

Virginia Mason Continuing Medical Education

Health Equity and Diversity:

How to Get to Where We Need to Go

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Current news and literature often reference systemic racism, bias and a lack of health equity in the community. This course is designed to address these topics and more within the context of the health care setting. We will explore conscious versus unconscious bias and how it affects the health of patients and clinicians as well as cultural and racial barriers to health care. We will also present tools and programs that can be incorporated into practice to ameliorate inequities in the clinic or workplace.

Teaching methods include lecture, panel discussion and Q&A with faculty.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This course is appropriate for all clinicians.

OBJECTIVES

- Identify ways to intervene on the pervasiveness of racism and bias in our work
- Discuss ways in which mentorship can play a significant role in retention and development of diverse leadership
- Utilize equity-based decision-making tools to address unconscious bias
- Assess how gender bias in healthcare leads to outcome disparities in women of color
- Identify two data fields/sources that are important to understand when addressing health inequities the LGBTQI+ patient population face
- Evaluate community, healthcare, and local government response to COVID-19 through the lens of health equity
- Identify the application of implicit and explicit bias in administrative and medical decision-making



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Agenda

- 7:30 a.m. GRAND ROUNDS PRESENTATION**
Talking the Same Talk: Definitions of Diversity, Health Equity, Health Equality, Racism, Stigma, Intersectionality
Edwin Lindo, JD
- 8:30 a.m. Break**
- 8:40 a.m. Opening Remarks**
Nkeiruka Duze, MD
- 8:45 a.m. Mentoring and Training of Leaders to Improve Diversity**
Nwando Anyaoku, MD
- 9:45 a.m. Unconscious Bias in the Care of Patients**
Benjamin Danielson, MD
- 10:45 a.m. Break**
- 11:00 a.m. PANEL**
How Do We Get to Where We Want to Go in Achieving Health Equity?
Moderator: Carrie Horwitch, MD
Panel: Benjamin Danielson, MD; Darryl Perry, Donna Smith, MD and Esther Lucero, MPP
- 12:00 p.m. Sexism in Health Care: Outcome Differences in Women of Color**
Nkeiruka Duze, MD
- 12:30 p.m. Lunch Break**
- 1:00 p.m. Swedish's Journey: LGBTQI+ Idea to Program**
Peter Mann-King, Mattie Mooney and Kevin Wang, MD
- 1:45 p.m. Pandemics of Inequity: Trust, Memory, and Response to COVID-19**
Hana Akselrod, MD
- 2:30 p.m. Break**
- 2:45 p.m. Considering Intersectionality With Social Determinants of Health**
Amish Dave, MD and Laura Webster, RN
- 3:30 p.m. Final Questions and Closing Remarks**
Amish Dave, MD
- 3:45 p.m. Adjourn**



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