



## CONFERENCE PROGRAM

**Thursday, October 6, 2016**

7:30 BREAKFAST & REGISTRATION

8:00-8:25 ***Welcomes***

Stephen T. Higgins, Ph.D., Director, VCBH, TCORS PI/Director, COBRE PI/Director, NIH/NIDA Research Training PI/Director, Virginia H. Donaldson Professor in Translational Science, Departments of Psychiatry and Psychological Science, UVM

Gordon L. Jensen, M.D., Ph.D., Senior Associate Dean for Research, UVM College of Medicine

Video Welcome Remarks by U.S. Senator Patrick J. Leahy of Vermont

8:30-9:25 ***Keynote Address "Harnessing Research to Maximize Impact on Public Policy"***

Kelly D. Brownell, Ph.D., Dean of the Sanford School of Public Policy, Robert L. Flowers Professor of Public Policy, Duke University

9:30-9:40 COFFEE BREAK

### ***Panel on Weight Loss in Clinical Populations***

**Session Chairs:** Philip A. Ades, M.D., VCBH Associate Director, Professor, Department of Medicine, Division of Cardiology, UVM; and, Jean Harvey, Ph.D., R.D., Chair, Department of Nutrition and Food Sciences, UVM

9:45-10:10 ***Role of Exercise in Weight Loss: Clinical Applications***

Joseph E. Donnelly, Ed.D., Professor of Medicine, Center for Physical Activity and Weight Management, University of Kansas Medical Center

10:15-10:40 ***Weight Loss in the Prevention and Treatment of Diabetes***

Linda Delahanty, M.S., R.D., L.D.N., Assistant Professor of Medicine, Director of Nutrition and Behavioral Research, Diabetes Research Center, Massachusetts General Hospital

10:45-11:10 ***Obesity and Weight Loss in Coronary Artery Disease***

Philip A. Ades, M.D., Associate Director, Vermont Center on Behavior and Health, Professor, Department of Medicine, Division of Cardiology, UVM College of Medicine

11:15-11:40 ***Role of Obesity and Weight Loss in Cancer Outcomes***

Kim Dittus, M.D., Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Department of Medicine, Division of Medical Oncology, Director of Oncology Rehabilitation, UVM College of Medicine

11:45-12:10 ***Right-Sizing Weight Gain in Pregnancy***

Julie Phillips, M.D., Assistant Professor, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology, and Reproductive Sciences, Division of Maternal Fetal Medicine, UVM College of Medicine

12:15-1:25 LUNCH (Boxed Lunches Available\*)

12:25-1:25 ***SPECIAL EVENT: NIH & FDA FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR EARLY CAREER INVESTIGATORS*** \*We invite session attendees to bring their boxed lunches.

Dana M. van Bommel, Ph.D., M.P.H., Assistant Deputy for Research, Office of Science, Center for Tobacco Products, Food and Drug Administration

Samia D. Noursi, Ph.D., Deputy Coordinator, Women and Sex/Gender Differences Research, National Institute on Drug Abuse

***Panel on Use of Tobacco & Other Nicotine Delivery Products in Vulnerable Populations***

**Session Chair:** John R. Hughes, M.D., Vermont Center on Tobacco Regulatory Sciences, Associate Director/Co-PI, Professor, UVM Departments of Psychiatry, Psychological Science, and Family Medicine; and, Chad Reissig, Addiction Branch Chief, FDA Center for Tobacco Products

1:30-1:55 ***Tobacco Use in Adolescents***

Janet E. Audrain-McGovern, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Project Co-director, Penn TCORS Training and Career Development Program, Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania

2:00-2:25 ***Intersection of Risk Factors for Cigarette Smoking and Illicit Drug Abuse in U.S. Nationally Representative Samples***

Allison N. Kurti, Ph.D., Postdoctoral Fellow, Vermont Center on Behavior and Health, Vermont TCORS, University of Vermont, Member of FDA TCORS Working Group on Tobacco Use in Vulnerable Populations

