

**SOCIETY OF ADDICTION PSYCHOLOGY**  
**APA 2020 VIRTUAL CONVENTION PROGRAM**  
*50 Years of Harm Reduction: Past, Present and Future*



# APA 2020 Virtual Convention information

- Register here for on-demand access to main stage and division programming starting August 6, 2020. **Registration fees have been reduced by 85%!** <https://convention.apa.org/>
- Visit the free Division 50/28 **Live Zoom Event on Friday August 7 4-6pm ET**. NIAAA/NIDA Student and Early Career Investigators Poster Session and Social Hour preregistration and information is here: <https://redcap.partners.org/redcap/surveys/?s=4CJLK3FJL8>
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**View on-demand**  
Division 50 symposia  
and posters featuring  
**cutting-edge research**  
that highlights the  
**lived experience** of  
people who use  
substances, findings  
on **harm reduction**  
interventions, and  
work conducted across  
diverse settings and  
**diverse populations.**

## Featured scientific symposia include...

- **Deconstructing “Treatment”:** Importance of harm reduction in criminal justice reform
  - Speakers: L. Daugaard, C. Gale, M. Lamont, J. Pugel & D. Satterberg
  - Chairs/Discussants: S.L. Clifasefi & S.P. Vakharia
- **The traditional gender-role hypothesis: Alcohol use and other health risk behaviors among Latinas**
  - Speaker: J. Perrotte
- **E-cigarette use among youth: An examination of behaviors, motives and policies**
  - Speakers: J.W. Grube, B. Halpern-Fisher, & L. Holt
  - Chairs/Discussants: J.V. Cristello, G. Kong & A. Weiner
- **Ethical considerations of court-ordered treatment**
  - Speakers: S.P. Vakharia & D. Tomasini-Joshi
  - Chair: S.L. Clifasefi
- **Advances in substance use disorder research: Comorbidity and its underestimated implications**
  - Speakers: M.G. Kushner, M.H. Teicher, M.D. Glantz, & A.C. Helle
  - Chair/Discussant: M.D. Glantz & K.J. Sher
- **An update on alcohol use disorder: From etiology to treatment**
  - Speakers: V. Ramchandani, D.E. Falk, K. Witkiewitz, & L.A. Ray
  - Chairs/Discussants: L.A. Ray, E. Grodin & J. McKillop
- **Paradigm shift: Research on the introduction of harm reduction into diverse settings and populations**
  - Speakers: J. Tracy, S.E. Collins, L.A. Nelson, L. Black Bear & C. Neighbors
  - Chairs/Discussants: M. Kirouac & M.E. Larimer

Brush up your  
**clinical expertise** by  
attending the  
Division 50 **harm  
reduction** skill-  
building sessions.

- **User-driven harm reduction 101: Naloxone, clean works and safer-use strategies**
  - Speaker: S. Jama
  - Chair/Discussant: S.E. Collins & S.L. Clifasefi
- **Loving people who love alcohol and drugs: Harm reduction psychotherapy for family, friends and community**
  - Speakers: P. Denning & J. Little
- **Integrative Harm Reduction Psychotherapy: Bringing relational, psychodynamic, cognitive, behavioral and mindfulness strategies together in a harm-reduction frame**
  - Speakers: A. Tatarsky & J. Talley

Expand your knowledge with cross-cutting **Collaborative Symposia** selected for the APA main program and cosponsored by Division 50.

- **Harm reduction or harm induction? Exploring the current research on e-cigarettes and vaping**
  - Speakers: T. Spindle, M. Rahmandar, L. Eisley, F. Summersett, L.A. Nelson, W. Williams, M. Zeller
  - Chair/ Discussant: S.E. Collins & D. Hatsukami
  - Collaboration among Divisions 50, 28, 54
- **Diverse translational perspectives in the development of opioid and substance use disorders**
  - Speakers: R. Lacy, C. Bergeria, N. Anastasio, & J. Jones
  - Chair/ Discussant: E. Garcia
  - Collaboration among Division 6, 25, 28, 50
- **The past, present and future of NIH sex as a biological variable policy**
  - Speakers: E.S. Calipari, M.A. Smith, S. Heil
  - Chair/ Discussant: J.C. Strickland & W.J. Lynch
  - Collaboration among Divisions 28, 25, 35, 44, 50, EC
- **A push and a nudge: Leveraging behavioral economics to improve psychological health**
  - Speakers: J.C. Strickland, M.S. Berry, C.L. Bergeria
  - Chair: J.C. Strickland
  - Collaboration among Divisions 28, 6, 25, 28, 50, EC



Thank you for  
checking out Division  
50 programming at  
the APA 2020 Virtual  
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everyone!