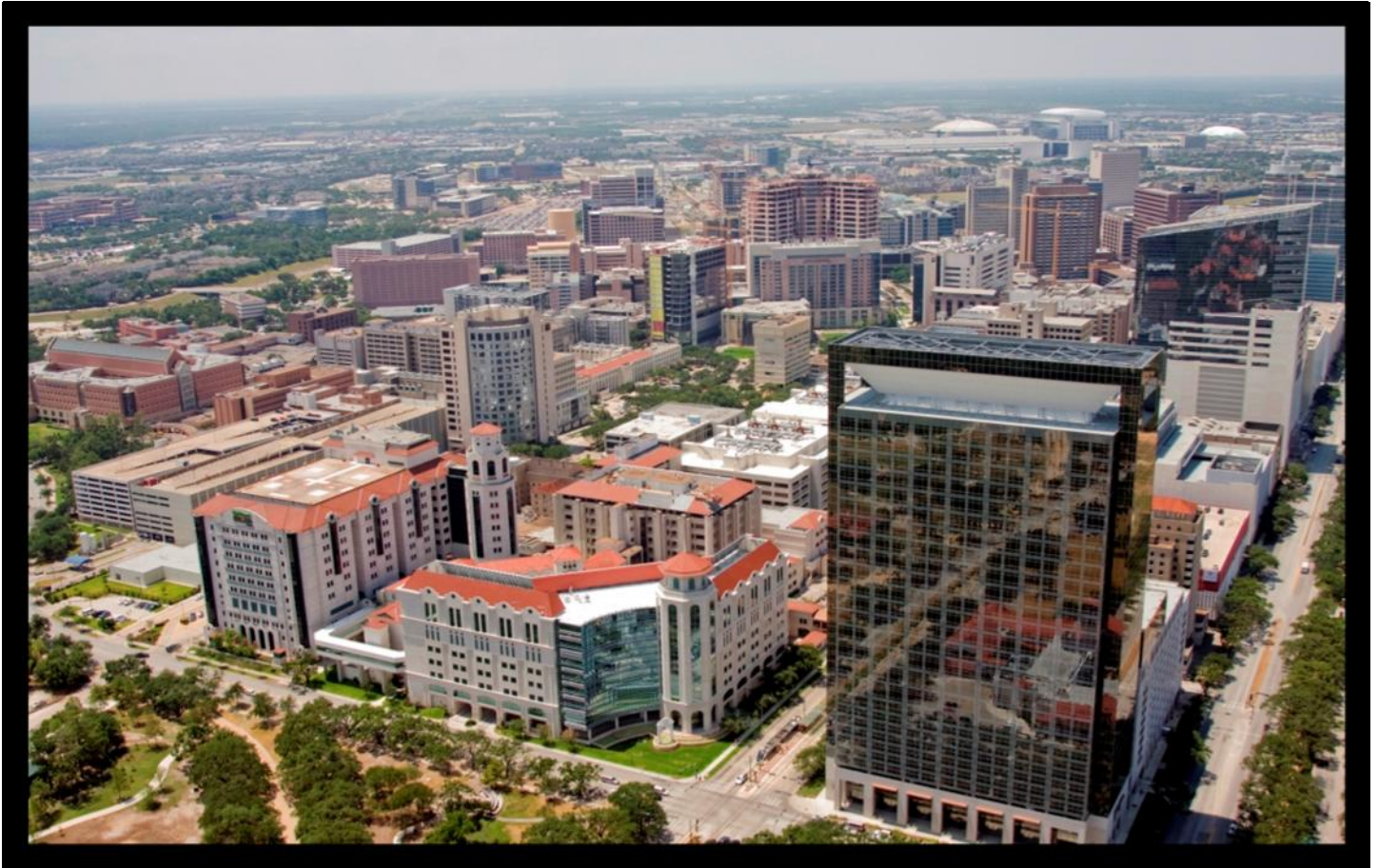


2013 Intensive Winter Institute Mental Health and Substance Abuse Disorders Prevention and Treatment: The Power of Partnerships

The Texas Medical Center
Houston



Texas Medical Center

The [Texas Medical Center \(TMC\)](#) is the largest medical center in the world with one of the highest densities of clinical facilities for patient care, basic science, and translational research. Located in Greater Houston, the center contains 50 medicine-related institutions, including 15 hospitals and two specialty institutions, three medical schools, four nursing schools, and schools of dentistry, public health, pharmacy, and other health-related practices. All 50 institutions are not-for-profit. Exceeding one thousand acres in size, the center is larger than downtown Dallas. Some member institutions are located outside of the city of Houston. The center is where one of the first and largest air ambulance services was created and where one of the first successful inter-institutional transplant programs was developed. More heart surgeries are performed in the center than anywhere else in the world.

