

Sharing Hope

Community Partnership through Education

An informational Webinar

April 14, 2010 3:00-4:30pm EDST

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We are pleased to announce a special Webinar, Sharing Hope: Community Partnership through Education, focusing on NAMI's Sharing Hope: Understanding Mental Health initiative. You will not want to miss hearing about this exciting program which targets African American congregations to start a dialogue on mental health and build partnerships with NAMI.

Sharing Hope includes a scripted 60-minute interactive presentation focusing primarily on personal reflections of the presentation team (including a consumer, family member and a faith leader) and discussion-based activity with a companion booklet. This program has proven to help spread the word about NAMI and get African American families and consumers involved in NAMI education and support programs.

Our motto is you learn by doing and we're delighted to have representatives from two successful Sharing Hope program sites share with us their key strategies, such as leadership support and education program collaboration, as well as the outcomes of their efforts. There will be plenty of time available for questions and answers. You will leave the Webinar with strategies and models you can replicate for your own initiatives to get the program up and running in your area.

Featuring

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and

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with **Shelley White**, Associate Director, NAMI Minnesota*

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For more information on Sharing Hope visit www.nami.org/sharinghope.



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