

SMART RECOVERY® 2017 CONFERENCE: *RISING STRONG*

SEPT. 22-24, 2017

GALLERYONE DOUBLETREE SUITES, FORT LAUDERDALE, FL

DATE / TIME	EVENT / LOCATION	SPEAKER / HOST
<b>FRIDAY, 9/22/17</b>		
2:00PM – 5:30PM	Optional: Carrie B Cruise of Intracoastal Waterway (\$30) or simply relax on the beach	Darryl & Bob + other locals
6:30PM – 8:00PM	DINNER (casual) / Hotel	
8:00PM – 10:00PM	Film: “Generation Found” by Greg Williams	
<b>SATURDAY, 9/23/17</b>		
7:45AM – 8:45AM	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST & Registration / Hotel	
9:00AM – 9:10AM	Welcome and Rise-up	Brett Saarela
9:10AM – 9:30AM	President’s Address	Joe Gerstein
9:30AM – 10:00AM	New Results from the PAL Study: Comparative Effects of Involvement in SMART Recovery, Women for Sobriety, LifeRing, and 12-Step Groups on Substance Use Outcomes over Time	Sarah Zemore
10:00AM – 10:45AM	Guerrilla Tactics for the Hostile, Difficult, Disengaged, and Over-Engaged Participant (PART 2)	David Saenz
10:45AM – 11:15AM	BREAK	
11:15AM – 11:30AM	SMART Comes Alive!	Colleen Van Westerneng (PEI, Canada)
11:30AM – 12:00PM	SMART Recovery International	Representatives from SMART International organizations
12:00PM – 12:15PM	Growing SMART in Urban Areas: “BMore SMART”	Hugh Delaney
12:15PM – 12:30PM	Local Florida Focus	Darryl Mizer
12:30PM – 1:00PM	“CheckUp & Choices” Interactive App	William Campbell
1:00PM – 2:15PM	LUNCH and Joe Gerstein Award Presentation / Hotel	

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2:15PM – 3:45PM	BREAK OUT SESSIONS: Volunteers/Facilitators Corrections/Drug Courts/Criminal Justice Addiction Professionals Growing the SMART Organization	Mike Massey Arthur Shenker & Ryan Taylor Tom Horvath Randy Lindel
3:45PM – 4:15PM	BREAK	
4:15PM – 4:45PM	Synthesis of Break-out sessions	Joe Gerstein
4:45PM – 5:00PM	Wrap up, request survey completion	Brett Saarela
<b>Optional Evening Activities</b>		
6:00PM	Dinner at local venues	Local SMART volunteers will recommend and guide attendees to restaurants
8:00PM – 9:30PM	SMART Recovery meeting/ hotel	Local SMART Recovery volunteer
8:00PM – 9:30 PM	Secular Conversion Experiences in SMART Recovery The Science behind Mindfulness in Addiction Recovery	Joe Gerstein Bill Abbott
<b>SUNDAY, 9/24/17 – OPTIONAL Motivational Interviewing Workshop (\$50 additional fee)</b>		
8:30AM – 10:00AM	Motivational Interviewing Workshop/ hotel	Lori Eickleberry, Ph.D., ABPP
10:00AM – 10:20AM	Break	
10:20AM – 12:00 Noon	Workshop resumes	
12:00Noon – 12:45PM	Box Lunch	
12:45PM – 2:30PM	Workshop resumes	