The Mission of the [TMC](#) organization is to promote the highest quality health status for all people by assisting institutions of the Texas Medical Center to achieve individual and collective goals of the highest possible standards of patient and preventive care, of research and education, and of local, national and international community well-being.

The [TMC](#) started with a dream to create a medical center, where people from all walks of life could have access to the best health care anywhere - whether they were rich, poor, famous, alone, young, or old.

Over 65 years since that dream originated, it has been realized many times over. The 54 institutions of the [TMC](#) each exist to serve all of mankind. On any given day, one can find people from every social circumstance and many of the world's nations seeking treatment at the center's renowned institutions.

Many [TMC](#) institutions are working to make the [TMC](#) quality of care convenient to even more people by placing clinics, offices, and other facilities in neighborhoods throughout Houston and the surrounding communities, and even in other parts of Texas and the world.

In the [TMC](#), there is something to meet everybody's needs. Two trauma facilities are located in the center, as are institutions specializing in every imaginable aspect of health care, including care for children, cancer patients, heart care, organ transplantation, terminal illness, mental health, and wellness and prevention.

All of the [member institutions](#) are not-for-profit, and are dedicated to the highest standards of patient care, research, and education. These institutions include 15 renowned hospitals and two specialty institutions, three medical schools, six nursing schools, and schools of dentistry, public health, pharmacy, and virtually all health-related careers. It is where one of the first, and still the largest, air ambulance service was created; a very successful inter-institutional transplant program was developed; and more heart surgeries are performed than anywhere else in the world.

Three Objectives will guide the Institute's program:

- Understand the relationship between acute and recovery services when providing patient care that is compassionate, evidence-based, and culturally relevant.
- Strengthen the creation and utilization of research and policy in mental and substance disorders prevention, treatment, and recovery approaches in diverse urban communities across the life course.
- Discuss exemplary mental health, substance abuse, and primary care integration approaches in the Texas Health System: Challenges and Outcomes

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21
Marriott Hotel

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Salons A & B	Orientation for Fellows Schola Matovu and Jacqueline Mosley	Conveners: Fave Gary, Euaenia Millender, and Kathy Wriaht
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm		Welcome Reception <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Texas Medical Center Nursing Executive Advisory Council • Special Guests: Youth from the Houston Public and Private School Systems • Fellows Introductions 	Conveners: Shelia Harvin, Tom Rodriauez, and Lovell Jones
8:00 pm – 9:00 pm		Fellows: Computer Technology Update	
9:00 pm – 10:00 pm		Individual Consultations by Appointment	Conveners: Fave Garv and Hossein Yarandi

FRIDAY, February 22
Prairie View A&M University

7:00 am – 9:00 am	Classroom 1191	Working Continental Breakfast Presenters: B.J. Kosak, Suzette Lettsome, Sophia Mason, Schola Matovu, and Jacqueline Mosley	
9:00 am – 10:00 am		Addressing Health Disparities in the 21st Century, A New Paradigm is Needed Speaker: Lovell Jones	Convener: Marie McDade
10:00 am – 10:15 am		BREAK	
10:15 am - 11:15 am		Intimate Partner Violence, Substance Use and Mental Health Conditions among African Americans and Hispanics Speaker: Shelia Harvin Post-modern Philosophies: Pathways to Nursing Results Speaker: Tom Rodriguez	Convener: Garv Lawrence

