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# CLIENTS WITH MS: DO NO HARM

July 17, 2021 9:00AM-12:00PM PST

[Registration Link Here](#)

**Course Description:** People of all races, genders, ethnicities and sexual orientations are living with Multiple Sclerosis (MS). This free, virtual, CE course, taught by psychologists who are recognized for their expertise in MS, disability and integrative healthcare, this intermediate training is for licensed mental health professionals who want to receive referrals of clients with MS and focus on skill building to work effectively with these clients. Emphasis is on culturally-sensitive interventions to increase resiliency and enable clients to better self-manage and more fully participate in their healthcare and family, community and work life. Culturally responsive team-based care, MS in couple relationships, addressing cognitive challenges in therapy and interventions for fatigue, pain, stress management will be examined.

**Level of Attendee Experience:** Basic to Intermediate

**Pre-requisites:** Suggestions upon registration

**Event Style:** Didactic, Vignettes, Interactive, Demonstration of clinical approaches

**Follow Up:** Resources for further learning provided

9:00am	<b>Welcome &amp; Introductions</b> Katelyn Michtich, MBA - National MS Society
9:05am	<b>MS Symptom Management</b> Pearl Werfel, PhD - Private Practice
9:45am	<b>Neuropsychological Considerations</b> Linda Trettin, PhD - Mercy General Hospital, Folsom Neuropsychology
10:25am	<b>Break</b>
10:30am	<b>Culturally Sensitive Team-Based Care</b> Amber Landers, PhD - Alliant University
11:10am	<b>Partners and Parents with MS</b> Rhoda Olkin, PhD - Alliant University
11:50am	<b>Question &amp; Answer</b>

**Questions? Need help registering?**

Contact Katelyn Michtich at [Katelyn.michtich@nmss.org](mailto:Katelyn.michtich@nmss.org) or 310-481-1131.



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#### OUR VISION

A world free of MS.

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We will cure MS while empowering people affected by MS to live their best lives.