Florida Association For Multicultural Counseling And Development Webinar Series Presents:

# Culturally Responsive Calculations: Considerations When Administering Assessments

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**Webinar Overview:** Multicultural competence is considered an essential component of ethical clinical practice (Arredondo & Toporek, 2004). In fact, the area of multicultural counseling has gained such importance in the helping profession that guidelines for training, research, and practice have been developed over the years (APA, 2003; ACA Code of Ethics, 2014; Ratts et al., 2016). Therefore, addressing the intersectionality of client identities during the implementation of assessments is a critical skill as well as an ethical mandate counselors are expected to uphold. In this way, counselors are charged with obtaining knowledge on the essential components of multicultural competence, cultural considerations when administering assessments, as well as being appropriately equipped to provide support, resources, and advocacy efforts for culturally diverse clients. Please join us to learn more about cultural responsiveness in assessment delivery among diverse clients.

**Training Objectives:**

1. Participants will be able to describe the essential components of multicultural competence as per the multicultural and social justice counseling competencies.
2. Participants will be able to describe cultural considerations when administering assessments.
3. Participants will be provided with techniques and resources on how to be engage in culturally responsive

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**Time: 12:00pm-1:00pm EST**
**Cost:**
**Free FCA Member**
**$12 Non FCA Member**
**$25 for 1-hr CEH**

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Dr. Michelle Mitchell is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Counseling at Wake Forest University in Winston-Salem, NC. She is a Licensed Professional Counselor in the state of Pennsylvania and a NBCC Board Certified Counselor with clinical experience in working with underprivileged and marginalized populations. As a faculty member, Dr. Mitchell (a) assists in the development undergraduate and graduate students, through counseling curricula and advising; (b) participates in professional service; and (c) an active research agenda. More specifically, Dr. Mitchell remains active in service through her role as a Co-Chair of the Association for Multicultural Counseling and Development's (AMCD) Strategic Planning Committee and Mentoring Program. Furthermore, Dr. Mitchell's research focuses on the assessment of multicultural competence and self-efficacy among counselors. In fact, her dissertation was entitled, '*The Development and Validation of the Multicultural Competency Assessment (MCA)*' where she developed and tested the psychometric properties of a new multicultural competency assessment.

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