

Know Before You Go:

Resilient Georgia's Fall 2026 General Meeting

"Growing Georgia's Trauma-Informed Workforce: People, Pathways, & Partnerships"

*Thursday, November 5th
11am-12:30pm*

Zoom Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89233800857?pwd=kDkfdwtZHubXFYcNiXg1GMgeWFXoDp.1>

Resources

Check out these quick links to understand more about the behavioral health workforce!

HRSA State of the BH Workforce

Overview of the current behavioral health workforce supply and distribution in the United States and factors impacting the workforce and access to behavioral health care services.

SAMHSA BH Workforce

How SAMHSA works with federal & other partners to increase the supply of trained & culturally aware professionals to address the nation's behavioral health needs.

State Behavioral Health Workforce Centers

BHWCs work to develop data-driven insights & strategies to address chronic behavioral health workforce shortages, geographic maldistribution, & gaps.

Speakers



Sandra Martin Ed.S.
Georgia Department of Education

"Career, Technical, & Agricultural Education: Mental Health Professional Pathway"



Wendy Tiegreen
The Ralston Institute at UGA

"A Framework to Advance Georgia's Behavioral Health Workforce"



Kevin Crawford MDiv, ThM, Ph.D.
Emory University

"Community Health Worker Agential Learning: Transforming Knowledge into Culturally Meaningful Practices for Child, Adolescent, and Young Adult Mental and Behavioral Health"



Allison Garefino Ph.D.
Kennesaw State University

"A Replicable Model Program to Expand the MBH Workforce Using TI Microcredentials"



Nikki Gilbert
Technical College System of Georgia

"The Workforce between the Workforce"



Andrea Meyer Stinson Ph.D.
LMFT, Resilient Georgia



Liza Cuevas LMSW, Wellroot

Amber Jones LPC, Hillside

"Mental Health Workforce Accelerator: A Statewide Initiative to Support the Pathway to Clinical Licensure"

