# Cultural and Linguistic Appropriate Services (CLAS) Standards in Behavioral Health

## **Working with the Aging Population**

### **JANUARY 16, 2019 - Webinar Training**

#### **DETAILS & LOGISTICS**

Time: 11:00am—12noon ET

Cost: FREE

**Contact Hours:** 1 NAADAC **Registration:** <u>Click here</u>

#### **FACULTY:**

Jacqueline Coleman, MEd, MSM, BA, CPC, certified professional coach with extensive experience as a senior program manager. Jacqueline has expertise in workforce development, organizational development and contract



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George Kerr III, is a decorated veteran and former grassroots, non-profit executive who serves as a national community activist for social justice. George passionately engages the community as Chair of Policy, Advocacy and Outreach for Mary's House for

Older Adults, Greater Washington DC. He also works actively with the DC Senior Advocacy Network and the LGBTQ Aging Provider Network. Through GIII Associates, George commits to advocating, educating and collaborating for social justice through harm reduction.

#### **COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

The National CLAS Standards are intended to advance health equity, improve quality, and help eliminate health care disparities. This webinar series explores how healthcare organizations can ensure that awareness, adoption, and implementation of the National CLAS Standards are incorporated to have a more inclusive definition of culture.

To familiarize yourself with the CLAS Standards, please watch our Intro webinar prior to joining us on this webinar: CLAS in BH 101

#### **OBJECTIVES:**

During the session, participants will obtain:

- Highlights of enhanced CLAS Standards which contribute to positive health outcomes for older adults
- Increased awareness on the health of older adults health services
- Increased emphasis on the need for basic and continuing geriatric education to improve care for older adults
  - access to health services
  - o chronic illness & injury prevention
  - health-related quality of life
  - o mental health and mental disorders

#### WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Behavioral Health care professionals and advocates interested in improving cultural competence and humility in the delivery of prevention, treatment and recovery services and supports.

# Previous CLAS in BH Webinars:

<u>LGBTQ</u> - Sep. 11 | <u>LGBTQ Part 2</u> - Oct. 22 <u>Children</u> - Nov. 14 | <u>Adolescents</u> - Dec. 5

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