Michigan Chapter



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# Issues in Aging

Virtual Event: Join us on **Zoom** 

MONDAY • APRIL 19, 2021 • 9 AM - 3:40 PM



## **6 CREDITS FOR:**

Social Workers • Nurses

Nursing Home Administrators

Occupational Therapists

OTAs • Physical Therapists

PTAs • Case Management

Educators &

General Attendance

## Any questions?

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Professionals \$30 Student/Family Caregivers \$15 <u>REGISTER</u> <u>HERE</u>

## 2021: Team Approach to Frailty Care

## AGENDA:

8:45 am | Sign In

9:00 am | Cannabinoids for Agitation in Dementia: Clearing the Smoke



**Krista Lanctot, PhD,** Senior Scientist Sunnybrook Research Institute, Professor of Psychiatry and Pharmacology, and Vice-Chair, Dept. of Psychiatry, University of Toronto

10:25 am | 5 minute slide break

10:30 am | Caregiving in Diverse Populations



Sheria Robinson-Lane, PhD, RN, Asst. Professor University of Michigan, Dept. of Systems, Populations and Leadership

12:00 pm | Lunch & email check

12:30 pm | Aging in Place: Key to the Good Life



Susan Stark PhD, OTR/L, Assoc. Professor Occupational Therapy, School of Medicine Washington University in St. Louis

2:00 pm | Love is Listening: Dementia Without Loneliness



**Michael Verde, MA**Founder of Memory Bridge Bloomington, Indiana

3:30 pm | Q&A and Evaluations

#### **OBJECTIVES:**

- · Be aware of current treatments for agitation in dementia
- Know the pharmacologic rationale for cannabinoid use in dementia
- Describe results for the most recent nabilone trial
- Discuss national trends in caregiving
- · Identify dementia-specific concerns related to caregiving
- Describe clinical implications and research directions
- Understand how the home environment can influence behavior
- Define home modifications
- Recognize the primary source of suffering of people with dementia is emotional isolation
- Recognize that the chief contributing factor to the emotional isolation of people with dementia
- Distinguish recognizing a unique person from caring for a "person with dementia"
- Describe the differences phenomenologically between "care" as an action verb and "care" as a being verb