11:15 am – 12:15 pm		<p>Red Kool-Aid, Blue Kool-Aid: Health Care Reform</p> <p>Speaker: Leonard Zwelling</p>	<p>Convener: Patty Wilson</p>
12:15 pm – 1:15 pm	Auditorium 1 st Floor	<p>Working Lunch</p> <p>Using Qualitative Methods for Exploring Mental Health Services among Unserved Populations, Refugees, and Immigrants</p> <p>Speaker: Tanya Sorrell</p>	<p>Convener: Suzette Lettsome and Bruce Kafer</p>
1:15 pm – 1:30 pm		BREAK	
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm		<p>Conversations with Texas Nurse Leaders: The Future of Nursing in a Diverse World</p> <p>Speakers: Pamela Greene, Carson Easley, and Gwendolyn Johnson</p>	<p>Conveners: B. J. Kosak and Sophia Mason</p>
3:00 pm – 3:15 pm		BREAK	
3:15 pm – 4:30 pm	Classroom 1191	<p>Models of Care and Innovations in Health Systems and Community Partnerships</p> <p>Speaker: Carson Easley</p>	<p>Conveners: Dawn Bounds and Jacqueline Mosley</p>
4:30 pm – 5:45 pm		Fellows Independent Study	
6:00 pm – 8:30 pm	Boardroom 12 th Floor	<p>Working Dinner</p> <p>The Bonds among Teaching, Research, Service and Well-being among Minority Populations</p> <p>Speaker: Willie Trotty</p>	<p>Conveners: Euaenia Millender and Tanva Sorrell</p>
8:30 pm – 10:00 pm	Room 1262	<p>Individual Consultations by Appointment</p>	<p>Conveners: Fave Garv and Hossein Yarandi</p>

SATURDAY, February 23
Marriott Hotel

7:00 am – 8:30 pm	Conference Rooms III & IV	Working Continental Breakfast Presenters: Marie McDade, Patty Wilson, and Kathy Wright	Convener: Dawn Bounds
8:45 am – 9:45 am		Mechanics of ATLAS Ti Speaker: Tanya Sorrell	Convener: Patty Wilson
9:55 am – 12:00 pm		Objectives, Questions, Hypotheses Speaker: Hossein Yarandi	Convener: Bruce Kafer
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm		Working Lunch Speaker: State Representative Garnet Coleman	Conveners: Gary Lawrence and Fave Garv
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Conference Rooms III & IV	Sample Size Determination Using GPower Speaker: Hossein Yarandi	Convener: Marie McDade
2:30 pm – 2:45 pm		BREAK	
2:45 pm – 4:00 pm		Research Design Speaker: Hossein Yarandi	Convener: Schola Matovu
4:00 pm – 4:15 pm		BREAK	
4:15 pm – 6:00 pm		Research Design Speaker: Hossein Yarandi	Convener: Jacqueline Mosley
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm		Working Dinner Minority Mentorship Network Speaker: Toi Blakley Harris	Convener: Sheila Harvin
8:00 pm – 8:30 pm		Native American Indian Traditional Ceremony Honoring the Graduation of MFP Fellow Gary Lawrence Speaker: Bruce Kafer	Conveners: Fave Garv and Janet Jackson
8:30 pm – 10:00 pm		Individual Consultations by Appointment	Conveners: Fave Garv and Hossein Yarandi

SUNDAY, February 24
Marriott Hotel

7:00 am – 9:00 am	Conference Rooms III & IV	Working Continental Breakfast Presenters: Dawn Bounds, Bruce Kafer, Eugenia Millender, and Tanya Sorrell	
9:00 am – 9:30 am		Reliability and Item Analysis Speaker: Hossein Yarandi	Convener: Pattv Wilson
9:30 am – 9:45 am		Editorial from Schola Matovu	
10: 00 am – 12:00 pm		Fellows Independent Study	
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm		Closing Remarks Speaker: Faye Gary	

Presenters and Planning Committee Members*



*** Irma Aguilar-Coker, PhD** is an Associate Professor of Nursing at Tarrant County College Nursing Department. This outstanding SAMHSA Fellow who has made significant contributions in education, research, and service across the State of Texas and the Nation. Dr. Aguilar-Coker is a sleep specialist and has taught in medical and nursing schools in Texas and the Southwestern Region of the Nation. She is also a psychiatric nurse practitioner who provides health care services to unserved and underserved populations, most of whom are minority families living in urban and isolated communities. She is an expert in the management of children and adults with Attention Deficit Disorders. Currently, she chairs the National Hospice Educational Committee that is charged with developing the certification examination policies and protocols that will be required for the authorization of the Hospice workforce in the State of Texas. Dr. Aguilar-Coker is also a member of the SAMHSA National Advisory Committee at the American Nurses Association.



