

**Sitting at the Crossroads: Cultural Sensitivity, Intersectionality, and Factors to Take into Consideration
When Working with Marginalized Communities**

DATE & TIME:

April 29 & 30, 2025

9:00AM – 12:00PM

***Sign-in begins 15 minutes prior to the training time. All participants must arrive during the sign-in period.
Late arrivals will not be admitted.***

PLACE:

Web Broadcast – Zoom

REGISTRATION: <https://eventshub.dmh.lacounty.gov/>

DESCRIPTION: Through the identification and increased knowledge of intersectionality, cultural sensitivity and the struggles faced by marginalized communities, this training looks at increasing service workers' ability to effectively deliver services through an informed culturally sensitive lens. The participants will be asked to explore and identify their own intersectionality as well as their own biases and privileges in an attempt to better understand the struggles faced by intersectional and marginalized Latino/Latina/Latinx communities. The training will further work towards increasing the tools needed to implement interventions and serve all communities.

TARGET AUDIENCE: DMH staff

OBJECTIVES:

As a result of attending this training, participants should be able to:

1. Describe cultural sensitivity and its role in providing services.
2. Describe the intersectionality of others and ourselves.
3. Identify the stages of immigration trauma.
4. Identify barriers to implementing culturally sensitive practices.
5. Identify personal biases and privileges.
6. Describe what is needed to create a safe space.

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DEADLINE:

When capacity is reached.

**CONTINUING
EDUCATION:**

6.0 hours for BBS, BRN, CCAPP-EI
6.0 CE for Psychologist

COST:

NONE