

2023 Mental Health Equity and Liberation Summit

To Whom It May Concern:

Thank you for your interest in the 2023 Mental Health Equity and Liberation Summit (formerly known as the Minority Mental Health Awareness Summit). The Black Women's Mental Health Institute is pleased to present the 7th Annual Mental Health Equity and Liberation Summit in recognition of July as Mental Health Liberation Month. This hybrid event is scheduled for July 13, 2023 at Samford University in historic Birmingham, Alabama.

Given the number of mental health facilities that continue to close nationally and the increasing diversity of patients, the need for culturally responsive mental health practitioners is essential to improving access to services. In addition to mental health professionals, the valuable voices of consumers, community organizers and religious leaders are necessary in order to encourage collaboration and innovation towards the development of new methods of support. Black, Latinx, Asian, Indigenous, LGBTQIA and various other speakers have been invited to share their perspectives on the importance of culturally responsive care and services.

This special event will offer interactive, community-centered opportunities to engage the field of mental health and diversity. We invite you to attend and hope to see you there!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nadia M. Richardson".

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Summit Registration

About the Summit

The Mental Health Equity and Liberation Summit is a unique national event that focuses on the importance of culturally competence in mental health care and advocacy. The summit is open to the public and scheduled for July 13, 2023. The theme of this year's event is: The Invisibly Obvious: Politics and Mental Health Disparity.

Who Should Attend

This event focuses on collaborative conversations about improving quality of mental care and dismantling stigma for minority populations. Target audiences include licensed mental health counselors, university students with interest in mental health, non-profit professionals, social workers, nurses, peer support specialists, educators, consumers (and loved ones), mental health advocates, community health organizers and religious leaders.

NBCC CE's are available for counselors, social workers and peer support specialists. NBCC CE's will be provided by ADvantage Counseling & Education Services, LLC. A total of 7 NBCC CE's are available for attending this year's summit.

General In-Person (No CE's): 50.00 per person (early bird – expires June 23rd)
75.00 per person

General Virtual (No CE's): 25.00 per person (early bird – expires June 23rd)
50.00 per person

NBCC In-Person (7 CE's): 125.00 per person (early bird – expires June 23rd)
150.00 per person

NBCC Virtual (7 CE's): 75.00 per person (early bird – expires June 23rd)
100.00 per person

Cancellation: Refunds available up to June 26, 2023 minus \$25 administrative fee. No refunds available after June 26, 2023.

Registration Options: There are two registration options.

- (1) Participants can register online at:

