

The Adams Foundation
8th Annual
**Clinical
Laboratory
Sciences**

Symposium

April 1, 2022

Auburn University at Montgomery

Topics & Schedule

Keynote (9:20 - 10:20 a.m.)

Vaccines for Pandemic Response
(Intermediate Instructional Level)

Rick Bright, PhD

Chief Executive Officer of the Pandemic Prevention Institute,
Rockefeller Foundation
(Light breakfast provided)

Session 1 (10:30 - 11:30 a.m.)

Laboratory Testing During a Pandemic - You Want Me to Test for What?
(Intermediate Instructional Level)

Eric Stanford, MHA, MLS (ASCP)CM

Diagnostic Laboratories Supervisor, Vanderbilt University Medical Center

11:30a.m.-12:30 p.m. Lunch (provided)

Session 2 (12:50 - 1:50 p.m.)

Physical Activity and COVID-19
(Intermediate Instructional Level)

Michael Esco, PhD

Professor, University of Alabama

Session 3 (2:00-3:00 p.m.)

The Negative Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Child and Adolescent Mental Health
(Intermediate Instructional Level)

Whitney Jerkins, MEd

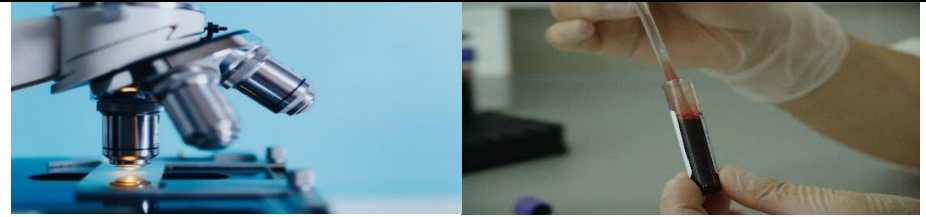
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Closing Remarks 3:00 p.m.

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education programs in the clinical laboratory sciences and is ASCLS
P.A.C.E. approved.



Rick Bright, PhD

- Currently serves as CEO, Pandemic Prevention Institute, Rockefeller Foundation.
- Earned his bachelor's degree from Auburn University at Montgomery in biology and physical science.
- Earned his PhD in Immunology and Molecular from the Emory University.
- Serves as an international subject matter expert in biodefense, emergency preparedness, pharmaceutical innovation vaccine, drug and diagnostics development.

Eric Stanford, MHA, MLS (ASCP) CM

- He is currently the Diagnostic Laboratory Manager for Special Testing and Supervisor of Clinical Chemistry in the Core Laboratory of Vanderbilt University Medical Center in Nashville, TN.
- He completed his BS degrees in Laboratory Science and Medical Technology at Auburn University and Auburn University at Montgomery.
- Achieved a Master's in Healthcare Administration from the University of North Carolina Chapel Hill.

Michael Esco, PhD

- He is currently a Professor in the Department of Kinesiology at the University of Alabama.
- He earned his bachelor's degree in Exercise Science from Auburn University at Montgomery
- He earned his PhD in Exercise Physiology from Auburn University.
- His recent scholarship has focused on assessment of physical activity and non-invasive procedures to objectively gauge physiological strain and readiness to perform.

Whitney Jerkins, MEd

- Currently works as a Licensed Professional Counselor.
- She earned her bachelor's degree from the University of Alabama.
- She earned her Master of Education in Clinical Mental Health Counseling from Auburn University at Montgomery.
- Her work primarily focuses on individuals with anxiety, depression, and personality disorders.