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Why it Matters:
ADDRESSING THE MYTHS AND REALITIES
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Saturday, April 3, 2010



Education is our
passport to the future,
for tomorrow belongs to
the people who prepare
for it today
-Islamic Pearl of Wisdom



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Union Ballroom

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

- 8:00 a.m. Registration/Networking
- 8:45 Welcome remarks. Farha Abbasi, M.D.; Norma Baptista, Ph.D., Randy Hillard, M.D.
- 9:00 Overview of conference. Hamada Hamid, D.O., M.P.H.
- 9:10 Terrorism and Mental Health – The Global Misery. Amin A. Muhammad Gadit, M.D.
- 9:40 Allowing Independent Forensic Evaluations for Guantanamo Detainees. Neil K. Aggarwal, M.D., M.B.A., M.A.
- 10:00 Questions and discussion
- 10:15 Coffee Break
- 10:30 Keynote Speaker, Anti-Terror Lessons of American Muslims. David Schanzer, J.D.
- 11:15 Lessons from Ft. Hood. Chaplain (LTC) Abdul-Rasheed Muhammad
- 11:45 Role of Minority Fellowship. Annelle Primm, M.D., M.P.H.
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:05 Whose Side Are You On? Muslim Psychoanalysts Treating Non-Muslim Patients in America in the Aftermath of 9/11. Aisha Abbasi, M.D.
- 1:25 Muslims' Perception of Discrimination and PTSD Symptoms Post 9/11. Wahiba Abur-Ras, Ph.D.
- 1:45 Neuroprotective Role of Islam - Spirituality versus Religiosity. Mouhanad Hammami, M.D.
- 2:00 Questions and discussion
- 2:15 Break
- 2:30 Refugee Health. Janine Sinno, Ph.D.
- 2:50 Domestic Violence: Breaking the Silence. Batoool Kazim, M.D.
- 3:15 Questions and discussion
- 3:35 The Impact of Negative Media Images: The Case of Muslims/Arabs, A Review of Research in Neuroscience, Psychophysiology and Social Psychology. Daniel Tutt, M.A.
- 3:50 Closing Remarks, Adjournment

OBJECTIVES

The conference will provide an opportunity to increase knowledge and awareness of the physical and mental health needs of Arab and Muslim populations. Also, it will provide an opportunity for networking, consultation and information dissemination of the importance of building and sustaining collaborative efforts toward the respect of cultural differences among the vast majority and Arab and Muslim people.

Most or all sessions will be video-recorded. These will be accessible on line by all MSU medical colleges and collaborating faculty after the conference so information can be integrated into programs dealing with education about the Arab and Muslim world.

Students, faculty and providers from communities across Michigan, especially those with the highest percentage of Arab and Muslim populations, are invited to participate.

FACULTY

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