> Building Community Support Networks for People Experiencing Homelessness <i>Becc Mace, MSW; Rosy Rodriguez, MSW; Wren Duggan, LPC</i> #203 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Survivor and Provider: Living as Wounded Healers <i>Brandon Wilcox, BS & Tiffany Erspamer, PsyD, LP</i> #204 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Empowered Leadership: How Managers Can Drive Culture Change in Behavioral Health <i>Vanessa Alarcón, LCSW, LAC, ACS; Daniela Rossi, LPC; Michael Marsico, LCSW</i>	
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Coffee Break Visit the Exhibits & Sponsors in the Colorado Ballroom	
3:30pm - 5:00pm	#300 <div>Ci</div> Psilocybin in Practice: The Launch of Colorado’s Psychedelic Therapy Program <i>Natasia Poinsatte, MA; Mikki Vogt, LAC, LPC, NMCF; German Ascani, MD, MS</i> #301 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Deep Roots for Big Storms: Colorado’s Disaster Behavioral Health Program <i>Aimee Voth Siebert, MA, CPH</i> #302 <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Resilient Leadership: Building Trust & Collaboration on Leadership Teams <i>Megan Coatley, MA, BCBA</i> #303 <div>Ci</div> Enhancing Overdose Prevention Using Innovative Technology <i>Jorge R. Petit, MD</i> #304 <div>Bu</div> Behavioral Health Fundraising in Flux: Centering Community and Securing Support <i>Nia Wassink, MNM & Maegan Vallejo</i> #305 <div>Bu</div> Evolving the Behavioral Health Delivery System Through Mergers and Acquisitions <i>Joshua Rubin, MPP</i> #306 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Policy, Legislation and Budgets: State and Federal Developments <i>Edie Sonn, MPP; Frank Cornelia, MS, LPC; Veronica Bell, MPPA; Gil Romero, JD; Karen Wick, MPP</i>	
5:15pm - 6:30pm	Networking Reception <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> For all attendees (Colorado Ballroom) Sponsored by Rula Health	
Friday September 19, 2025		
8:45am - 10:30am	Keynote & Golden Abacus & Golden Lightbulb Awards <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Sponsored by NextGen Healthcare Transforming Lives: The Heart and Soul of Health Care Allison Massari	
10:30am - 11:00am	Coffee Break Visit the Exhibits & Sponsors in the Colorado Ballroom	
11:00am - 12:00pm	#400 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Mastering the Art of Resilience <i>Allison Massari</i> #401 <div>Ci</div> Supporting Others Without Depleting Yourself: Practical Mindfulness for Helping Professionals <i>Liz Chamberlain, PhD</i> #402 <div>Bu</div> Building Smarter Schedules: Community-Based Staffing Models for Access and Growth <i>Dante Gonzales, MBA & Elly Bailey, MSHCT, RN, NE-BC</i> #403 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Building Resilient Communities: CHWs as the Future of Equitable Healthcare <i>Emily Lentz, MSW & Jennifer Cannon, BA</i> #404 <div>Ci</div> Addressing Acute Suicidality: A Call for a Paradigm Shift in Suicide Prevention and Public Health Practices <i>Alexis Alltop & Christina Walker, MPA</i> #405 <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> The Evolving Federal Landscape for CCBHCs: Updates and Opportunities <i>Rebecca Farley David, MPH</i>	
12:00pm - 1:30pm	Lunch Attendees; Deputy Directors; CBHC Member CFOs	
12:00pm - 12:30pm	<div>Bd</div> Annual CBHC Board Meeting (CMHC & CBHC Board Members Only) (Imperial Ballroom)	
12:30pm - 1:30pm	<div>Bd</div> CBHC Board Awards Ceremony & Lunch (CMHC & CBHC Board Members Only) (Imperial Ballroom)	
