National Mental Health Conference

Association of Catholic Mental Health Ministers National Catholic Partnership on Disability California Catholic Conference

"Building a Culture of Community: Equipping Leaders for Mental Health Ministry"

May 19-21, 2022 Jesuit Retreat Center, Los Altos, CA

Thursday 5/19

8:30 am –	4:30 pm	Pre-Conference	Mental Health First Aid		
5:00 pm	Check-in begins				
6:00 pm	Dinner				
7:00 pm	Conference Opens - Welcome				
	Keynote, E	Bishop John Dolan -	"Building Parish Communities of Hope"		
8:00 pm	Social				

Friday 5/20

7:30 am	Breakfast
8:30	Check-in begins
9:00	Welcome
	Keynote, Laura Lewis - "Building Hope Together: Suicide Prevention as a Shared Ministry Responsibility"
10:00	Break
10:30	Breakout Session 1 - Mental Health Ministry 'Startups' diocesan / parish / clergy
12:00	Lunch

1:00	Breakout Session 2 - Specific Behavioral Health Concerns trauma-addiction / youth, depression, suicide / caregivers-grief
2:30	Break
3:00	Plenary, James Kaiser - Sr. Hope: Community Based Mental Health
4:00	Break
6:00	Dinner
7:00	Keynote, Fr. Ron Rolheiser - "Understanding Mental Health and Responding More Generatively to it when it is Fragile or Broken – Towards a Deeper Empathy"

Saturday 5/21

Adoration

8:00

7:30 am	Breakfast		
8:30	Check-in begins		
9:00	Keynote, Maribel Laguna - "Affirming Accompaniment in a Mental Health Pandemic"		
10:00	Break		
10:30	Breakout Session 3 – Applied Mental Health/Care accompaniment / tools for self-care / NAMI resources & stigma		
12:00	Lunch		
1:00	Roundtable Discussions		
2:00	Break		
3:00	Panel Discussion	"Priorities Moving Forward"	
4:00	Closing Mass	Bishop John Dolan, Presiding	