



William C. Friday **Dialogues** for Civic Leadership: Practicing Presence, Cultivating Conveners

Jointly provided by



3rd Thursdays, Monthly
Thursday, February 20, 2020
through Thursday, June 18, 2020
5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Location

Southern Regional AHEC
Education Center, 3rd Floor
1601 Owen Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28304

Target Audience

Physicians, health care professionals, William C. Friday Fellows, NC Rural Center Leadership program participants, Leadership NC alumni, and all Sandhills community members with an interest in healthcare and connections across differences are welcome.

Program Description

The NC health care environment is undergoing rapid change with consequences for the people and providers in the Sandhills region which already experiences significant disparities in health and well-being. This five-week series invites participants to listen, learn, and lead across difference. A partnership between the SR-AHEC and the William C. Friday Fellowship for Human Relations (a program of Wildacres Leadership Initiative), this course explores dialogue itself as a life skill that can transform individual lives and community health. Offered as a continuation of the Fall 2019 Friday Dialogue series that explored the benefits of compassionate conversation, "Practicing Presence, Cultivating Conveners" invites both return participants and newcomers to imagine, articulate, and create a sustainable future for ongoing relational work in the greater SR-AHEC nine county service area.

Through mini-lectures, skill demonstrations and drills, and the practice of inclusive circle process, each session will introduce convening techniques that participants will practice together. Centering trust and relationship-building, "Practicing Presence, Cultivating Conveners" will teach participants to initiate and lead conversations about the health and well-being of their community.

Objectives

During this dialogue series, participants will,

- Learn how to listen, learn, and lead across difference;
- Practice convening skills, including space making, active listening, dialogue framing, reframing, and debriefing;
- Explore community needs for ongoing dialogue work;
- Determine an appropriate format for future convenings; and
- Design a process and practice for ongoing relational work appropriate to community interest and needs.

Upon completion of this dialogue series, participants will,

- Demonstrate increased competency in convening skills, including the capacity to invite others into conversation across difference;
- Articulate the value of dialogue work and the centrality of relationship to effective community-engaged convenings; and
- Begin the work of planning and implementing a process for ongoing dialogue in their home community.

Fee

There is no fee for this program. **Dinner is provided.**

Agenda (Dates: 2/20, 3/19, 4/16, 5/21, and 6/18)

5 p.m.	Dinner
5:30 p.m.	Opening Circle: Overview
5:45 p.m.	Dialogue
6:30 p.m.	Skill Drill
7:15 p.m.	Closing Circle
7:30 p.m.	Conclude

Faculty

Physician Director: Lenny Salzberg, MD
Friday Fellow, SR-AHEC Family Medicine

Meredith Doster is an interdisciplinary scholar and educator situated at the crossroads where rural Americana and the Iron Curtain meet. Drawing from family roots in the US South and an extended detour in East Germany, Meredith's convenings model a quality of presence that integrates systems thinking and power analyses into the everyday practices that nurture whole selves and healthy communities. With a masters degree in Appalachian Studies (Appalachian State University) and a PhD in Religious Studies (Emory University), Meredith's work explores the stories we inherit and those we love to tell as sacred placemakers. As Deputy Director of Wildacres Leadership Initiative, Meredith develops, implements, and delivers the William C. Friday Fellowship for Human Relations. In Fall 2019, Meredith facilitated the Friday Dialogue series at the SR-AHEC. From her home in Madison County, Meredith works across the state to develop and convene processes that allow individuals and communities to cultivate a more just, collaborative, and humane North Carolina - one conversation at a time.

Registration: Program is open to the first 20 participants to register.
Contact Karen Goble, MA Karen.goble@sr-ahec.org

Credit

AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™ – 10.0

Credit Statement: The Southern Regional AHEC designates this live activity for a maximum of 10.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Accreditation: This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essentials and Standards of the North Carolina Medical Society through the joint providership of the Southern Regional AHEC and the Wildacres Leadership Initiative. The Southern Regional AHEC is accredited by the NCMS to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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For Non-Physicians (Physician Assistants and Nurse Practitioners):

Additional Credit: Other health professionals will receive Southern Regional AHEC CEU and/or contact hours and a certificate of attendance from an *AMA PRA Category 1™* activity. These certificates are accepted by the NC boards for physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurses, physical therapists and athletic trainers. License requirements are subject to change. Southern Regional AHEC recommends that participants contact their licensing boards with specific questions. Southern Regional AHEC will provide 1.0 Continuing Education Units (10.0 contact hours) to participants upon completion of this activity.

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Please bring a jacket or other additional covering since we will not be able to adjust the thermostat.

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Contact

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A MyAHEC account is required to complete registration. If you do not have a MyAHEC account, please go to our website at: <https://www.southernregionalahec.org/create-account> to create an account. Please use your personal email address when you create your MyAHEC account as work email accounts can change.

The handouts for the program will be provided online. Early registration is encouraged, as full access instructions will be sent with registration confirmation via e-mail.

For Continuing Education References concerning inclement weather, tobacco-free campus and ADA requirements, please go to: <https://www.southernregionalahec.org/about-us/general-reference/>

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Registration Form

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Registration Fee: There is no cost to attend this program. Participation is limited to first 20 registrants.

Updated Contact Information

Name: _____ Credentials: _____

Personal Email: _____ Secondary Email: _____

Phone: _____ Employer: _____

Dietary Preferences:

Vegetarian Vegan Gluten-Free Special Need/Allergies _____

You are encouraged to register online at: www.southernregionalahec.org/courses-and-events. (See gray box above for directions on how to create a MyAHEC account for online registration, if you do not have one.)

Type William in search bar, then click on William C. Friday Dialogues for Civic Leadership photo that will provide the online registration page.

or

Send completed registration form to:

SR-AHEC, Attention: Registrar, 1601 Owen Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28304 or e-mail to registrar@sr-ahec.org

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