Representative Garnet Coleman is the senior ranking member of the Texas House Committee on Public Health, was chosen by President Obama to serve on the White House Working Group of State Legislators for Health Reform, and is Chair of the House Committee on County Affairs--- the committee with jurisdiction over the 1115 Medicaid Transformation Waiver. His work in the legislature has been instrumental to expanding access to health care for Texans. Representative Coleman authored and passed legislation that allows rural hospitals to directly hire doctors. This legislation will help bring quality physicians into the community, and increase access to quality care for the Texans who live in rural communities. He is also one of the original authors of the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) in Texas, a program that makes health insurance available to more than 500,000 children from working families. He helped simplify access to Medicaid for more than 600,000 Texas children, and worked to secure an increase of \$161.5 million for at-risk child care services.



Carson Easley, MS, RN is the Chief Nursing Officer for the Mental and Mental Retardation Authority of Harris County-Houston, Texas, the largest Community Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center in Texas and one of the largest in the United States. Ms Easley received her Bachelor's of Science in nursing from the University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston and earned her Master of Science in nursing from Texas Woman's University. Her career experiences include nursing education, psychiatric-mental health nursing, staff development and training, quality improvement and nursing administration. In 2009 she was recognized by the Texas Nurses Association-District 9 chapter as one of the 20 Outstanding Nurses in the Houston Area. In 2010 she was the NurseWeek Magazine Regional Winner of the Nursing Excellence Award for the South Central Region in the area of Advancing and Leading the Profession.



*** Faye Gary, EdD, RN, FAAN** holds the Medical Mutual of Ohio Professor for Vulnerable and At-Risk Persons Endowed Chair, the Associate Dean for Health Disparities and Minority Health, and the Interim Dean of Undergraduate Studies at the School of Nursing, Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing at Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio. In addition, Dr. Gary is a Distinguished Professor Emerita, College of Nursing and the Department of Psychiatry, College of Medicine, University of Florida, Gainesville, and the Executive Program Consultant/Director of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's (SAMHSA) Minority Fellowship Program (MFP) at the American Nurses Association. Her practice, research, and service address mental health issues in children and families who are vulnerable, isolated, and underserved. As a volunteer she teaches ethics at juvenile detention centers, and serves on several national and international boards. In addition.

she consults with ministers of health and chief nursing officers in the world community. Dr. Gary publishes extensively in the scientific literature.



Pamela Greene, PhD, RN is the Senior Vice President of Patient Care Services and Chief Nursing Officer at the Menniger Clinic, in Houston Texas. Dr. Greene travels throughout the country as a trainer in the assessment and management of suicide for the American Association of Suicidology and the Suicide Prevention Resource Center. Active in the Texas Nurses Association, Dr. Greene is currently president of Region Nine. In addition, Dr. Greene is a frequent presenter at local, regional and national mental health nursing conferences and the author of numerous nursing practice articles. She also serves as a member of the editorial advisory board for ADVANCE for Nurses. Dr. Greene

received her undergraduate and graduate degrees from The Ohio State University and her doctorate in nursing from Texas Woman's University in Denton, Texas.



Toi Blakley Harris, MD is a faculty member at Baylor College of Medicine (BCM). She is "triple boarded"--- and is board certified in adult psychiatry, child and adolescent psychiatry, and psychosomatic medicine. She partners with several community organizations in the service of providing quality care to children and their families. Here are a few examples: Dr. Harris is working in collaboration with Texas Children's Hospital's Child Protection Team, the Children's Assessment Center, and the Harris County Juvenile Probation Department, to create a multidisciplinary outpatient clinic designed to meet the physical and mental health needs of maltreated children and their families. Her work overlaps with

forensic, educational, and child welfare systems. Dr. Blakley Harris is also a researcher with expertise in designing and managing clinical trials that address complex health issues such as hematology-oncology, unintentional injuries, and other conditions that are common among children and adolescents. Her expertise in building partnerships across disciplines is one of her major contributions to science and service.



* **Sheila Harvin, PhDc, RN** is a graduate of Prairie View A&M University, and she is a doctoral candidate at the University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston (UTHealth) School of Nursing. In addition to SAMHSA Minority Fellowship Program at the ANA, she has also been a Fellow with the Interdisciplinary Faculty Development Program in Substance Abuse Education, and the National Hispanic Science Network Summer Research Training Institute on Hispanic Drug Abuse. She is an Adult Psychiatric/Mental Health Clinical Nurse Specialist with

extensive expertise in the areas of intimate family violence, substance abuse and mental health disorders. She is active in local and regional organizations whose missions concentrate on the elimination of violence in families and communities. During the 2013 Winter Institute, Ms. Harvin will share her research, and provide adept responses to queries that other Fellows might have about intimate partner violence, substance use, and mental illness among Black and Hispanic families. Ms. Harvin will complete her studies and graduate in the Summer of 2013.



