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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2021

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	**OPENING PLENARY - DAY ONE** How Do We Heal: Pandemic, George Floyd and the Struggle for Trans Equity *Andrea Jenkins, MFA* **Moderator:** *Erica E. Anderson, PhD*		
11:05 AM - 12:20 PM	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Mental Health - Adult** "X" Marks The Transgressive Gender: an Ethnographic Exploration of Legal Gender Affirmation *Teddy G. Goetz, MD, MS* Beyond Diagnosis: Understanding Experiences of Gender Dysphoria Through the Metaphors of Transgender Adults *Ashley Austin, PhD* MDMA-Assisted Psychotherapy: Inclusion of Gender Diverse People in the Frontiers of Mental Health Science *Melanie Brown, MPH* Terminal Transition: An Ethnographic Exploration of (In)Finite Gender Journeys *Teddy G. Goetz ,MD, MS* **Moderator:** *Christa Maxant, LPC*	ORAL ABSTRACTS • **Chronic Conditions, Including HIV** • **Endocrinology/Hormone Therapy - Child & Adolescent** • **Voice and Communication** Drivers of Cancer Screening Adherence in Transgender and Gender Non-Binary Individuals *Michelle Lui, MPH* Low Levels of HIV Stigma Among Transgender Women Receiving HIV Care *Lydia A. Fein, MD, MPH* The Perspectives of Gender Diverse People Presumed Female at Birth (PFAB) on Their Voice and Communication Situation *Adrienne B. Hancock, PhD* Use of Free vs. Total Testosterone Levels to Assess Efficacy of Exogenous Testosterone Therapy in Obese Transmasculine and Non-Binary Youth *Ellis Barrera, BA* **Moderator:** *Diane M. Bruessow, PA*	
12:20 PM - 12:25 PM	BREAK		
12:25 PM - 1:40 PM	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Surgery - Feminizing** An Alternative Option for Gender-Affirming Revision Vaginoplasty: The Tubularized Urachus-Peritoneal Hinge Flap *Nance Yuan, MD* Assessment of Patient-Reported Pelvic Floor Functional Outcomes and Quality of Life Following Vaginoplasty in Transgender Women *Uchechukwu O. Amakiri, BS* Medical, Gender Dysphoria, and Quality-Of-Life Benefits of Pre-Vaginoplasty Bilateral Orchiectomy *Robert Victor, BS* Urological Symptoms and Experiences of Care for Transfeminine People *Jess Bulafka, BS* **Moderator:** *Blair Peters, MD*	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Community Engagement** Chest Masculinization Surgery in Social Media: An Analysis of the Patient Perspective *Subha Karim, BS* Neovaginal Stenosis in Transfeminine Patients After Gender-Affirming Vaginoplasty Surgery *Akio Kozato, BS* Treatment of Facial Silicone and Granulomatosis in Transfeminine Patients Utilizing Suction Assisted Lipectomy *Akio Kozato, BS* Variability in Desired Sexual Function and Prevalence of Erectile Pain Reported on a Community Survey of Trans and Gender-Expansive People Listed as Male at Birth *Amy Weimer, MD* **Moderator:** *Madeline B. Deutsch, MD, MPH*	
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3:55 PM - 4:00 PM	BREAK		
4:00 PM - 5:15 PM	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Mental Health - Adult** Consent and Capacity in Transgender Health *Elizabeth Cobb, LCSW* *Jenn Gallienne, MSW* *S.J. Langer, LCSW-R* *Melissa-Irene Jackson, MSW* *Elke Jones Zschaebitz, DNP, ARPN, FNP-BC* **Moderator:** *TBD*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Endocrinology/Hormone Therapy - Adult** Multidisciplinary Lessons Learned from the Care of Transgender and Gender Expansive AAPI Youth and Adolescents *Jonathan Avila, MD* *Tandy Aye, MD* *Christine Lam Brady, PhD* *Asaf Orr, JD* **Moderator:** *Micol S. Rothman, MD*	

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10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	**PLENARY SESSON - DAY TWO** Transgender Justice from an Intersectional Perspective: "None of Us are Free, Until All of Us are Free" *Elle Lett, MBiostat, MA, PhD* **Moderator:** *Carl G. Streed Jr., MD, MPH*		
