

The 2019 Sol Adler Memorial Conference

UT Conference Center, Knoxville, TN

Friday, March 29, 2019

“Neurodevelopmental Outcomes of Infants and Children Prenatally Opioid-Exposed”



Presented by:

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Kerry Proctor-Williams is a Professor of Speech-Language Pathology at East Tennessee State University. She received her PhD from the University of Kansas after working clinically for many years. Research interests include the feeding, speech, language, and literacy outcomes of prenatally drug-exposed infants and children, child language acquisition and disorders, and interprofessional education.

Abstract: The growth of the population of infants and children prenatally exposed to opioids directly impacts speech-language pathology (SLP) caseloads. This presentation begins with background information about the the opioid crisis, incidence of NAS, its assessment and treatment in the NICU, and evidence-based information about neurodevelopmental outcomes for children post-NAS.

Course Objectives:

- Participants will be able to discuss the opioid crisis and its implications for infants, children and their families in Tennessee
- Participants will be able to describe the infant behaviors associated with Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome.
- Participants will be able to describe common neurodevelopmental outcomes for children prenatally exposed to drugs

Agenda

7:30 - 8:15 AM	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:15 - 8:30	Welcome and Introduction
8:30 – 10:30	The Opioid Epidemic and Foundations of Prenatal Opioid Exposure
10:30 - 10:45	Break and Vendor Exhibits
10:45-12:00 PM	Evidence, Outcomes, and Implications of Prenatal Opioid Exposure for SLPs
12:00 - 1:15	Lunch Provided Onsite
1:15 – 2:30	Professional Panel Rotation 1
2:30-2:45	Break and Vendor Exhibits
2:45-4:30	Professional Panel Rotation 2

Professional Panel Participants:

- Sarah Brewer, Speech-Language Pathologist, University of Tennessee Medical Center
- Caleb Corwin, Behavioral Health Consultant/Psychologist, Cherokee Health Systems
- Tiffani Dixon, Early Interventionist, Emory Valley Center—Oak Ridge
- Teresa Stafford, Education Specialist, Tennessee Department of Children Services—Knox Region
- Kerry Proctor-Williams, Speech-Language Pathologist, Associate Professor, East Tennessee State University
- Jeffrey Wright, Special Education Specialist, Knox County Schools
- Patricia Zetterberg, Director of Clinical Operations, East Tennessee Children’s Hospital—Knoxville



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(Intermediate level, Professional area)

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