

# EQUITY SUMMIT 2023

Better Health Through Better Understanding

Celebrating National Minority Mental Health Awareness Month



**THURSDAY, JULY 20, 2023**  
**8:00 AM – 5:00 PM**

Santa Ynez Valley Marriott  
555 McMurray Road • Buellton, CA 93427

Event registration, meals and CEU's are complimentary. Attendees are responsible for their travel to and from the summit.



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## AN OPPORTUNITY FOR MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS TO:

- Identify mental health and substance disorder disparities and barriers to care
- Improve mental health and substance disorder disparities in the community
- Integrate strategies to improve the quality of care for communities of color
- Provide culturally appropriate care for diverse populations



**Dr. Sergio Aguilar-Gaxiola, MD, PhD**

Professor of Clinical Internal Medicine;  
Director, Center for Reducing Health Disparities;  
Director, Community Engagement Program of  
the Clinical Translational Science Center;  
University of California, Davis, Health

**Keynote:** Advancing Mental Health Equity with Historically Underserved Populations Through Community-Engaged Approaches



**Dr. Allen E. Lipscomb, PsyD, MSW, LCSW**

Associate Professor, Director of Online & Offsite Programs, California State University Northridge

**Keynote:** Providing Equitable and Socially Just Mental Health Services to Communities of Color



**Rachel Guerrero, LCSW**

Consultant - Trainer on Health Equity

**Keynote:** CA Must Continue to Lead the Nation in Acceptance and Love: Reviewing how far we have come and where we must lead



**Luis Garcia, PsyD**

Principal of Luis Garcia Consulting Services

**Keynote:** Cultural and Linguistic Appropriate Care To Immigrants Communities



**Rocco Cheng, PhD**

Principal Consultant, Rocco Cheng and Associates

**Keynote:** Equity on Diversity in terms of Lived Experience

**CONTINUING EDUCATION UNIT HOURS – 5.5 HOURS**

No partial credit will be offered. You must sign in and sign out.

**PSYCHOLOGIST, LMFT, LPCC, LCSW, LEP:** Santa Barbara County Department of Behavioral Wellness is approved by the California Psychological Association to provide continuing professional education for psychologists. The California Board of Behavioral Sciences accepts continuing education credit granted by the California Psychological Association or by any of its Approved Providers. Santa Barbara County Department of Behavioral Wellness maintains responsibility for this program and its content.

**ALCOHOL & DRUG TREATMENT COUNSELORS:** Provider approved by CCAPP-EI, Provider Number 2C-18-280-0124 for 5.5 CEH'S.

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**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: July 10 | QUESTIONS: [ht@eventswebpage.com](mailto:ht@eventswebpage.com)**