Postpartum Support International 29th Annual Conference

Bridging, Bonding, and Beyond:

Clinical Expertise and Community Outreach in Perinatal Mental Health

June 22-25, 2016 in San Diego, California

June 24-25: 29th Annual PSI Conference

June 22-23: Pre-Conference Perinatal Mental Health Certificate Training

The annual Postpartum Support International (PSI) conference is a unique international training and networking opportunity, bringing together medical and mental health providers, childbirth professionals, support providers, policy-makers, researchers, volunteers, families, and educators to improve their understanding of perinatal mood and anxiety disorders (PMADs) and their ability to serve pregnant, postpartum, and post pregnancy-loss families.

Conference workshops include a range of topics; psychobiology; psychotherapy; community systems, advocacy, and development; diversity and culturally-informed services; integrated systems of behavioral and primary care; fathers, families, and partners; complementary medicine; innovation in solutions; and peer support and community networks. With our pre-conference certificate training, twenty-eight breakout workshops, a poster session, four expert keynotes, and a banquet gala, our conference attendees always leave informed and inspired.



Postpartum Support International (PSI) is the leading worldwide perinatal mental health organization offering support, reliable information, best practice training, and linkage to the global perinatal mental health network. We create a safety net for families, connecting them with our trained Support Coordinators and informed local resources. PSI has more than 300 volunteers helping every day on our English and Spanish warmlines, and as local PSI Coordinators in all 50 U.S. states, and countries around the world. Working together with our volunteers, social support groups, professionals, researchers, legislators, and others, PSI is committed to eliminating stigma and ensuring that compassionate and quality care is available to all families. We are dedicated to increasing the number, capacity, and competency of social support and clinical providers and organizations that care for pregnant and postpartum families.

Early Bird Registration Rates until May 6

Presented by:



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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:

Vivien Burt, MD

Topic: Depression in Pregnancy: Making Sense of Conflicting Literature about Risks of Treatment with Antidepressants

Vincent Felitti, MD

Topic: Adverse Childhood Experiences and Maternal Mental Health

David Levine, MD

and

Danny Singley, PhD

Topic: Perinatal Mental Health

Sherry Payne, MSN, RN, CNE, IBCLC

Topic: Maternal Mental Health and Cultural Competency

FRIDAY NIGHT BANQUET KEYNOTE:

Celebrity Chef Aarti Sequeira

SPECIAL EVENTS:

- Wednesday Evening June 22: "Return to Zero" Film and Discussion
- Saturday Evening June 25: Post-Conference Performance: "Playing Monopoly with God and other True Stories" written and performed by Melissa Bangs

CONFERENCE DISCOUNTS:

PSI members, member volunteers, students, conference speakers, sponsors, exhibitors, and staff qualify for discounts on registration fees.

LODGING:

Conference Rates until May 26 Hilton San Diego Mission Valley San Diego, California

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More information and link to registration: http://www.postpartum.net/professionals/psi-annual-conference-2016/

