

2017 NWA Annual Education and Training Conference & Exhibits Tentative Agenda-at-a-Glance

Saturday, April 1

9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Pre-Conference Workshop: Community Partnerships for Healthy Mothers and Children
10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Committee and Task Force Ad Hoc Meetings
1:00 - 2:00 p.m.	NWA Finance Committee Meeting (Closed Meeting)
1:00 - 3:00 p.m.	State Directors' Section Representative Meeting (Closed Meeting)
1:00 - 3:00 p.m.	Local Agency Section Representative Meeting (Closed Meeting)
1:00 - 3:00 p.m.	Nutrition Services Section Representative Meeting (Closed Meeting)
2:00 - 3:00 p.m.	Executive Committee Meeting (Closed Meeting)
3:00 - 3:30 p.m.	Break
3:30 - 6:00 p.m.	Spring Board of Directors Meeting (Closed Meeting)
4:00 - 6:00 p.m.	Registration Open

Sunday, April 2

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	National Indian and Native American WIC Coalition Meeting (Closed Meeting)
8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Registration Open
8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Lactation Suite Open
8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Speaker/Media Ready Room
8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Committee and Task Force Ad Hoc Meetings
9:00 - 11:00 a.m.	Local Agency Meet and Greet (For Local Agency Staff Only.)
9:30 - 11:00 a.m.	State Agency Meet and Greet (For State Agency Staff Only.)
12:15 p.m.	Doors Open for Opening General Session
12:30 - 1:15 p.m.	Welcome and Opening Remarks
1:15 - 2:00 p.m.	National Indian and Native American WIC Honoring Ceremony
2:00 - 2:15 p.m.	Stretch Break
2:15 - 3:15 p.m.	Keynote Address: Surprise Celebrity Guest
3:15 - 3:45 p.m.	Break
3:45 - 4:45 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions
4:45 - 7:45 p.m.	NWA Board Chair's Reception & Trade Show Opening

Monday, April 3

6:45 - 7:30 a.m.	Yoga with Krista!
7:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Registration Open
7:30 - 9:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall
8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	Lactation Suite Open
8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	Speaker/Media Ready Room
8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Ad Hoc Meetings

9:00 - 10:30 a.m.	General Session: Compassion and Resilience in the Workplace: Caring for Ourselves in the Midst of Caring for Others
10:30 - 11:00 a.m.	Networking with Exhibitors & Posters
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions
12:00 - 1:30 p.m.	Lunch on Your Own
12:45 - 1:30 p.m.	Listening Session: NWA Membership
1:30 – 2:30 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions
2:30 - 3:00 p.m.	Networking with Exhibitors & Posters
3:00 - 4:15 p.m.	General Session: Strong First Impressions Lead to Great Client Experiences
4:30 - 6:00 p.m.	State Agency Directors Section Forum
	State Nutrition Services Section Forum
	Local Agency Section Forum
	Dinner on Your Own
Tuesday, April 4	
6:45 - 7:30 a.m.	Yoga with Krista!
7:00 – 7:30 a.m.	Voter Registration for NWA Business Meeting
7:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Registration Open
7:30 - 9:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall
7:30 - 9:00 a.m.	NWA Business Meeting (NWA Voting Members Only)
8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	Lactation Suite Open
8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.	Speaker/Media Ready Room
8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Ad Hoc Meetings
9:00 - 10:30 a.m.	General Session: The Power of Partnerships to Prevent Chronic Disease and Improve Community Health
10:30 - 11:00 a.m.	Networking with Exhibitors & Posters
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions
12:00 - 1:30 p.m.	Lunch on Your Own
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	FNS Program Update (Limited Space Available. RSVP Required.)
12:45 - 1:30 p.m.	Listening Session: NWA Membership
1:30 – 2:30 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions
2:30 - 3:00 p.m.	Networking & Posters
3:00 - 4:30 p.m.	General Session: Review of WIC Food Packages: Improving Balance and Choice
4:30 - 5:45 p.m.	Poster Awards; Leadership Awards; Leadership Academy Graduation
	Dinner on Your Own
Wednesday, April 5	
6:45 - 7:30 a.m.	Yoga with Krista!
7:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Registration Open
7:30 - 9:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Lactation Suite Open
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Speaker/Media Ready Room
9:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Concurrent Sessions
10:00 - 10:30 a.m.	Break
10:30 - 11:30 a.m.	General Session: Being Great ... How Conscious Communications Lead to Remarkable Transformations

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Closing Remarks
12:00 p.m.	Conference Adjournment
12:30 - 3:00 p.m.	NWA Board of Directors Luncheon Meeting (Closed Meeting)