**Staff & Advocates Development Conference**

**The Henry Center, 3535 Forest Road, Lansing, MI 48910**

**A169 Large Executive Classroom**

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\***Note**: the meeting space is in a [different area of the building](https://henrycenter.broad.msu.edu/files/2015/04/Henry-Center-Floor-Plan.pdf) than it was last time.

**Agenda**

**Tuesday, April 25, 2023**

**9:00am – 5:00pm**

**9:00 – 9:15 am Sign In**

**9:15 – 10:00 am** **Introductions and Welcome Activity– Kanika Littleton-MAF Project Director, Emilie Mullins-MAF I&R Supervisor**

**10:00 – 12:00 pm** **Advocating for Your Child with Epilepsy & Mental Health and Emotional Issues in Adolescents with Epilepsy – Shannon Waid, Epilepsy Foundation of MI**

**12:00-1:00 pm LUNCH**

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| **1:00 – 2:30 pm** **Rethinking Discipline & Restorative Practices - Student Advocacy Center of MI** |

**2:30 – 2:35 pm BREAK**

**2:35 – 4:00 pm** **Implicit Bias, Culturally Sensitive Family Engagement – Heather Clarke, MSPED, MS, MA (Econ.), The Learning Advocate, LLC; Adjunct Professor, NYU**

**4:00 – 5:00 pm** **Power of Notice-Michelle Driscoll-MAF Policy Coordinator**

**5:00 – 5:15 pm** **Wrap up & Forecast Wednesday**

**Suggested evening activity Horrock’s**

***See you all tomorrow!***

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**Wednesday, April 26, 2023**

**9:00am – 5:00pm**

**8:45 – 9:00am Welcome/Review – Kanika Littleton - Project Director**

**9:00 – 12:00 pm** **Corrective Action Plans, State Complaints, Results of Monitoring- MDE OSE**

**12:00 – 1:00 pm** **LUNCH**

**1:00 – 3:00 pm** **Case Reviews/ Collaboration Activity-Stephanie Nicholls – MAF Statewide Training Manager, Kenya Harper – MAF RPM Supervisor**

**3:00 – 3:15 pm** **BREAK**

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| **3:15 – 4:45 pm** **Taking Better Care of** **Ourselves, to Take Better Care of Others- Dr. Angela May, A.M. May & Associates** |

**4:45 – 5:00 pm Wrap up – Kanika Littleton – MAF Project Director**

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**Thursday, April 27, 2023 (MAF STAFF ONLY)**

**9:00 am – 2:00 pm**

**9:00 – 10:00 am** **Policy Review (Kahoot) – Michelle Driscoll – MAF Policy Coordinator, Stephanie Nicholls – MAF Statewide Training Manager**

**10:00 – 12:50 pm Rotations including:**

**Headshots/Book Share – Stephanie Nicholls – MAF Statewide Training Manager**

**EO Tools and Tech Tools for Productivity – Victoria Martinez – MAF *Early On®* Liaison, Emilie Mullins - I&R Supervisor**

**Working with Self-advocates – Stacie Rulison-MDE Consultant; Balance MI-Skills, Inc.**

**1:00 – 2:00 pm** **LUNCH**

***Safe Travels!***

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