* **Janet Jackson, BS** has more than 30 years of association management experience, and has been the Project Director for the SAMHSA Minority Fellowship Program for more than a decade. Prior to joining the American Nurses Association, she was employed by the Association of Trial Lawyers of America. At the MFP, she manages the daily operations of all aspects of the program. Her attention to the Fellows' progress is a major key element in her daily work schedule, and is essential for desirable program outcomes. Often she is referred to as the "command post" as most of the communications about this outstanding program are linked directly to her responsibilities. Ms. Jackson is a

recipient of the American Society of Association Executives (ASAE) Diversity Executive Leadership Program (DELPE) Scholarship. She represents the MFP at association meetings, state, regional, national and international conferences. Ms. Jackson also participates in advancing the scholarly and conceptual dimensions of the MFP through poster and podium presentations

about the MFP at scientific conferences.



Gwen Johnson, MEd, RN is Nurse Manager, Houston Independent School District, Health and Medical Services. As a School Nurse Leader she provides management and coordination of the school health services program in a large urban school district with more than 250 Baccalaureate –prepared Registered Nurses serving more than 200,000 students and campuses that serve students considered medically fragile. She is also responsible for the implementation of district and legislative policy for school health and collaborates with local and state agencies for implementation of a comprehensive school health program.

Dr. Johnson serves in various leadership capacities with professional nursing organizations and is a member of the Texas School Nurse Administrators Association, Texas School Nurse Organization (TSNO) and National Association of School Nurses. She also serves as Director of the Approved Provider Unit with the Texas Nurses Association, providing oversight for the development and implementation of continuing nursing education. Ms. Johnson is actively involved in stakeholder and advocacy issues that impact child health.



* **Lovell Jones, PhD** is a professor in the Department of Health Disparities Research as well as the Department of Biochemistry & Molecular Biology at MD Anderson Cancer Center. Dr. Jones has more than 35 years of experience in addressing minority health and the health of the underserved. As a scientist, he has also done extensive research into the relationship between hormones, diet and endocrine responsive tumors and has presented his work both nationally and internationally. He has edited one of the few comprehensive textbooks on this subject: *Minorities & Cancer*. Dr. Jones has either chaired or co-chaired numerous major events

regarding the underserved and cancers, including the American Cancer Society South Central U.S. Regional Hearings on Cancer and the Poor and the 1st National African Cancer Education meeting in Abuja, Nigeria. For his work, the NIH/National Center on Minority Health and Health Disparities was awarded him its Director's Award for Excellence in Health Disparities; he was recently selected to receive the Ruth Kirschstein Diversity in Science Award. In January 2000, Dr. Jones was named the first director of the congressionally mandated Center for Research on Minority Health (CRMH). He is tireless about encouraging minority students to pursue careers in the biomedical sciences. Dr. Jones received his PhD from the University of California, Berkeley.



* **Tom Rodriguez, PhD, RN** received his PhD in nursing from the University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston. He is a certified adult primary-healthcare nurse practitioner who practiced at Baylor College of Medicine's Population Program. He has also worked as a psychiatric clinical nurse specialist in a joint practice with psychiatrists in the Houston area. Most of Dr. Rodriguez's work week is used to provide comprehensive services to individuals and families who are experiencing psychiatric problems that are accompanied by chronic

physical conditions that interfere with productivity and well-being. His Mind-Body clinical practice combines his expertise as a primary nurse practitioner and a mental health specialist. His approach to excellence in health outcomes include attention to careful and holistic assessments, pharmacotherapy and medication management, stress management, coping strategies, and hypnotherapy. In addition, he provides individual, group, and family psychotherapies. Dr. Rodriguez recently became certified as a clinical hypnotherapist through the International Certification Board of Clinical Hypnotherapy.



