

2014 Alzheimer's Association Regional Education Conference

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- 24-Hour Dementia-Specific HELPLINE 800-272-3900
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- Individual and Family Counseling
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- Medic Alert®+ Alzheimer's Association
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- Community/Professional Education
- Advocacy & Public Policy
- Alzheimer's Navigator Online Tools

## ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

The Alzheimer's Association International Conference® (AAIC®) (formerly AAICAD) is the world's largest gathering of Alzheimer's and dementia researchers. The event includes plenary sessions of interest to a wide range of Alzheimer's researchers, as well as oral, symposia and other sessions delving into very specific areas of Alzheimer's research.

In addition to these sessions, hundreds of posters describing individual research studies are available for viewing daily, and attendees have the opportunity to speak with study researchers one on one. The number of total presentations varies from year to year.

### **DIRECTIONS**

### **Kovens Conference Center**

3000 NE 151st Street • North Miami, FL

#### From the South:

Take I-95 North to N.W. 135th Street, Opa-Locka Blvd. (Exit 10B)
Take 135th Street East to Biscayne Blvd. (US 1)
Turn left on Biscayne Blvd. to NE 151st Street
Turn right at NE 151st Street and follow signs for Center

### From the North (including Ft. Lauderdale International Airport):

Take I-95 South to Ives Dairy Road (Exit 16)
Take Ives Dairy Road East to Biscayne Blvd.
Take Biscayne Blvd. South to NE 151st Street
Turn left at NE 151st Street and follow signs for Center

### From the West (Palmetto Expressway, or Turnpike):

Follow Route 826 eastbound following signs "to Beaches"
Turn right on Biscayne Blvd. (US 1)
Take Biscayne Blvd. South to NE 151st Street
Turn left at NE 151st Street and follow signs for Center

### Southeast Florida Chapter

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The Alzheimer's Association is the leading voluntary health organization in Alzheimer's care, support and resarch. Its mission is to eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health.

The Southeast Florida Chapter advances efforts for researching a cure through fundraising and its signature event Walk to End Alzheimer's™, and provides support and educational services to more than 200,000 persons with Alzheimer's disease and their families and caregivers in Broward, Palm Beach, Miami-Dade, Martin, Monroe, St. Lucie and Okeechobee counties. It offers a 24-hour HELPLINE (800) 272-3900, support groups, Alzheimer's Navigator, Trial Match™, the Medic Alert⁺ + Alzheimer's Association Safe Return¹ identification bracelet program, Comfort Zone¹, community education, and an advocacy program to educate Congress on critical Alzheimer policy issues and work to increase federal funding for research and care programs. For more information, call (800) 272-3900 or visit alz.org/seflorida.

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2014 Care & Conquer

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### Thursday, May 15,2014

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Professionals and caregivers welcome Sponsorship and exhibitor opportunities available.

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### 2014 Care & Conquer

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### **AGENDA**

7:30am - 8:45am Registration and Breakfast

9:00am - 9:15am Welcome and Introductions

9:15am - 10:15am Dr. Regina Carney

10:15am - 10:30am Exhibits and Break

10:30am - 11:30am Stephanie Schneider, Elder Law

Attorney, David Treece, Certified Financial Planner, and a representative

from the Area Agency on Aging

11:30am - 12:00pm Lunch

Keynote Speaker

Heather M. Snyder, Ph. D.

1:45pm - 2:45pm

12:30pm - 1:30pm

Dr. Amarillis Acevedo

2:45pm - 3:45pm Close and Door Prizes

## Guest Speakers

### Dr. Regina Carney

Dr. Regina Carney is an Assistant Professor of Clinical Psychiatry at the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine, with a research interest in neuropsychiatric illness including Alzheimer's disease (AD). She is a member of the ongoing Alzheimer Disease Genetics Consortium (ADGC) and the more recent Alzheimer Disease Sequencing Project (ADSP), overseeing and providing clinical expertise for research projects at the University of Miami's Hussman Institute for Human Genomics. This work has resulted in several first-author publications in AD, focusing on clinical and neuropathological correlates of familial AD, as well as multiple co-authored publications.

Dr. Carney received a Bachelors of Science in Biology from Duke University, completed a Doctorate of Medicine at Stony Brook University, and trained in General Psychiatry at Vanderbilt University and Forensic Psychiatry at Jackson Memorial Hospital/University of Miami Miller School of Medicine.

### Amarilis Acevedo, Ph.D., ABPP-CN

Dr. Acevedo is an Associate Professor at the Center for Psychological Studies at Nova Southeastern University (NSU) where she teaches a variety of doctoral courses in clinical neuropathology and neuropsychology, biopsychosocial processes in adults and older adults, and psychological interventions.

She earned a doctoral degree in behavioral neurosciences at the University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA) in 1989. Later on, she completed a re-specialization program in clinical psychology at the University of Hawaii, an internship in neuropsychology at the Boston VA Medical Center, and a post-doctoral fellowship in forensic neuropsychology at the Department of Neurology of the University of Miami School of Medicine. She is a licensed psychologist in the State of Florida and is board certified in clinical neuropsychology.



### Heather M. Snyder, PH.D

Dr. Snyder is Director of Medical and Scientific Operations at the Alzheimer's Association. She oversees the Association's International Research Grant Program, the mechanism through which the Association funds research applications. In addition to ensuring the smooth review of applications and distribution of awards to successful applicants, she is responsible for the dissemination of results and ongoing investigations to a wide range of audiences.

She also manages a collaborative project with the National Institute on Aging of the National Institutes of Health to develop an International Alzheimer's Disease Research Portfolio – using a common language to describe funded research to enable the integration and comparative analysis of Alzheimer's research funding from public and private organizations from around the world.

Dr. Snyder received her Ph.D. from Loyola University Chicago Stritch School of Medicine and her B.A. in Biology and Religious Studies from The University of Virginia. Since graduating from Stritch, she completed a postdoctoral fellowship in the Neurobiology Program at Children's Memorial Research Center, affiliated with Northwestern University, in Chicago.

### Legal & Financial Planning Resources Panel

Stephanie Schneider, Elder Law Attorney David David Treece, Certified Financial Planner, Representative from the Area Agency on Aging



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### **GUEST REGISTRATION**

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