Wrap-up Session: Racial equity and health disparities in the age of COVID-19: What new strategies are needed to support the SU prevention, treatment and recovery workforce serving communities of color and/or underserved communities?

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Community Agreements

Please note: To create a safe and secure Zoom space, we will not be able to share participants video during this webinar.

In the chat: Please say hello and include your name, role, organization, and community identity “I am speaking from the experience as an...”

Comments and Questions: You may use chat throughout for any comments and questions and our team will respond.

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The use of affirming language inspires hope and advances recovery.

**LANGUAGE MATTERS.**

**Words have power.**

**PEOPLE FIRST.**

The ATTC Network uses affirming language to promote the promises of recovery by advancing evidence-based and culturally informed practices.
Agenda

5 minutes: Introductions and brief overview of session.

10 minutes: Panelists will provide 1-2-minute recap of sessions.

10 minutes: Panelists will share overlapping themes and strategies.

20 minutes: Everyone will engage around strategies to support the SU prevention, treatment and recovery workforce serving communities of color and/or underserved communities.

5 minutes: Wrap-up and identify next steps.

Post-series: Share recording, notes of key themes/answers to key questions, and any tools/resources.

Everyone is encouraged to engage using chat throughout.
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Panelist Responses

Provide a 1-2-minute recap from your session:

- April 28: Health disparities and the impact of COVID-19 on African American and black communities
- April 30: Strategies to support the LatinX communities
- May 5: American Indian/Alaska Native communities: Trauma-responsive approaches to support the communities
- May 7: Asian-American Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander communities and addressing stigma

Participants: Please share experiences in chat. What did you hear/learn during the sessions you attended?
Overlapping Themes

What were some common threads you heard across discussions?

Participants share in chat: Where did you hear concerns from your community echoed in other community discussions?
Strategies

What new strategies are needed to support the substance use prevention, treatment and recovery workforce serving communities of color and/or underserved communities?

Participants share in chat: What can we do right now to support our communities?
Lightning Round

• Please share one key message of hope about how to build a system that supports communities of color and/or underserved communities.

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Wrap-Up and Future Sessions

• Open discussion:
  • What did we miss?
  • Improvements?
  • Final thoughts or comments?

• Wrap up:
  • Reports posted by June 19
  • Next steps/follow-up
  • Please look out for registration links for ATTC/PTTC follow-up strategic discussion sessions in July, August, and September!
Resources

Please visit our COVID-19 pandemic response resources for both the ATTC & PTTC Networks for helpful resources related to substance use prevention, treatment, and recovery:

- ATTC Pandemic Response Resources
- PTTC Pandemic Response Resources
- PTTC Workgroup – Addressing Culturally & Linguistically Appropriate Practices Resources
- ATTC Workgroup - Health Equity & Inclusion Resources