11:05 AM - 12:20 PM	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Health Services and Systems** Identifying Gaps in Gender-Affirming Practices on an Inpatient Psychiatric Unit *Maia L. Ou, MD* Mental Health Outcomes and Receipt of Gender-Affirming Care *David J. Inwards-Breland, MD, MPH* Requirement of Mental Health Referral Letters for Staged and Revision Genital Gender-Affirming Surgeries: An Unsanctioned Barrier to Care *Nance Yuan, MD* Vaginal Cuff Dehiscence Following Benign Hysterectomy Among Gender Diverse Persons *Jennifer W. Wong, MD* **Moderator:** *Jennifer Anger, MD*	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Surgery - Masculinizing** Does Top Surgery Improve Chest Dysphoria in Transmasculine and Non-Binary Adolescents and Young Adults? *Daniel Cyrus Sasson, BA* Shaft-Only Phalloplasty - Indications, Techniques and Outcomes *Breanna Jedrezejewski, MD, MPH* Urethroplasty Methods for Stricture Repair After Transgender Phalloplasty: High Failure Rates in a Hostile Surgical Field *Charla Holdren, DO* **Moderator:** *Jens Berli, MD*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Research Methods** Moving Beyond the Community Advisory Panel - Expanding Community Engagement in Health Services and Translational Research Methods *Emerson Douglas, MSSA, LICSW* *Braveheart Gillani, MSW* *Laura Janine Mintz, MD, PhD* *Scott Emory Moore, BSN, MSN, PhD, ARPN, AGPCNP-BC* *Dana M. Prince, MPH, PhD* **Moderator:** *Ethan Cicero, PhD, RN*
12:20 PM - 12:25 PM	BREAK		
12:25 PM - 1:40 PM	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Health Services and Systems** Cross Country Collaboration: Collective Approaches to Gender Care Across 10 Academic Medical Centers(AMC) in the US *Katherine Croft, BSN, RN* *Ejay Jack, MSW* *Ariel Malan, MHA* *Christopher Mann, MSW, ACSW* *Amy Penkin, MSW, LCSW* **Moderator:** *Kellan Baker, PhD, MA, MPH*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Non-Surgical Body Modifications** Gender Expression Care - Professional Guidance and Practical Support for Validating Social Expression in the Treatment of Gender Dysphoria *Grace Williamson Firtch, MD* *Carlos H. Morales, LMFT* *Monica S. Prata* *Charles W. Shih, MD* *Jennifer L. Slovis, MD* **Moderator:** *Danit Ariel, MD*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Surgery - Feminizing** Vaginoplasty After Pubertal Suppression: A Multi-Disciplinary Approach *Kara Connelly, MD, MCR* *Daniel Dugi, MD* *Geolani W. Dy, MD* *Jess Guerriero, MA, CSWA* *Danielle Moyer, PhD* **Moderator:** *Maurice Garcia, MD*
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2:40 PM - 3:55 PM	**PLENARY SESSON 2 - DAY TWO** Achieving Health Equity for All: An Overview of Data and Resources from the CMS Office of Minority Health *LaShawn McIver, MD, MPH* **Moderator:** *Madeline B. Deutsch, MD, MPH*		
3:55 PM - 4:00 PM	BREAK		
4:00 PM - 5:15 PM	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Mental Health - Adult and Mental Health - Child & Adolescent** A Case Series on Disordered Eating Among Transgender Youth with Autism Spectrum Disorder *An Pham, MD, MPH* Definition of Body Image from Transgender Youth Perspectives: A Thematic Analysis Approach *Samuel Marsan, MA* Mental Health, Gender Dysphoria, and Minority Stress Among Transgender Youth After One Year of Gender-Affirming Care *Priya Ashley Chelliah, BA* Prevalence of Autism Among Patients Undergoing Gender Affirming Surgery *Cathrine Marie Keiner, BA* **Moderator:** *John C. Capozuca, PhD*	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Surgery - General** Is a BMI Cut-Off for Gender-Affirming Surgery Scientifically Supported? *Erin E. Carter, MD, MS* Pain Management for Gender Confirmation Surgery in the Age of the Opioid Overdose Epidemic *Tyler G. Martinson, BA* Weight-Stigma Mitigating Approaches to Genital Gender Affirming Surgery *Elijah Castle, BA* **Moderator:** *Megan Lane, MD*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Education** Culturally Humble Creation: An Integrated Knowledge Translation Approach to Developing Video Simulaton Games in Collaboration With 2SLGBTQI Stakeholders for Improved Primary Care Practice *Benjamin Carroll, BS, MSN, RN* *Marian Luctkar-Flude, PhD, RN* *Jane Tyerman, PhD, RN, CCSNE* *Erin Ziegler, PhD, NP* **Moderator:** *Tandy Aye, MD*

