

Rising to the Challenge AGENDA

December 15, 2020	
Conference Day 1	
7:30 am – 8:30 am	Live Visit with Exhibitors
8:30 am – 8:40 am	Welcoming Remarks and Introductions
	Patty Houpt – Executive Director, NEEBC Conference Planning Committee Chairs
8:40 am – 9:40 am	Keynote
	Lessons from 2020: COVID-19, Racism and Structural Equity
	Dr. Joseph Betancourt, MD, MPH – Vice President and Chief Equity and Inclusion Officer, Massachusetts General Hospital
9:40 am – 10:30 am	The Emerging Value of Telehealth – A Panel Discussion with a Telehealth Provider, an Employer and a Physician
	 Panel: Dr. Larry Garber, MD – Reliant Medical Group Marianna Gil – Director of Health Benefits, City of Boston Dr. Kristi Henderson, DNP, NP-C, FAAN, FAEN – SVP, Innovation & Telehealth, Optum Moderated by John Jesser – President of Clinical Solutions, Amwell
10:30 am – 11:15 am	Break and Live Visit with Exhibitors
10:30 am – 11:15 am	Visit and live video chat with some of the most cutting-edge providers in the industry
11:15 am – 12:00 pm	Time Smart: Scientific Strategies for Reclaiming Your Time & Living a Happier Life
	Ashley Whillans – Behavioral Scientist, Assistant Professor, Harvard Business School and Author
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	A Behavioral Health Care Initiative – An Employer Case Study
	Shawna Oliver – North America Benefits Strategy Lead, Manulife – John Hancock
12:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Grab some lunch and catch up with friends and colleagues Live visit with exhibitors and learn about new products and solutions

December 16, 2020	
Conference Day 2	
7:30 am – 8:30 am	Live Visit with Exhibitors
8:30 am – 8:40 am	Welcoming Remarks and Introduction of New NEEBC Executive Director
	Jack Myers – NEEBC Board President
8:40 am – 9:25 am	Keynote Go Above and Beyond: Always Put a Cherry on Top!
	Joyce Russell – President of the Adecco Group US Foundation and Author of Put a Cherry On Top: Generosity in Life and Leadership
9:25 am – 10:25 am	Financial Wellness for Challenging Times
	Sondra McVeigh – Head of Product Deployment, Empower Retirement Seth Serxner – Chief Health Officer & SVP Population Health, Optum
10:25 am – 11:05 am	Break and Live Visit with Exhibitors
11:05 am – 12:00 pm	Caregiving During COVID-19 — Employer Strategies and Community Resources to Help Employees Navigate "Back to School" and "Return to Office"
	Panel:
	Tracey Crowell – Director, Benefits, VF Corporation
	Lynette M. Fraga, Ph.D. – CEO, Child Care Aware® of America
	Mary Jane Williams – Vice President, Total Rewards, HarborOne Bank
	Moderated by Jennifer Sabatini Fraone – Director of Corporate Partnerships, Boston College Center for Work & Family
12:00 pm – 12:30 pm	Creativity in Crisis – Workforce Well-being Trends & Solutions
	Kenneth Ralff – Senior Vice President, Employee Benefits Office Leader, Lockton Mike Smith – AVP, Producer, Northeast Benefits, Lockton
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	Closing Remarks and 40 th Anniversary Celebration

Special Thanks to... The Conference Planning Committee

Committee Chairs:

John Kennedy, Ipsen Biopharmaceuticals Patricia Rich, AllWays Health Partners Eric Swain, UnitedHealth Group

Committee Members:

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