

Saturday – Sept. 23

8:00 am - 9:00 am	Registration, Networking, and Exhibits – Grand Foyer
9:00 am – 9:15 am	Welcome and NAMI Florida overview – Grand Ballroom Rajiv Tandon, MD President, NAMI Florida
9:15 am – 10:00 am	State overview – Mental health and the state Legislature Rep. Kathleen Peters Rep. Mike Miller
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Federal overview Andrew Sperling, Director of Legislative Advocacy NAMI National Office
10:30 am – 10:45 am	Break
10:45 am – 12:00 pm	Baker Acting of Children Martha Lenderman, Baker Act expert, NAMI Pinellas Bob Dillinger, 6 th Judicial Circuit Public Defender
12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Lunch - Keynote Session: Early Psychosis – Grand I Dr. Dawn Bruinjeel, Clinical Assistant Professor, University of Florida Director of ECT and Inpatient Psychiatric Services Malcom Randall VA Medical Center RAISE project, Henderson Clinic Suzelle Guinart, LMHC, M.Ed, Program Supervisor Manouchka Louisius, BA, Supported Employment/Education Specialist
1:30pm – 1:45 pm	Break
1:45 pm – 2:45 pm	Veterans Panel on PTSD/Suicide -- Grand Ballroom Joe Thornton, MD, VA Medical Center, University of Florida Dr. Tracy Hejmanjowski, Clinical Psychologist and Program Manager U.S. Naval Hospital Jacksonville Deployment Health Center

2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

Ask the Doctor

Sushil Puskur, MD PA, Child and Adult Psychiatry, Ocala
Dr. Dawn Bruinjzeel

3:45pm – 4:00pm

Break

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm

NAMI Special Interest Groups

Advocacy

State policy overview -- Alisa LaPolt, NAMI Florida
NAMI Advocacy Groups (NAG) -- Helen Trainor, NAMI Palm Beach;
Marsha Martino, NAMI Palm Beach; Donna Linn, NAMI Broward; Kathy
Coppola, NAMI Miami-Dade

Education

Cindy Foster, NAMI Tallahassee, NAMI Florida Programs
Donna Hesel, NAMI Greater Orlando

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm

NAMI Florida Annual meeting

Election, NAMI Florida Board of Directors

6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

NAMI Florida 30th Birthday Party

Light hors oeuvres, birthday cake
Terrace

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