



# A PAWSITIVE IMPACT

## 2025 Facility Dog Summit

Thursday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025

7:30-8:00 AM

REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST

8:00-9:20 AM



### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**KEYNOTE: YOU ARE THE STANDARD: LIVING IN ALIGNMENT, LEADING THROUGH INNOVATION**

BY KATIE TAYLOR, CCLS

9:30-10:30 AM



### ETHICAL INCLUSION OF FACILITY DOGS

BY CHRISSY RICHARDSON, C-AAIS

### I MISS THE DOG: VIRTUAL FACILITY DOG INTERVENTIONS

BY SAM BONNER, CCLS AND JEN NAGORSKI, CCLS

10:40-11:40 AM

BREAK OUT SESSIONS

11:45-12:45 PM

LUNCH AND NETWORKING

12:50-1:50 PM



### PANEL: NAVIGATING THE LEAVE OF A PRIMARY HANDLER

BY RACHEL HARTJEN, MS, CCLS, SARAH THOMPSON, BA, CCLS, AND CAITLIN WOLF, MS, CCLS

2:00-3:00 PM



### FACILITY DOGS AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CRISIS RESPONSE

BY TAYLOR RJECK, MSW, LISW, C-AAIS, KARA STOLL, BS, CCLS, AND KRISTIE SCHRAM, MS, LPCC

### AAT FOR PEDIATRIC ONCOLOGY USING PROJECT ECHO

BY ALLISON ROSEN, MS AND KRISTINA GATELY

3:10-4:10 PM



### SUSTAINING A GROWING FACILITY DOG PROGRAM

BY SARAH SCOTT, MS, CCLS

### EXPANDING SERVICES TO BEHAVIORAL NEUROSCIENCE CLINICS

BY CALA HEFFERAN, MA, CCLS AND ANN KJOLHAUG, MA, CCLS

4:20-4:30 PM

WRAP UP ANNOUNCEMENTS AND ADJOURNMENT

**SOCIAL EVENT TO FOLLOW**



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### MULTIDISCIPLINARY FACILITY DOG PROGRAM

BY KIMBERLY RUSSELL, MDIV, BCC, NICOLE BYFORD, MS, SHAWN BRASHER, MS, CCLS, KATHY CLAYTON, LCSW, R. ELYSE HEIDELBERG, PSYD, ANN KENNEDY, CCLS, AND JANET SELLERS, LCSW

### FACILITY DOGS IN MEDICAL CAMP SETTINGS

BY MORGAN BRINSON, MS, CCLS AND ANNE STANKUS, MS, CCLS

9:30-10:30 AM



### COURTHOUSE FACILITY DOGS: PAWS FOR JUSTICE - ENHANCING LEGAL PROCEEDINGS WITH COMPASSIONATE SUPPORT

BY DR. CELESTE WALSEN, DVM AND FELICIA AKO, PMP AND CEO

### FACILITY DOG SERVICES IN ANTEPARTUM AND NICU

BY DANIELLE MOLLUNG, MS, CCLS, CEIM AND CATYA (CAT) KURBAN, MS, CCLS

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### STAFF EDUCATION FOR FACILITY DOGS

BY MICHELLE FLYNN, MS, CCLS II

11:50-12:30 PM

LUNCH AND NETWORKING

12:40-1:25 PM



### DUETS IN HEALING: FINDING HARMONY AS A HANDLER

BY MARIAL BIARD, MM, MT-BC, NMT-F

1:35-2:35 PM



### AAT AND ICU HEALTHCARE WORKER STRESS

BY KATHERINE ADAIR WINGET, CCLS, MORGAN FRAIZ, BSN, RN, CCRN, ADRIENNE KOCHER, BSN, RN, CCRN, AND DARLENE E. ACORDA, PHD, APRN, CPNP-PC

### TRAINING PATHWAYS OF FACILITY DOG HANDLERS

BY KELBE DAVIES, MS, CCLS AND STEPHANIE WHITTEN, MS, CCLS

2:45-3:45 PM



### WHEN THE HEELER NEEDS HEALING

BY ELIZABETH OLSEN, MS, CCLS

3:45-4:00 PM

LISA KINSEL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD  
ADJOURNMENT



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