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10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	**PLENARY SESSION - DAY THREE** Criminalizing Trans Bodies and Medicine: A Look at the Pivotal Next Year in Trans Advocacy *Chase Strangio* **Moderator:** *Zil Goldstein, FNP-BC*		
11:05 AM - 12:20 PM	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Aging and End of Life Concerns; Engaging Family and Caregivers** "Difficult to Find, Stressful to Navigate": Parents' Experiences Accessing Affirming Care for Gender Diverse Youth *Kacie M. Kidd, MD, MS* Development of Parenting Guidelines for Parents of Transgender and Gender Diverse Children: A Delphi Study *Sabra L. Katz-Wise, MS, PhD* Gender Minority BIPOC Adults Report Greater Subjective Cognitive Decline and Related Social and Self-Care Limitations *Ethan C. Cicero, PhD, RN* Geriatric Transgender Medicine and the Healthcare System: Focus Groups at the University of Kansas Medical Center *Quinnlyn Walcott, BS* **Moderator:** *Maurice Garcia, MD*	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Surgery - General** Outcomes of Urethral Reconstructive Surgeries in Transgender Men After Phalloplasty *Joseph A. Baiocco, MD* Perspectives on Telemedicine from Patients Seeking Surgical Gender Care: A Cross-Sectional Survey *Baraa Hijaz, BS* Pre-Operative Recommendations for Gender Affirming Surgery: Results from a Global Survey *Asa E. Radix, MD, PhD, MPH* Rates Of Psychiatric Emergencies Before and After Gender Affirming Surgery *Jennifer Anger, MD, MPH* **Moderator:** *Ole-Petter Riksfjord Hamnvik, MD*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Community Engagement** Providing Affirmative Care and Advocating for Gender Diverse Youth in a Non-Affirming Political Landscape *Cassandra Brady, MD* *Melissa Cyperski, PhD* *Mary Romano, MD, MPH* **Moderator:** *Howa Yeung, MD, MS*
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12:25 PM - 1:40 PM	ORAL ABSTRACTS - LATE BREAKING • **Surgery - Feminizing** • **Endocrinology/Hormone Therapy - Adult** • **Social Determinants of Health** Erector Spinae Plane Block as an Adjunct to Reduce Opiates for Pain Control After Gender-Affirming Vaginoplasty *Brian Ceballos, MD* Effects of Testosterone Therapy on Hormone Receptor Expression in Human CIS and Trans Breast Tissue with Immunofluorescence Staining *Siyou Song, BA* Barriers to Care and Resiliency Factors in Transgender and Non-Binary Patients: Lessons Learned from an Urban Safety-Net Health System *Ashley Urrutia, MD, MPH* **Moderator:** *Michol Rothman, MD*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Surgery - General** Patient Responsive Care: Engaging the Multi-Disciplinary Team to Deconstruct Binary Models of Gender Affirming Surgical Care *Jens Berli, MD* *Daniel Dugi, MD* *Mary Marsiglio, PhD* *Christina Milano, MD* *Amy Penkin, MSW, LCSW* **Moderator:** *Jennifer Anger, MD, MPH*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Social Determinants of Health** Providing Spiritual Care with Transgender and Gender Diverse People within Interdisciplinary Teams in a Variety of Clinical Settings *Claire Chuck Bohman, MDiv* *Jo Hirschmann, BCC, ACPE Certified* *Sue Jelinek, MDiv* *Emiliano Lemus Hufstedler, MS* *Sarah Elaine Mather, MDiv, BCC* **Moderator:** *Sean Iwamoto, MD*
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2:40 PM - 3:55 PM	**PLENARY SESSION 2 - DAY THREE** Advances and Challenges in the Care of Transgender/Gender Diverse Youth *Jo Olson-Kennedy, MD and Stephen Rosenthal, MD* **Moderator:** *Joshua Safer, MD*		
3:55 PM - 4:00 PM	BREAK		
4:00 PM - 5:15 PM	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Law, Policy, and Ethics and Research Methods** DEXA Scan Procedural Variants in the Transgender Population at the University of Kansas Health System *Johnathan Dallman, BS* Impact of Name Change and Gender Marker Correction on Identity Documents to Structural Factors and Harassment and Among Transgender and Gender Diverse People in Texas *Oralia Loza, MA, PhD* Trans-Pro: Creating Multi-Center Outcomes Infrastructure for Gender-Affirming Vaginoplasty & Vulvoplasty with Community Direction *Geolani W. Dy, MD* **Moderator:** *Howa Yeung, MD, MS*	