## 8<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL JEFFERSON INFERTILITY COUNSELING CONFERENCE: APRIL 7-10, 2021

## **DAY ONE: APRIL 7, 2021**: 5.5 CE hours

At the conclusion, participants will be able to

- Describe the lastest psychological, medical, and legal issues in reproductive medicine
- Distinguish unique psychosocial needs and challenges for transgender patients
- Recognize racial disparities in reproductive medicine
- Identify appropriate steps and processes for conducting third-party evaluations
- Assess and practice advanced counseling treatment modalities and approaches
- Recognize current legislative challenges to reproductive medicine

**Emerging Medical Development in ART:** William Schlaff, MD

Disruptive Legislative Developments in Assisted Reproductive Technologies: Sean Tipton, MBA

How to Do a Gestational Carrier Psychological Evaluation: Tara Simpson, PsyD

How to Do an Egg Donor Psychological Evaluation: Carrie Eichberg, PhD

Beyond Evals: Supporting Donor Recipients Through the Years: Abby Grayson, LPC, NCC and Kristen

Mulheren Levitt, LCSW

Legally Speaking What's Keeping Us Up at Night Now?: Susan Crockin, JD

Racial Inequities and Heath Disparities in Medicine: Traci Trice, MD, MBS

**Ripped from Your Offices: Challenging Cases and Controversies:** Andrea Braverman, PhD. Susan

Crockin, JD, and William Petok, PhD

DAY TWO: APRIL 8, 2021: 4 CE hours

At the conclusion, participants will be able to

- Summarize recent developments in the IVF lab
- Identify new developments in the PAI and other clinical assessments
- Recognize unique cultural competency issues for psychological counseling in reproductive endocrinology patients
- Discuss the interprofessional process and psychological issues involved in becoming a surrogate
- Discuss legal and counseling implications of physician fertility fraud

Assisting Patients in Understanding Assisted Reproduction: Kathryn Go, PhD, HCLD

What's New with the PAI-Plus? Research Development in Selection Assessment: John Kurtz, PhD

Finding the Balance Facilitating Secure and Successful Gestational Surrogacy Arrangements: *Nidhi Desai, JD and Margaret Swain, RN, JD* 

**Counseling Orthodox Jewish Couples with Infertility: Collaboration and Cultural Humility:** *Dvora Entin, LCSW* 

Fertility Fraud and Its Impact on Doctor-Conceived Offspring: Jody Madeira, JD

DAY THREE: APRIL 9, 2021: 5 CE hours

At the conclusion, participants will be able to

- Recognize unique ethical aspects of embryo donation
- Apply evidence-based techniques with gestational surrogates and intended parents
- Confront and resolve unique ethical challenges ad issues facing mental health professionals in Assisted Reproductive Technology

**The Psychosocial and Ethical Challenges of Embryo Donation:** *Andrea Braverman, PhD and William Petok, PhD* 

Introduction to the Gestational Surrogacy Case: Andrea Braverman, PhD

Beyond the Gender Binary: Genitals Don't Equal Gender: Jamie Joseph, PhD

Frozen Futures? The Future of Gamete Donation is Here: Jaime Shamonki, MD

Day Four: Saturday, April 10, 2021: 6 CE hours

PAI WORKSHOP: JOHN KURTZ, PhD

At the conclusion, participants will be able to

- Describe the unique advantages of the PAI for psychological assessment of individuals in reproductive medicine and fertility counseling settings
- Understand the essential user qualifications and ethical practices of clinical practice
- List three types of respondent behavior that affect the accuracy of PAI results
- Describe three strategies for evaluating defensiveness of individual respondents
- Follow a sequential strategy for determining the acceptability of PAI profiles
- List three PAI scales that are relevant for understanding strengths and weaknesses in ovum donor and gestational carrier candidates