2:30-2:55 ***Electronic Cigarettes: Implications for Vulnerable Populations***

Jonathan Foulds, Ph.D., Professor of Public Health Sciences and Psychiatry, Co-director of the Penn State TCORS, Penn State University

3:00-3:25 ***Full-flavor Cigarettes & Nicotine-Dependence Risk in Vulnerable Populations***

Stephen T. Higgins, Ph.D., Professor & Vice Chair, UVM Department of Psychiatry, Director of VCBH and Vermont Center on Tobacco Regulatory Sciences

3:30-3:55 ***Tobacco Use in Sexual Minorities***

Pratibha Nayak, Ph.D., Postdoctoral Research Associate, School of Public Health, Georgia State University TCORS, Georgia State University, Member of FDA TCORS Working Group on Tobacco Use in Vulnerable Populations

4:30-6:00 COCKTAIL HOUR & POSTER SESSIONS

Tobacco Regulatory Science & General Issues in Behavior and Health

***Friday, October 7, 2016***

7:30-8:00 BREAKFAST

***Panel on the Health Implications of Marijuana Legalization***

8:00-8:05 ***Welcome***

Stephen T. Higgins, Ph.D., VCBH Director, Professor, Departments of Psychiatry and Psychological Science, UVM

8:10-8:25 ***Opening Remarks from Session Chair***

Alan J. Budney, Ph.D., Professor, Department of Psychiatry, Geisel School of Medicine, Dartmouth College

8:30-8:55 ***Some Views from the Perspective of a State Considering Legalization***

Barbara Cimaglio, M.A., Deputy Commissioner, Vermont Department of Health

9:00-9:25 ***Perspectives from a State Managing Legalization***

Larry Wolk, M.D., M.S.P.H., Executive Director and Chief Medical Officer, Colorado Department of Health & Environment

9:30-9:55 ***Federal Perspective on the Health Impacts of Marijuana Legalization***

Susan Weiss, Ph.D., Associate Director for Scientific Affairs, National Institute on Drug Abuse

10:00-10:10 COFFEE BREAK

- 10:15-10:40 ***Prevalence of Marijuana Use, Abuse, Dependence: Potential Impacts of Legalization***  
Deborah S. Hasin, Ph.D., Department of Epidemiology, Mailman School of Public Health, Columbia University
- 10:45-11:10 ***Potential Impacts of Legalization on Factors Associated with the Development of Addiction (Marijuana Use Disorders)***  
Alan J. Budney, Ph.D., Professor, Department of Psychiatry, Geisel School of Medicine, Dartmouth College
- 11:15-11:40 ***Potential Impacts in Pediatrics: Marijuana Use Disorders in Adolescents***  
Denise D. Walker, Ph.D., Associate Professor, School of Social Work, University of Washington
- 11:45-11:55 WORKING LUNCH (Bring buffet selection into the conference room.)
- 12:00-12:25 ***Cannabis Use in Youth: From the Ballot Box to the Classroom***  
Randi Schuster, Ph.D., Center for Addiction Medicine, Psychiatry Department, Massachusetts General Hospital/Harvard Medical School
- 12:30-12:55 ***Potential Impacts on Maternal-Infant Health***  
Mishka Terplan, M.D., M.P.H., Medical Director, Baltimore Behavioral Health System, Adjunct Assistant Professor, Department of Epidemiology and Public Health, University of Maryland School of Medicine
- 1:00-1:25 ***Potential Impacts on Emergency Care***  
George S. Wang, M.D., Instructor in Pediatrics, Children's Hospital Colorado & Rocky Mountain Poison and Drug Center, Denver Health Medical Center
- 1:30-1:55 ***Potential Impacts of Legalization on Treating Pain across the Health Care System***  
Mark A. Ware, M.D., Associate Professor, Director of Clinical Research, Departments of Family Medicine and Anesthesia, McGill University
- 2:00 ADJOURN