

AGENDA AT A GLANCE
2019 AASD/NASTA Conference | August 25-28 | Charlotte, NC
Schedule subject to change

Sunday, August 25, 2019				
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Registration and Information Desk			Promenade
12:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Table Top Set up			Carolina
4:15 PM - 6:00 PM	<div>Welcome to the Conference</div> <div>AASD and NASTA Chairs Welcome: Belit Burke (AASD) and Katie Griego (NASTA)</div> <div>Cross Sector Strategies to Engage to Clients and Build Responsive Programs</div> <div>Presenters: Jimmy Chen, CEO/Founder, Propel, Lori Pflingst, Senior Director for Economic Services Administration, Economic Services Administration, Washington State,Dante Pollard, Governor's Poverty Reduction Committee Workgroup, Steering Committee, Washington State, Claudia Franson, Governor's Poverty Reduction Committee Workgroup, Steering Committee, Washington State, Jennifer Bereskin, Governor's Poverty Reduction Committee Workgroup, Steering Committee, Washington State, Belit Burke, Oregon Department of Human Services, Cathy Buhrig, Director, Pennsylvania Department of Human Services, Brittany Mangini, SNAP Director, Massachusetts Department of Transitional Assistance</div>			
	Charlotte Mecklenberg			
6:00 PM - -8:00 PM	OPENING RECEPTION			
				Plaza
Monday, August 26, 2019				
7:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Registration and Information Desk			Promenade
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Table Top Exhibits			Carolina
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM	Continental Breakfast in Vendor Exhibit Area			Promenade
8:30 AM - 10:00 AM	<div>Welcoming Remarks: AASD and NASTA Leadership</div> <div>Host State Welcome: Susan Perry, Principal Deputy Secretary, NC Department of Health and Human Services</div> <div>Integrated Efforts to Improve Career Pathways and Employment Outcomes for TANF and SNAP Participants</div> <div>Presenters: Carlis Williams (ACF Region IV), Willie Taylor (FNS Southeast Region), Winston Tompoe (DOL-ETA Region 3), Alex Ruder (Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta), John Davis (Mississippi DHS)</div>			
	Charlotte Mecklenberg			
10:00 AM - 10:30 AM	Break (Networking in Vendor Exhibit Area)			
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM	SNAP Track - Session #1	TANF Track - Session #2	SNAP Track - Session #3	Joint Track - Session #4
	<div>Developing SNAP Third-Party (50/50) Partnerships to Increase Capacity and Improve Program Outcomes</div> <div>Presenter: Michelle Day</div> <div>Co-Presenters: Earl Buford, Matthew Waltz, Myletta Moore</div>	<div>Let's talk about TANF data needs and opportunities available through the TANF Data Collaborative</div> <div>Presenter: Melissa Wavelet</div> <div>Co-Presenters: Richard Hendra, Leah Gjertson, Amy Hawn Nelson</div>	<div>Improving Program Delivery by Transforming Client Notices</div> <div>Presenter: Elizabeth Weber</div> <div>Co-Presenters: Gwendolyn Beem, Christie Twrdoski, Justine Welker, Shannon Connell</div>	<div>The Lifelong Learning Initiative: Co-creating a Science-informed Practice Model to Change Organizational Culture</div> <div>Presenter: Jonathan McCay</div> <div>Co-Presenters: Michelle Belitz</div>
	Dunn	Garham	Ardwell	Graves
12:00 PM - 1:30 PM	Lunch - (On Your Own)			
12:00 PM - 1:15 PM	AASD Annual Business Meeting (SNAP Directors)			
				Johnson
1:30 PM - 3:00 PM	<div>General Session: Employment and Training Services and Requirements Across Federal Programs</div> <div>Presenters: Moira Johnston (USDA Food and Nutritiun Service), Lisa Washington-Thomas (ACF Office of Family Assistance), Casey Sacks (Community Colleges in the Office of Career, Technical, and Adult Education at the U.S. Department of Education)</div> <div>Moderator: David Locklear (North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services)</div>			
	Charlotte Mecklengberg			
3:00 PM - 3:30 PM	Break (Networking in Vendor Exhibit Area)			
	SNAP Track - Session #5	Joint Track - Session #6	Joint Track - Session #7	SNAP Track - Session #8
3:30 PM - 5:00 PM	<div>Closing the Denver SNAP Gap: Cross-Sector Collaboration and Engagement to Drive Change</div> <div>Presenter: Ellen Vollinger</div> <div>Co-Presenters: Ki'l Powell, Todd Jorgensen, Brett Reeder, Brian Lang</div>	<div>Third-Party Fraud in SNAP and TANF</div> <div>Presenter: Kerry Desjardins</div>	<div>Achieving Success through Work-Based Learning</div> <div>Presenter: Dani Crane</div> <div>Co-Presenters: Michelle Foley, Lindsay Cuthill</div>	<div>Unpacking Trends in SNAP Participation</div> <div>Presenter: Brynne Keith-Jennings</div> <div>Co-Presenter: Joseph Llobrera, Brittany Mangini, Nola Ward</div>
	Dunn	Garham	Ardwell	Graves
6:00 PM - 8:30 PM	Dinner (On Your Own)			

