



2023 NATIONAL HEALTH SCIENCE CONFERENCE

SEATTLE (WA) WESTIN

AGENDA OVERVIEW

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2023

6:00 – 8:00 P.M. Conference Registration - Hotel Lobby

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2023

8:00 – 9:00 A.M. Conference Registration

PRE-CONFERENCE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SESSIONS

Breakfast & Lunch included.

9:00 A.M.– 4:00 P.M. SESSION TITLES

- **Activities in A Pinch: Denise Abbott and Robbie Rauzi**
- **Learning Strategies – A Deep Dive: Kim Smith**

The focus will be on increasing engagement in your health science classrooms through high energy activities and new teaching strategies. Registration for the pre-conference will include both the outstanding sessions, in the morning and afternoon. Everyone gets to hear from both presenters.

6:00 – 8:00 P.M. CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Attendees, Exhibitors, and Sponsors

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2023

Breakfast & Lunch included.

7:30 – 8:00 A.M. Conference Registration

8:00 – 8:30 A.M. Welcome and Orientation

8:30 – 9:45 A.M. Opening Session

Keynote Speaker: Kim Bearden

WHAT EVERY EDUCATOR SHOULD KNOW

From philosophy to implementation, learn how to focus on what's truly important for all educators to remember. Participants will be motivated, inspired, and reminded of their significant, powerful role in the lives of their students. Kim will share methods for promoting student engagement, increasing rigor, developing relationships, and creating a climate and culture that inspires learning.

10:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. Health Science Certificate Lab

Sponsors: NCHSE, YouScience, and G-W Publisher

10:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Concurrent Sessions

10:45 – 11:15 A.M. Exhibitor Visits

12:00 – 1:15 P.M. Lunch General Session and Exhibitor Visits

1:15 – 4:15 P.M. Concurrent Sessions

***3:00 – 3:30 P.M. BREAK WITH EXHIBITORS**

4:15 – 5:30 P.M. Networking Reception with Sponsors

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2023

Breakfast & Lunch included.

7:30 – 8:00 A.M. Networking
8:00 – 8:15 A.M. Announcements
8:10 – 8:50 A.M. Breakfast General Session
9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Concurrent Sessions
10:45 – 11:15 A.M. Exhibitor Visits
9:00 A.M.– 3:00 P.M. Health Science Certificate Lab
12:00 – 1:00 P.M. Lunch General Session and Exhibitor Visits
1:45 – 2:15 P.M. Last Visit with Exhibitors
1:00 – 3:00 P.M. Concurrent Sessions
3:00 P.M. – UNTIL Seattle Sightseeing

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2023

Breakfast included.

7:30 – 8:00 A.M. Breakfast and Networking
8:00 – 8:15 A.M. Announcements
8:15 – 9:45 A.M. Closing Session
Keynote Speaker: John O’Leary
THE POWER OF ONE: How One Attitude, One Action and One Person Can Change the World

With emotional storytelling and unexpected humor, John reminds audiences of the significance of daily attitudes, the power of gratitude, and the impact of serving others with courage. He reawakens audiences to realize the gift of today and the possibility of tomorrow. John is consistently referenced as “the best speaker we’ve ever had” – earning five-star reviews and inspiring 50,000+ individuals at 100+ events each year. His Live Inspired Podcast is a top-rated podcast on Apple Podcasts, and his book, On Fire: The 7 Choices to Ignite a Radically Inspired Life was an instant #1 national bestseller, has sold 200,000+ copies and has been translated into 12 languages.

9:45 – 10:15 A.M. Break and Checkout Time
10:15 A.M. – 12:15 P.M. Concurrent Sessions
12:15 P.M. Safe travels!

National Health Science Conference Goals

This conference content is designed to enhance health science curriculum delivery, support high-quality health science education programs, create visions for meaningful student experiences, and meet the needs of educators and the healthcare industry. Attendees will learn from experts in the field, engaging partners, and outstanding classroom teachers.