

Texas Motherhood Summit

Thursday, May 5, 2022 | 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM (CST)

10:00 – 10:11 am **Welcome**
Melissa Atkins Wardy, Director, Texas Family Leadership Council, C@R

10:12 – 10:18 am **Keynote Remarks**
State Representative Toni Rose, Texas House District 110

Session One: Maternal Health

10:19 – 10:29 am **Expert Introduction to Maternal Health, Violence, and Disparities**
Dr. Elizabeth Gregory, Director, UH Institute for Research on Women, Gender & Sexuality

10:30 – 11:00 am **Panel Discussion: Maternal Health**
Moderated by: Dr. Elizabeth Gregory
Emilee Whitehurst, President & CEO, HAWC
Dr. Conte Terrell, Founder & Owner, Fresh Spirit Wellness Inc.
Dr. Theresa Morris, Professor of Sociology, Coordinator, Women's and Gender Studies Program, Texas A&M University

11:00- 11:06 am **Panel Q&A**

11:07- 11:13 am **FIVE-MINUTE PROGRAM BREAK**

Session Two: Family Planning and Socialization

11:14 - 11:55 am **Panel Discussion: Family Planning and Socialization**
Dr. Kathleen Broussard, Assistant Professor of Sociology, University of South Carolina
Anne Van Horn, Community Outreach Director, Baylor College of Medicine Teen Health Clinic

11:55 - 12:01 pm **Panel Q&A**

Session Three: Economic Empowerment and Barriers to Access

12:02 – 12:12 am **Expert introduction to Economic Factors Impacting Mothers**
Christian Menefee, Harris County Attorney

12:13– 12:43 pm **Panel Discussion: Legislative Considerations**
Moderated by: Christian Menefee
Dr. Teresa Granillo, CEO, AVANCE, Inc.
Krista Del Gallo, Legislative Director, Texas Council on Family Violence
Dr. Sylvia Acosta, President & CEO, YWCA Paso del Norte Region

12:43 - 12:49 am **Panel Q&A**

12:50 – 1:00 pm **Closing Remarks**
Summer Kelly, Senior Manager of Community Engagement, Amazon