



Don't Miss Out on Your Conference Attendee Gift! Early Bird Registration Ends TODAY

Don't miss out on the discounted Early Bird registration rates for the 2021 Virtual Conference *Leading In 2021: Hoping, Healing, Helping*. The conference promises exciting general sessions, innovations and new technology, personal stories to support that work that we do, and so much more. In addition, the **first 250 registrants will receive some sponsored gifts**, including the most recent book, *Leadership Unchained*, by author and session speaker Sara Canaday.

To kick off our conference on Tuesday, September 28, we welcome Mr. Chuck Ingoglia from National Council and Ms. Gabrielle Sedor from ANCOR, who will share updates from the federal landscape that affect the behavioral health and intellectual and developmental disability systems. Join us to hear about topics such as the workforce crisis, calls for the strengthening of Medicaid, the effects of additional COVID-19 relief packages, innovations in providing treatment and services, and policy updates.

Later in the day we will hear from the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services Secretary Meg Snead, Maryland Deputy Secretary of Behavioral Health Dr. Aliya Jones, and a Delaware state leader, in a session moderated by Chuck Ingoglia of the National Council for Mental Wellbeing. Also, author Nic Sheff will share his harrowing story of addiction, his road to recovery, and all in between. Nic and his father were portrayed in the movie *Beautiful Boy*, and Nic continues his journey through his own writing.

The conference *Leading in 2021: Hoping, Healing, Helping* will be held virtually September 28 – October 1 and will be featuring 10 General Sessions, 36 Breakout Sessions, and 22 on-demand sessions. To register for the **virtual** conference, [click here](#).

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