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 \textit{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 \textit{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 \textit{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 \textit{SPECIAL EVENT: NIH \& FDA FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR EARLY CAREER INVESTIGATORS} *We invite session attendees to bring their boxed lunches.

Dana M. van Bemmel, 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

\textit{Panel on Use of Tobacco \& Other Nicotine Delivery Products in Vulnerable Populations}

\textbf{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 \textit{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 \textit{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
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

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

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

Friday, October 7, 2016

7:30-8:00 BREAKFAST

Panel on the Health Implications of Marijuana Legalization

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

Opening Remarks from Session Chair
Alan J. Budney, Ph.D., Professor, Department of Psychiatry, Geisel School of Medicine, Dartmouth College

Some Views from the Perspective of a State Considering Legalization
Barbara Cimaglio, M.A., Deputy Commissioner, Vermont Department of Health

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

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

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