August has been likened to the "Sunday of Summer." We're about to say goodbye to the summer of 2020, one that we're not likely to forget for some time. Remember to practice self-care as the seasons change and busier days return.

Virtual Annual Conference: Conversations that Matter
Our 2020 Virtual Annual Conference features an opening and closing plenary on both Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 21 & 22. These "conversations that matter" include: Trauma Informed Care Across the Generations; Addiction Impact and Treatment: Families and Interprofessional Collaboration; Racism: The Intersection with Social Work at the Micro, Mezzo and Macro Level; and Critical Self-Reflection in Social Work Practice: Reflection is Reflection ... Isn't It?!

Register now for these sessions plus the choice of 12 other workshop workshops for a total of 12 CEHs if you attend both days (with 1 Ethic CE offered each day). Plus, your registration will grant you access to the workshops you couldn't attend for 30 days after the conference! [Click here to register].

ASWB Licensing Exam Delays
NASW sent a letter to ASWB expressing concern about the inability of social work graduates to take the Licensing Exam and get licensed during the COVID-19 pandemic in a timely and safe manner on August 11, 2020. [Click here to read the letter].
NASW Town Hall on Racial Equity

Join NASW on Friday, August 14th from 2:00-4:00 p.m. for a Facebook live event, Social Work Leadership Roundtable Town Hall on Racial Equity. The conversation will focus on "Black Lives Matter: What Are Social Work Organizations Doing to Advance Anti-Racism?" [Click here for information.]

Indiana Behavioral Health Commission

On August 13, Governor Holcomb announced several appointments to various state boards and commissions, including the Indiana Behavioral Health Commission. Nineteen appointments to this new commission were made, including NASW Indiana Chapter's Board President Katrina Norris. Norris will serve until the commission sunsets on December 31, 2022. Congratulations, Katrina!

Resources

- **Member perk!** The Center for Financial Social Work is partnering with us to donate 50 "My Money Myself" 12-month financial wellness programs on financial knowledge, support, and motivation. This is for NASW Indiana members only and will be distributed on a first come, first served basis. [Email the office to get the discount code!]
- **New NASW Practice Alert** describes NASW advocacy for social workers and telehealth in Medicare home health during COVID-19 and new HH payment system
- **Voting is Social Work** is a nonprofit nonpartisan organization that provides social work students and practitioners with the knowledge and tools to raise awareness about voting and to increase voting registration and participation.
Events/News

There's still time to sponsor our 2020 Virtual Annual Conference!

Regional lunch & learns are being offered to the entire state!

Timely issues and important concepts and interventions

Useful Links

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