1:30pm - 3:00pm	#500 <div>Bu</div> <div>Ci</div> Avoiding Data Black Holes: Actionable Use of CCBHC Quality Measures <i>Sara Reid, MA; Julia Lamb, MS-HSA; Andrea Raasch, LCSW; Sean Hansen, MS</i> #501 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Addressing Current Events, Mass Tragedies, and Global Conflicts in Therapeutic Spaces <i>Eunice Kwon, LCSW, PMH-C</i> #502 <div>Ci</div> Breaking the Cycle: Addressing Adverse Childhood Experiences Among Marginalized Youth <i>Steven Haden, MSW, MBA, CPRP</i> #503 <div>Bu</div> Enhancing Parity Using Data From the Transparency in Coverage Rule <i>Jessica Dunbar, MSPH & Mindy Klowden, MNM</i> #504 <div>Ci</div> Language Equity in Clinical Assessments When Working With Interpreters <i>Vivion Sloan, PhD</i> #505 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Colorado System of Care (CO-SOC) for Children and Youth: 6- Year Plan for Rolling Out Intensive In-Home Services for Medicaid Members <i>Robert Werthwein, PhD & Stacey Davis, LCSW</i>	
1:30pm	#506 <div>Bd</div> CMHC & CBHC Board Members Only Session Behavioral Health at a Crossroads: Federal & State Policy, Medicaid Insights... (Imperial Ballroom)	
1:30pm - 2:30pm	<div>Bd</div> Federal Policy & Budget <i>Reyna Taylor, MBA, MS, BS</i>	
2:30pm - 3:30pm	<div>Bd</div> State Policy & Budget <i>Cristen Bates, MPH & Adela Flores-Brennan, PhD</i>	
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Coffee Break Visit the Exhibits & Sponsors in the Colorado Ballroom	
3:30pm - 4:30pm	#600 <div>Bu</div> University and Provider Collaboration: Addressing Colorado’s Workforce Shortage With Apprenticeships <i>Casey Riley; Devon Cozens, LCSW, MSW; Hanna Madison Lignell, MA; Jess Retrum, MSSW, PhD; Sara Reid, MA; Susie Ryder, CAC, LAC, MSW, LCSW</i> #601 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> Overview of 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline Center Operations <i>Cassie Villegas, LAC, CHC & Jaime Brewer, MA, LPC, CCI</i> #602 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> Building Social Connection in Rural Communities to Support Mental Wellness: The COMET Program <i>Linda Zittleman, MSPH & Jennifer Pollmiller, MA</i> #603 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinics & Colorado <i>Melissa Eddleman, MSW, FL, LCSW, MPA & Thomas Miller, JD, MA</i> #604 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bu</div> Fostering Healthy Futures: Promoting Resilience Among Youth With Child Welfare Involvement <i>Heather Taussig, PhD</i> #605 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Achieving No-Barrier Behavioral Healthcare in Medical Settings <i>Scott Simpson, MD, MPH; Cory Caven, BSW; Sandra Fritsch, MD; Thida Thant, MD</i>	
3:30pm - 4:30pm	<div>Bd</div> CMHC & CBHC Board Member Reception (CMHC & CBHC Board Members Only) (Imperial Ballroom)	
Saturday September 20, 2025		
8:00am - 11:00am (15-minute break)	#700 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bu</div> Implementing Ketamine-Assisted Psychotherapy: Lessons From a Community Behavioral Healthcare Provider <i>Zane Guilfoyle, LPC, LAC, ACS, ADS, MAC; Sabrina Rubaud, LCSW; Blaire Kabernagel, RN</i> #701 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Implementation Best Practices for Artificial Intelligence in Behavioral Health <i>Dennis Morrison, PhD</i> #702 <div>Ci</div> <div>Bd</div> <div>Bu</div> Suicide Prevention Training & Certificate Workplace-Based Suicide Prevention Training Certification: Implementation, Management and Outcomes <i>Matt Mishkind, PhD & Alexandra Yannacone, MA</i>	
Registration Now Open Go to: www.cbhc.org/conference Click here for Full Conference Program		
\$165 #1 Pre-Conference (Wed Only) Communicating Assertively: Finding Balance (Includes Wednesday training session, breakfast, lunch & coffee breaks)		
\$165 #2 Pre-Conference (Wed Only) Transforming Toxic Stress and Burnout (Includes Wednesday training session, breakfast, lunch & coffee breaks)		
\$500 Full Conference (Thur, Fri & Sat) Full Conference (Includes sessions, networking reception, breakfasts, lunches & coffee breaks)		
\$665 #1 PreCon + Full Conference (Wed, Thur, Fri & Sat) (Includes Wednesday workshop, and full conference sessions, networking reception, breakfasts, lunches & coffee breaks)		
\$665 #2 PreCon + Full Conference (Wed, Thur, Fri & Sat) (Includes Wednesday workshop, and full conference sessions, networking reception, breakfasts, lunches & coffee breaks)		