

The dual public health emergencies of structural racism and the coronavirus pandemic continue to challenge communities of color across New England. The 2022 Innovations Conference will highlight providers implementing groundbreaking mental health and substance use programming amidst these crises to support resilience and recovery. Join thought leaders from our region to celebrate innovative approaches to supporting mental health and advancing substance use prevention, treatment, and recovery by and for Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC) across New England. Presenters will share successes, lessons learned, and strategies for supporting whole-person care and recovery during the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond.

Presenters, including clinicians, researchers, faith and community leaders, and people with lived expertise, will explore strategies for:

- shifting from problem-focused intervention to strengthsbased, person-centered, recovery-oriented care leveraging the potential of technology to create virtual
- communities and provide client-centered online treatment, recovery support services, and harm reduction
 - increasing engagement and retention in programming
- improving treatment and recovery outcomes for BIPOC
- individuals and families

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Sevent Information

February 14-17, 2022 | 11AM - 1PM EST Virtual event

Format of Event

4 days, 2 hours daily

Day 1: Laying the Groundwork - Foundations of Whole Person Care

Day 2: Innovative Prevention Approaches

Day 3: Pathways of Recovery - Innovations in Engagement, Connection, and Programming

Day 4: Pathways of Recovery - Innovations in

Supporting Recovery, Resilience, Purpose, and Opportunities

The 2022 Innovations Conference is brought to you by Williams James College in collaboration with partners from the New England region's Technology Transfer Center (TTC) Network, including the New England Addiction TTC, the New England Prevention TTC, and the New England Mental Health TTC.