Willie Trotty, PhD is Vice President for Research and Development at Prairie View A & M University, has received many outstanding awards for distinction in leadership, including his Alma Mater, Purdue University, Indiana, for his outstanding and relentless dedication to excellence in teaching, research and service. Trotty has served as president of the Council of Historically Black Graduate Schools and the Association of Texas Graduate Schools. He also works extensively with the Consortium of Southern Colleges for Teacher Education. He successfully led the University in a development campaign that resulted in the

creation of seven endowed chairs and numerous scholarships for student. Dr. Trotty also one of the outstanding graduate of Stephan F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, Texas, where he majored in biology and began his career as a scientist and a leader.



* **Christina Cardenas Wei, PhD, RN, PMHNP-BC** is a SAMHSA Fellow who completed her doctoral studies from the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio School of Nursing. Dr. Wei has worked in a federally qualified health center as a part-time nurse practitioner. She completed her Psychiatric/Mental Health Nurse Practitioner certification in 2010. Currently, at Communicare Healthcare Centers, she works as a member of an Integrated Mental Health Team in San Antonio, Texas. In addition, she practices at the county hospital's emergency center where she is one of three mental health providers, all of whom are psychiatric nurse practitioners. In this roles, she evaluates and treats adult patients who present with mental health emergencies. Finally, Dr. Wei is an active researcher, an educator, and a skillful clinician who provides services to diverse groups of people which might be underserved or never served.



* **Hossein Yarandi, PhD** is a professor in the Center for Health Research at Wayne State University. He received his Master's and Doctorate Degrees in Statistics and Econometrics from Indian University in Bloomington, Indiana. He teaches research, statistical methods, and design at the doctorate levels; supervises theses and dissertations, and consults with the faculty members about research grants and projects. His research interests are on research methodology, health care economics and financing health care. His collaborative works have been published in Nursing, Pharmacy and Medical Journals. Dr. Yarandi is the lead methodologist and statistician on numerous NIH funded research projects, and he has extensive experience with working with diverse cultural and racial groups across the globe. Dr. Yarandi is the major faculty member who teaches and coaches the Fellows during the weekly Statistics Study Group teleconferences, a required component of the Fellowship. He also plans and conducts "Seminars in Statistics" during our Winter and Spring annual Intensive Institutes. During his career, Dr. Yarandi has served on more than 100 doctoral dissertation committees.



Leonard Zwelling, MD, MBA Leonard Zwelling, MD, MBA is board certified internist and medical oncologist and a Professor of Medicine and Pharmacology at The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center. He was previously the Vice President for Research Administration overseeing the regulatory aspects of all research at the center. Beginning in 2008 he spent a resident sabbatical in Washington, DC as a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation health policy fellow. He worked in the US Senate on the staff of the Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions. He has since returned to MD Anderson where he writes extensively about health care reform. He also serves on the board of Legacy Community Health, the largest FQHC in Houston and is writing a book on his DC experience.

CLASS OF 2012



Gary Lawrence, PhD, RN, MS, NREMT-P

Dissertation Title: *"The Relationship Between Historical Trauma and Cultural Buffers in Choctaw Native American Indian Men and Women With and Without a Diagnosis of Depression and/or Alcohol Abuse."*

University: **Oklahoma State University**

Dr. Lawrence is an enrolled member of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma. He was born and raised in a non-traditional home knowing only that he "had some Indian blood in him". His indoctrination to being Native did not begin until he met his wife Louisa's father who was very traditional. Gary was taken under his wing and taught about the culture, practices, history and other significant landmarks that are deeply embedded in the Choctaw and Native people. Gary has a combined 28 years of hospital and pre-hospital healthcare experience, and has worked within the ten-and-one-half borders of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma. His responsibility as a leader in health care has taken him to all segments of the Choctaw Nation Health Services Authority. Currently, he is the Director of Nursing for the Choctaw Nation. Gary has always been a practitioner and an intellectual.