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Surgery - Feminizing and Surgery - General** Complications After Gender Affirming Vaginoplasty in a Large Population Based Cohort *Jennifer Anger, MD, MPH* Our Experience in Laparoscopy Assisted Peritoneal Pull-Through Vaginoplasty in Transwomen *Marta Bizic, PhD* Patient Reported Outcomes in Genital Gender-Affirming Surgery: Magnifying the Patient Voice *Carolyn Berry, PhD* *Elijah Castle, BFA* *Nnenaya Agochukwu-Mmonu, MD* *Asa Radix, MD, PhD, MPH* *Lee C. Zhao, MD* Transgender Sexual Function Outcomes Continue to Improve During First Year Post Gender-Affirming Surgery *Philip E. Ryan, BS* **Moderator:** *Maurice Garcia, MD*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Health Services and Systems** Launching the Revision of the American Psychological Association Guidelines for Psychological Practice With Transgender and Gender Nonconforming People *Kelly Ducheny, PsyD* *Rodrigo A. Aguayo-Romero, PhD* *Ron Schlittler, MIPP* **Moderator:** *Henry Ng, MD*

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10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	**PLENARY SESSION - DAY FOUR** Naming Challenges; Defining Hope *Cecilia Gentili* **Moderator:** *Emilia Lombardi, PhD*		
11:05 AM - 12:20 PM	ORAL ABSTRACTS • **Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Health Sciences** • **Primary Care - Adult** • **Surgery - Masculinizing** A Qualitative Exploration of Barriers and Facilitators to HPV-Related Healthcare Among Transgender Adults in New Jersey *Caleb LoSchiavo, MPH* Adherence to Screening Mammogram Guidelines in the Transgender/Non-Binary Population *Emily S. Chwa, BA* Health State Utility Values in Patients Undergoing Chest Masculinization Surgery *Manraj Kaur, PhD* Testosterone Dosing Requirements in Transgender Males Post-Oophorectomy: A Retrospective Case-Control Study *Emily Schmidt-Beuchat, MD* **Moderator:** *Jennifer Anger, MD, MPH*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Community Engagement** Community-Driven and Patient-Centered Research Prioritization: Creating a New Research Culture in Genital Gender-Affirming Surgery Outcomes *Cris Avery, BA, MPH* *Gaines Blasdel* *Geolani W. Dy, MD* *Mary Masiglio, PhD* *Amy Penkin, MSW, LCSW* **Moderator:** *Tonia Poteat, PhD, MPH, PA*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Non-Binary and Gender Queer Identities** Beyond "Born in the Wrong Body": Challenging Our Biases to Provide Inclusive Care for Nonbinary Youth *Hayley Baines, MD* *Kara J. Connelly, MD, MCR* *Jess Guerriero, MA, CSWA* *Danielle Moyer, PhD* **Moderator:** *Henry Ng, MD*
12:20 PM - 12:25 PM	BREAK		
12:25 PM - 1:40 PM	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Health Services and Systems and Social Determinant of Health** A Qualitative Study of Social Influences on Health: Identified Research Priorities in a Sample of Transgender and Gender Diverse Community Health Center Patients *Merrily E. LeBlanc, BA* Increasing the Frequency of Name and Pronoun Documentation in the Pediatric Emergency Department *Gina M. Sequeira, MD, MS* Promoting Health Equity at the Intersections of Veteran Status and Gender Diversity: Developing Policy for Emergency Department and Urgent Care Services for Transgender, Gender Nonconforming, and Intersex Veterans *Andrew Halls, MD* **Moderator:** *Diane M. Bruessow, PA*	ORAL ABSTRACTS **Surgery - Masculinizing** Novel Assessment Protocol to Capture Urinary Dysfunction and Quality of Life in Transmasculine Patients After Phalloplasty *Stephanie C. Preston, MD* Optimization of Second-Stage Metoidioplasty Using Classical Adult Acquired Buried Penis Repair Techniques *Nkiruka Odeluga, DO* Preventing Urethral Complications After Metoidioplasty: A Discussion on Surgical Technique and Case Series *Marissa Kent, MD* **Moderator:** *Jens Berli, MD*	MINI SYMPOSIUM **Mental Health - Adult** Interdisciplinary Observations of Medical Trauma: Behavioral Health, Primary Care, & Research *Alexander B. Harris, MPH* *Elana Lancaster, BS* *Karalyn J. Violeta, MSW* *Zil Goldstein, RN, FNP* **Moderator:** *John C. Capozuca, PhD*
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