

HEALING ACROSS CULTURES: LEARNING FROM TRADITIONS

FREE interactive symposium
Presenters include
Traditional Healers &
Integrative Medical Practitioners and
Researchers

April 6, 2006, Thursday
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.



Mather Mansion
Cleveland State University
2605 Euclid Avenue
Cleveland, OH 44115



PURPOSE OF THE CENTER

- To develop different approaches to collect information about the health and wellness belief systems/techniques of different cultures within and outside the United States.
- To record and disseminate information on age-old healing traditions for the benefit of contemporary and future generations.
- To provide opportunities for interdisciplinary investigative and learning collaborations for faculty, students and the community at large.

UNIQUENESS OF SYMPOSIUM

Regionally, nationally and internationally known scholars, complementary and alternative medicine practitioners, and traditional healers of rich and varied cultures will be interacting in presentation and roundtable format.

Traditional healing artifacts and curios will be displayed.

Participants will have an opportunity to stimulate their senses through traditional healing practices.

Experience healing traditions, traditional music, food, and wellness practices such as yoga and tai-chi.

Symposium Schedule

8:30 a.m. *Registration*

9:15 a.m. *Welcome*

Mark Tumeo, Ph.D. Dean, Graduate College

Mieko Smith, Ph.D. Director, BAHI

9:30 a.m. *Opening Remarks*

Todd Pesek, M.D. Director, CHAC
Assistant Professor of Health Sciences

“Traditions and Transformations”

10:00 a.m. – 12:30 noon

Listening to Traditional Healers

*Moderated by Murali Nair, D.S.W.,
Professor of Social Work*

African American

Native American

Appalachian

Indian

Chinese

12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Lunch - traditional foods and music

2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Listening to Practitioners and Researchers in Integrative Medicine

*Moderated by Lonnie Helton, Ed.D.,
Associate Professor of Social Work*

Caldwell Esselstyn, M.D.

Preventive Cardiologist
Cleveland Clinic Foundation

Tom Morledge, M.D.

Director, Willoughby Hills Family Health
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Joan Fox, Ph.D.

Staff, Department of Molecular Cardiology and
Center for Integrative Medicine
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Mladen Golubic, M.D., Ph.D.

Project Scientist, Brain Tumor Institute and
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Cleveland Clinic Foundation

4:30 p.m. *Closing Remarks*

John Bazyk, MS, OTR/L

Chairperson, Department of Health Sciences

Registration form

Name:

Address:

Agency Affiliation:

Telephone number:

E-mail:

**Conference limited to the first 100
registered participants.*

Please send the completed form to:

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