A list of institutions of the Texas Medical Center at Houston

Patient care institutions

- [Baylor Clinic](#) (an outpatient center affiliated with BCM)
- [Ben Taub General Hospital](#), part of the [Harris County Hospital District](#) (a Level 1 trauma hospital affiliated with BCM)
- [The Houston Hospice and Palliative Care Systems](#)
- [John Sealy Hospital](#) (a level 1 trauma center affiliated with UTMB at Galveston) ^{[1][2]}
- Kindred Hospital (a long-term, acute care hospital part of [Kindred Healthcare Incorporated](#))
- [Memorial Hermann-Texas Medical Center](#) (a level 1 trauma center affiliated with UT Houston)
- [The Methodist Hospital](#) (affiliated with [Weill Cornell Medical College of Cornell University](#), formerly affiliated with BCM)
- [Rebecca Sealy Hospital](#), part of the [University of Texas Medical Branch](#) at Galveston. ^{[1][2]}
- [St. Dominic Village](#)
- [St. Luke's Episcopal Hospital/The Texas Heart Institute](#) (affiliated with BCM)
- [Shriner's Hospital for Children — Galveston](#) (Burn care) ^{[1][2]}
- [Shriners Hospitals for Children — Houston](#) (Orthopedic care)
- [Texas Children's Hospital](#) (affiliated with BCM)
- [The Institute for Rehabilitation and Research \(IRR\)](#)

- [The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center](#) (affiliated with BCM and UT Houston)
- [Michael E. DeBakey Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Houston](#) (affiliated with BCM)
- [Woman's Hospital of Texas](#)
- [Park Plaza Hospital](#)

Academic and research institutions

- [Baylor College of Medicine](#)
- [University of Houston](#)
 - [University of Houston College of Pharmacy](#)
- [Houston Academy of Medicine-Texas Medical Center Library](#)
- [Houston Community College System](#) — Health Science Programs
- [The Methodist Healthcare System](#)
 - The Methodist Hospital Research Institute
 - Methodist DeBakey Heart Center
 - Methodist Neurological Institute
 - Center for Cell and Gene Therapy
- [Rice University](#)
- [Institute of Biosciences and Technology](#)
- [Prairie View A&M University College of Nursing](#)
- [Texas Children's Hospital](#)
 - [Texas Children's Cancer Center](#)
- [Texas Heart Institute](#)
- [Texas Southern College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences](#)
- [Texas Woman's University Institute of Health Sciences, Houston](#)
- [University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston](#)
- [University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center](#)
- [University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston^{\[1\]\[3\]\[2\]}](#)
 - [Galveston National Laboratory^{\[1\]\[2\]}](#)

Secondary schools

- [Michael E. DeBakey High School for Health Professions](#) — named after [Michael E. DeBakey](#)

Support facilities

Office of the City of Houston Health and Human Services, located in the Texas Medical Center

- Texas Medical Center News
- John P. McGovern Texas Medical Center Commons Building
- John P. McGovern Campus Texas Medical Center
- City of Houston Department of Health and Human Services office

- [Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center](#)
- [Harris County Medical Society](#)
- [Houston Academy of Medicine](#)
- The Institute of Religion and Health headed until his death in 2007 by the United [Methodist](#) minister [John E. Fellers](#)
- Joseph A. Jachimczyk Forensic Center - Office of the Medical Examiner of [Harris County](#)
- [John P. McGovern Museum of Health and Medical Science](#)
- LifeGift Organ Donation Center
- [Ronald McDonald House](#) of Houston
- [Ronald McDonald House](#) of Galveston
- [YMCA](#) Child Care Center in the Texas Medical Center

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Hotel Accommodations

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Houston, Texas 77030
Phone: 713.796.0080

Check in: 3:00pm
Check out: 12 noon

The Houston Marriott at the Texas Medical Center is nestled in the Texas Medical Center (TMC), the largest medical center in the world and is an internationally recognized community of healing, education and groundbreaking research. TMC is the home of many of the nation's best hospitals, physicians, researchers, educational institutions and healthcare providers.

Business Attire

Business attire. Comfortable shoes are recommended. (See what language is used in previous programs)

Laptops are required. Each Fellow should be prepared to present a powerpoint presentation of the status of your dissertation topic.

Transportation

Hotel Courtesy Shuttle
Daily 6:00am - 12:00am (midnight)

The Houston Marriott at the Texas Medical Center provides complimentary transportation within a 2 mile radius of the Hotel, based upon availability. Please check with the bell stand or valet for availability. The Hotel Shuttle does not service the local airports.

