

## The Speaker

**Jennifer Harrison, PhD, LMSW, CAADC** is a social worker, chemical addictions counselor, and professor and director for the School of Social Work at Western Michigan University. Her primary areas of research include behavioral health workforce development and evidence-based practice implementation, and outcome measurement. She has researched and received foundation and state grant support for the implementation of outcome measurement in clinical and educational practice and with colleague Dr. Ann Chapleau has co-developed a secure digital application using Goal Attainment Scaling called Goal Scaling Solutions, Inc. Her research scholarship is published in national and international journals and texts including *Social Work Research*, *American Journal of Occupational Therapy*, *Community Mental Health Journal*, *Substance Use & Misuse*, *The International Journal of Teaching in Business*, and *Criminal Justice and Behavior*.

*The Co-Occurring Conference coalition of personnel from local providers, wishes to gratefully acknowledge the development and promotional assistance from Centra Wellness Network, Harm Reduction Michigan, Northern Lakes Community Mental Health Authority, Traverse Health Clinic, and West Shore Community College.*

## 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Co-Occurring Disorders Conference: April 17, 2023, Traverse City



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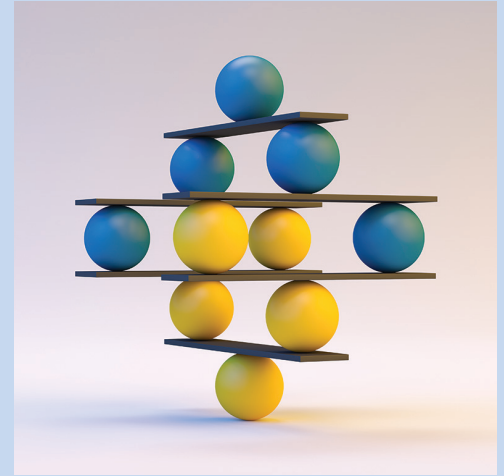
*Hear a dynamic speaker and earn a total of 7.00 CEUs with five credits requirement for ethics and social justice and two credits requirement for pain management. Choose in-person or virtual.*

**Register before April 10, 2023.**

The Co-Occurring Conference Coalition  
presents

# Brave New World:

*Balancing Ethics,  
Pain Management and  
Addictions*



**Monday, April 17, 2023**

SPEAKER

**Dr. Jennifer Harrison**

• **NMC Hagerty Center** •

In-Person or Virtual  
715 East Front Street  
Traverse City, Michigan 49686

## The Conference

The Co-Occurring Conference Coalition proudly presents its 25th annual conference on working with clients with co-occurring disorders. A person with a co-occurring disorder is someone who has one or more co-existing mental illnesses in addition to substance use or substance dependence disorders.

## Educational Goals

Ethical practice is of critical importance for all practitioners in social work, nursing, counseling, psychology, peer coaching, and chemical addictions disciplines. There are competing needs for self-determination and evidence-based implementation. Ethical dilemmas appear in dealing with social justice, management of resources, and consumer-direction and safety. A process is reviewed to help understand ethics relating to professions, licensure expectations, and methods to resolve conflicts in micro, mezzo, and macro practice. A case-based approach will enable resolution methods for both policies and practices. The program also addresses ethics and public health with the opioid crisis in our communities. An approach to working with people who need pain management will be introduced. The program focuses on helping individuals at risk for substance use disorders, especially increased alcohol use due to the pandemic. The treatment options discussed relates to managing pain and minimizing risk for addiction. Special attention will be given to prevention and intervention using best practices in dealing with overdose from opiates.

## Educational Credits

Application has been approved for a total of 7.00 CEUs with five (5) requirement for ethics and social justice and two (2) credits requirement for pain management. Choose in-person or virtual on the registration form. All sessions must be attended and an evaluation submitted to be eligible for credit.

Any questions on the conference or ADA accommodations or grievances, contact Cynthia Petersen at 231-935-3099 or cindy.petersen@nlcmh.org. The fax is 231-935-3082.

## Objectives

Participants will be able to:

1. Participants will learn specific changes in ethical practice related to telehealth and use of digital practice tools.
2. Participants will identify the steps needed for levels of licensure and certification in Michigan for behavioral health professions.
3. Participants will complete ethical process steps using cases to incorporate specific aspects of ethical codes.
4. Participants will delineate five components needed in supervision contracts and tasks
5. Participants will assess risk for opioid use disorders with clients.
6. Participants will be aware of the trends related to prescription and illegal opioid use, increased alcohol use and the risks of overdose death.
7. Participants will understand staging and stages of change, as well as how to use staging tools with clients and treatment teams to decide on appropriate interventions.
8. Participants will understand use of medication assisted treatment (MAT) and importance of waiver for nurses, nurse practitioners and physician assistants.

## The Agenda

### 8:00 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. Registration

Continental Breakfast (included), Networking

### 8:15 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Ethics in Behavioral Health: Ethical Codes

### 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Ethics and Licensure/Certification

### 10:30 a.m.-10:45 a.m. Break

### 10:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Ethics and Telehealth, Boundaries, Information Literacy

### 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. Lunch (included)

### 1:00 p.m. - 2:15 p.m. Supervision in Behavioral Health Care Practice

### 2:15 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Break

### 2:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Applying treatment for Opioids, Cannabis, and Pain Disorders, Q&A, Closing

## Registration

**Fee:** \$70.00 Early Registration postmarked on or before April 10, 2023, which includes continental breakfast and lunch. Late Registration of \$80.00 postmarked after April 10. No cancellations accepted but substitutions can be made.

**Payment:** Registration fee (nonrefundable), payable by check or money order, must accompany the completed form below.

Please make checks payable to:  
Northern Lakes Community Mental Health Authority  
Attn: Cynthia Petersen  
105 Hall Street, Suite A  
Traverse City, MI 49684

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