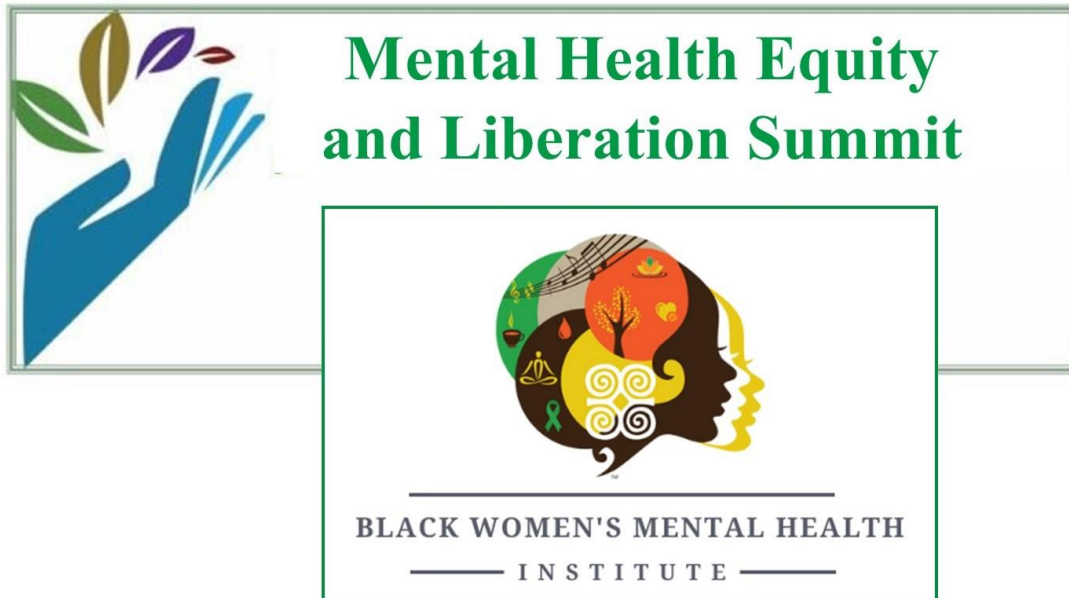
<https://mhels2023.eventbrite.com>

Please note: online processing fee for online registration

- (2) Participants can complete the attached registration form and mail it with a check or money order to:

Black Women's Mental Health Institute
P.O. Box 94336
Birmingham, AL 35220

Please make checks or money orders out to:
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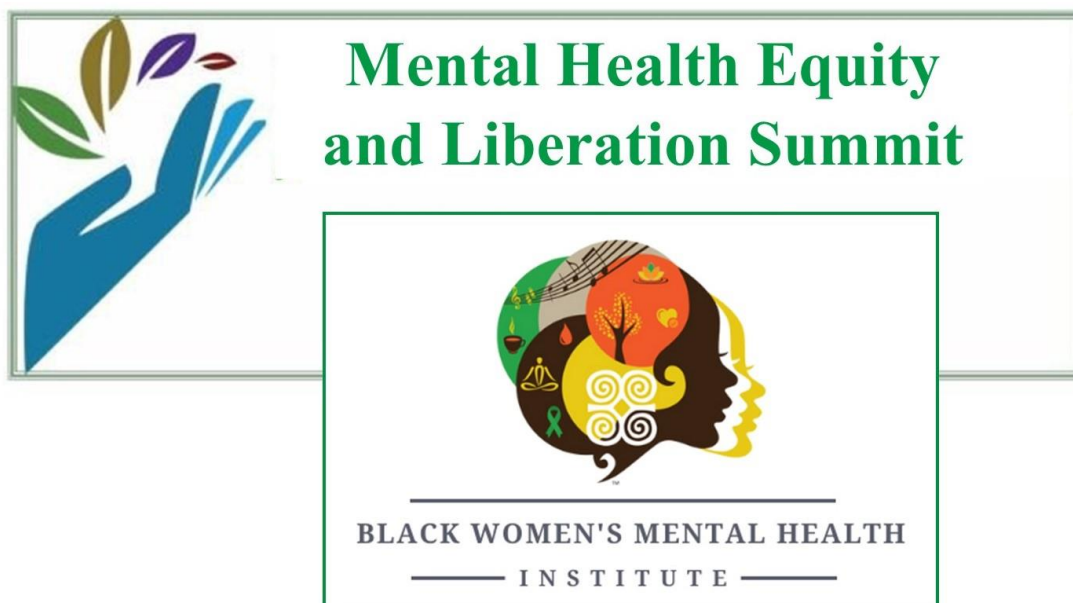
Registration Form

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION (Closes – June 23, 2023)

- ☐ General In-Person Registration – **Early Bird** (No CEs) - \$50.00
- ☐ General Virtual Registration – **Early Bird** (No CEs) - \$25.00
- ☐ In-Person Provider Registration – **Early Bird** (7 NBCC CEs) - \$125.00
- ☐ Virtual Provider Registration – **Early Bird** (7 NBCC CEs) - \$75.00

REGULAR REGISTRATION (Closes – July 12, 2023)

- ☐ General In-Person Registration (No CEs) - \$75.00
- ☐ General Virtual Registration (No CEs) - \$75.00
- ☐ In-Person Provider Registration (7 NBCC CEs) - \$150.00
- ☐ Virtual Provider Registration (7 NBCC CEs) - \$100.00



Registration Form

Name: _____

Company/Organization: _____ Title: _____

Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City

State

Zip

Daytime Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Method of Payment: (Check One): ☐ Check ☐ Money Order

Amount Enclosed: _____

Mail completed form and payment (payable to No More Martyrs) to:

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Questions / Inclusive Considerations / Group Registrations

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