Tuesday, August 27, 2019				
7:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Registration and Information Desk			Promenade
8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Table Top Exhibits			Carolina
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM	Continental Breakfast in Vendor Exhibit Area			Promenade
7:30 AM - 8:30 AM	Third Sector Listening Session (by invite only)			Dunn
8:30 AM - 10:00 AM	General Session: Responding to Community Needs During Times of Crisis Presenters: Kerry Desjardins, Policy Associate, APHSA , Wayne Salter, Associate Commissioner, Texas Health and Human Services Commission , Stacy McLoughlin Taylor, Head of Partnerships and Policy, Propel , David Locklear, Deputy Director, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services , Laura Beggs, TANF Program Manager, Georgia Division of Family and Children Services			
				Charlotte Mecklenberg
10:00 AM - 10:30 AM	Break (Networking in Vendor Exhibit Area)			
SNAP Track - Session #9TANF Track - Session #10SNAP Track - Session #11Joint Track - Session #12				
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Preparing for Re-entry: Enrolling Individuals Leaving the Criminal Justice System into SNAP and Medicaid Presenter: Ed Bolen Co-Presenters: Sia Dixon, Brenda Biebrich	Measuring Caseload Dynamics and Earnings Outcomes for TANF Participants: Lessons from a Multistate Research Collaboration Presenter: Leah Gjersten	States Legislative Roundup Presenter: Stacy Dean Co-Presenters: Ife Floyd	Successful Training Outcomes Using Technology Presenter: Patricia Manzo Co-Presenters: Lonetta Richardson, Mary Cisneros, Leo Ramos
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12:00 PM - 2:00 PM	Lunch (On Your Own)			
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	NASTA Annual Business Meeting (TANF Administrators)			Johnson
2:00 PM - 3:30 PM	General Session Federal Policy Panel Clarence Carter (ACF Office of Family Assistance), Lizbeth Silberman (USDA Food and Nutrition Service), Marjorie Sims (Ascend at the Aspen Institute) and Robert Campbell (Feeding America) Moderator: Cathy Buhrig (Pennsylvania Department of Human Services)			
				Charlotte Mecklenberg
3:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Networking Break (Last Opportunity to Visit Vendor Exhibits)			
SNAP Track - Session #13Joint Track - Session #14SNAP Track - Session #15Joint Track - Session #16				
4:00 PM - 5:30 PM	Connecting People and Programs: Promising Practices in Assessing Individuals for Work-Related Activities in SNAP Presenter: Cathy Buhrig Co-Presenters: Ed Bolen, Farah Hynes	Connecting Resources to Results: Outcomes-Oriented Funding for TANF and SNAP Presenter: Caroline Whistler	SNAP and College Students - An FNS Listening Session Presenter: Sasha Gersten-Paal Co-Presenters: Moire Johnston, Lizbeth Silbermann	Myths about Data-sharing and How to Bust Them, Responsibly! Presenter: Sonal Ambegaokar
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5:30 PM - 6:00 PM	Break			Promenade
6:30 PM - 7:00 PM	AASD and NASTA Awards Presentation			Charlotte Mecklenberg
7:00 PM - 11:00 PM	Grand Networking Event			
				Charlotte Mecklenberg
Wednesday, August 28, 2019				
8:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Registration and Information Desk			Promenade
8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Continental Breakfast			Promenade
8:30 AM - 10:30 AM	Closing General Session Closing and Wrap-Up - AASD and NASTA Leadership Closing Keynote: Defining Moments Presenter: Rodney Adams, Mecklenburg County (NC) Department of Human Services			
				Charlotte Mecklenberg
See you at next year's Conference				