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# CULTURAL COMPETENCY IN DIABETES CARE

Satellite Conference and Live Webcast

Thursday, March 11, 2010 1:00-3:00 p.m. (Central Time)

2:00-4:00 p.m. (Eastern) 12:00-2:00 p.m. (Mountain) 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. (Pacific)

t is well documented in minority populations such as African Americans, Native Americans, Asian Americans, and Latinos that these individuals have higher incidences of chronic disease, mortality, and poor health outcomes. This program will attempt to address some of the barriers to quality health care in these populations. We will also explore several innovative ways some communities are addressing the inequalities.

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## **PROGRAM OBIECTIVES**

- Discuss inequalities in health care on multiple levels.
- 2. Improve health outcomes in the high risk population by addressing everyday choices.
- Explore the Delta Region Health Education Leadership Program (DR. HELP).

### **CONFERENCE DETAILS**

Target Audience: Nurses, social workers, pharmacists, nutritionists, physicians,

any health care worker or provider caring for a diabetic patient.

Continuing Education: Nurses 1.8 hours, Social Workers 1.75 hours, Registered

Dieticians need to print out the agenda and sign-in sheet to receive CEUs

Registration: www.adph.org/alphtn

Technical Information: To receive complete technical information you must

register at www.adph.org/alphtn

Satellite - Live satellite conference on C band (analog).

**Webcast** - Watch with RealPlayer or Windows Media Player. Test your computer with the "test connection link" at www.adph.org/alphtn.

Audio - To listen by phone, call 1-888-557-8511. Enter access code

972-1530 #. Press # again to listen to the conference.

On Demand - Available 2-3 business days after the live broadcast from the

On Demand page of our website.

Conference Materials: Posted on our website approximately one week before the program

for registered participants.

Conference Details Questions: Call: 334-206-5618 | Email: alphtn@adph.state.al.us

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