



**MN Leadership
Council on Aging**

2020 Virtual Summit Series

Improving Health Equity for Minnesota's Older Adults



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Welcome to this dynamic gathering of Minnesota leaders in the field of aging.

In 2020, our conversation has never been more important. This three-day event has been designed as a leadership dialogue to explore health equity for diverse older Minnesotans and our shared efforts to support diversity, equity and inclusion in our communities and systems!

We are so glad to have your voice joining the discussion and we've built in opportunities for you to learn, reflect and connect with your fellow leaders from across our state.



Wednesday December 9

Learning Objectives

- Review state-specific data surrounding ageism and racism in Minnesota
- Understand key challenges and historical context facing diverse elders
- Explore the many assets Minnesota has in elders from diverse communities

9 a.m.

The Crossroads of Ageism and Racism in Minnesota



TETYANA SHIPPEE

Associate Professor, Division of Health Policy and Management and
Associate Director, Center for Healthy Aging and Innovation, University of Minnesota

10 a.m.

Understanding The Experiences of Diverse Minnesotans



ALANA WRIGHT - Moderator

Director of Equity and Operations
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LOUDI RIVAMONTE

Past President, Minnesota Association of Senior Services
Recreation Program Supervisor, City of Eagan



11 a.m.

Adjourn for the Day

HEAR



Thursday December 10

Learning Objectives

- Learn about various frameworks and solutions in policy and program changes
- Know how to grow and sustain your leadership in equity work going forward
- Identify application of case studies and new ideas for replication in your work

9 a.m.

Sandwich Caregiving Ecosystem Project



AMANDA KOONJBEHARRY
Director of Public Policy
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JESS ROBERTS
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10 a.m.

Promising Solutions Underway



ADAM SUOMALA - Moderator
Executive Director
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DOROTHEA HARRIS
Caregiver Support Manager
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CLAIRE NEELY
President and CEO
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SHERRIE PUGH
Vice Chair, Minnesota Board on Aging
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JOCELYN ANCHETA
Planning Specialist, Saint Paul - Ramsey County Public Health
Member, Minnesota Diverse Elders Coalition



11 a.m.

Adjourn for the Day

EXPLORE



Friday December 11

Learning Objectives

- Hear about emerging public and private solutions igniting system change
- Identify possible action to take at individual, organizational and system levels
- Examine your commitment to actions improving the experience of diverse elders

9 a.m.

What's Next



PAHOUA YANG HOFFMAN

Senior Vice President of Community Impact
Saint Paul & Minnesota Foundation



KATE SCHAEFERS

Executive Director
University of Minnesota Advanced Careers Initiative

10 a.m.

Being A Catalyst for Change



ANNE PHIBBS - Moderator

Founder and President
Strategic Diversity Initiatives



KAREN MCKINNEY

Chief Equity Officer / Assistant Commissioner
Minnesota Department of Human Services



VIVIAN ANUGWOM

Manager, Health Equity
Allina Health



ROBBIN FRAZIER

Associate Director, Center for Healthy Aging and Innovation
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PEGGY FLANAGAN

Lieutenant Governor
State of Minnesota

11 a.m.

Adjourn

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Summit Hosts



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