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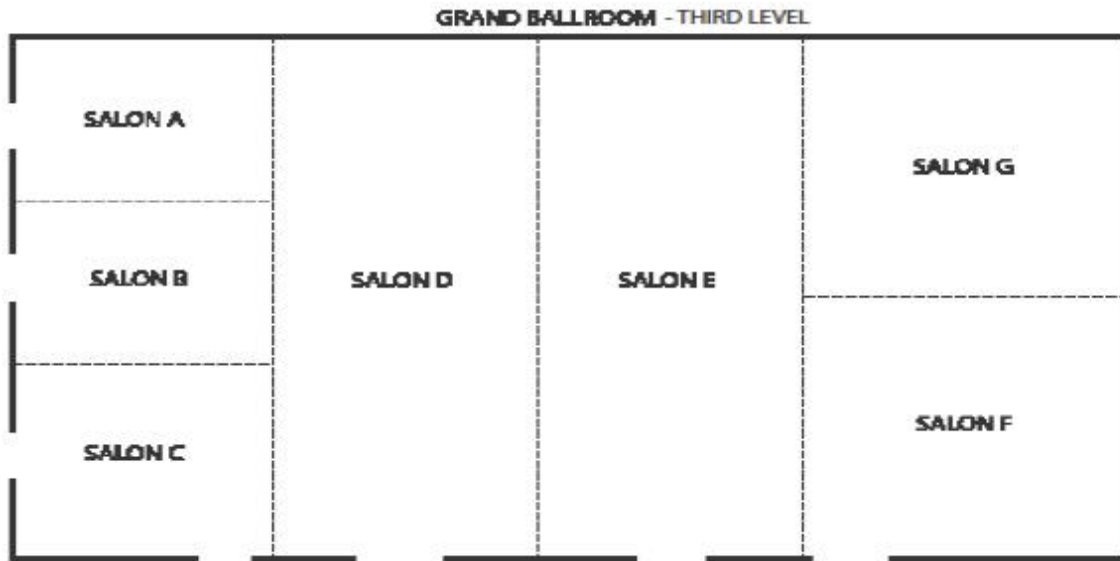
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Hobby Airport (HOU): \$19.00 per passenger each way

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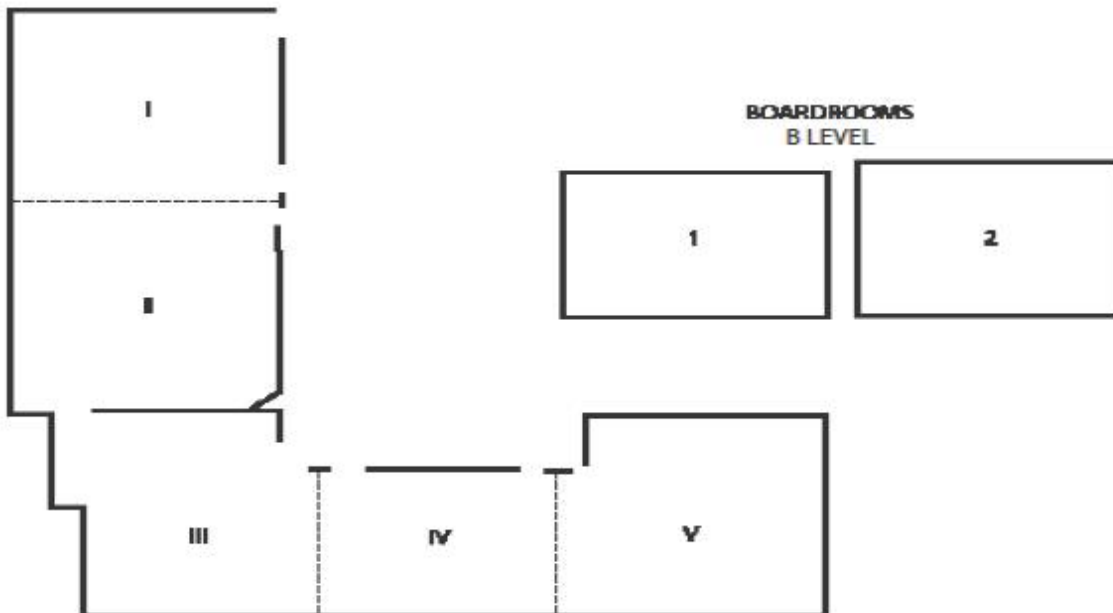
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Reservations are required from the Hotel to the airport
Reservations can be made over the phone or online

Map of Marriott Hotel Conference Center Location and Floor Plan



CONFERENCE ROOMS
THIRD LEVEL



Map of the location of Texas Medical Center, Houston

