Conference Highlights

Due to the large number of presentations at the conference, only a small sample of the workshops / symposia / papers appear in this listing

Workshops
• Meta-Analysis: Doing it Right
• Conducting Research with Vulnerable Populations: Ethical Challenges and Responsibilities
• Psychometric Development of a Culturally Valid Acculturation Scale

Roundtables
• Evaluating Neighborhood-Based Child Abuse Prevention: Utilization of Action-Oriented and Participatory Methodologies
• Making Research Matter: Building University and Community Capacity for Engagement
• Effective Practice in Real Work Settings: Expanding Social Work Translational Research

Symposia
• Observational Approaches to Aging Research
• Making Homelessness Research Matter: Diverse Perspectives on Ways Homeless People Negotiate Life’s Challenges
• Understanding the Nature and Treatment of Perinatal Depression: Expanding Research to Families, Culture, and Communities
• Social Work Research and the AIDS Pandemic: Global Responses to Issues of Orphans and Vulnerable Children
• Parent Cognitions and Interactive Behavior: Targets for Early Intervention
• Research on the Transition to Adulthood for Foster Youth
• HIV Prevention Research in Diverse Contexts
• Substance Abuse Treatment: Racial and Ethnic Differences in Organizational and Service-Related Characteristics
• Matching Services to Client Needs in Substance Abuse Treatment and Child Welfare

Papers
• Problem Solving Therapy for Medically Ill Elderly: A Randomized Clinical Trial
• The Impact of Poverty on Migrant Children’s Mental Health: Testing the Mediating Role of Family Process
• Family Structure and Income Redistribution Policies: Predicting Child Poverty Outcomes in Canada, the U.K. and the U.S.
• Effect of Child Support Arrears on Non-Custodial Fathers Work Avoidance Patterns: Evidence from a Natural Experiment
• Psychometric Properties of the Beck Depression Inventory in African American Suicide Attempters
• Permanency Outcomes of Children in Kinship and Non-Kinship Foster Care: Propensity Score Matching to Minimize the Effects of Selection Bias
• The Bidirectional Effects of Family Burden and Symptoms in Adults with Schizophrenia