

## **28th Rosalynn Carter Georgia Mental Health Forum Agenda**

- 8:30 – 9:30 a.m. Registration/Breakfast
- 9:30 – 9:45 a.m. **Welcome**  
Dr. Eve Byrd, Director, Mental Health Program, The Carter Center  
Brittany Barrett, NAMI Georgia  
Paige Alexander, Chief Executive Officer, The Carter Center
- 9:45–9:55 a.m. **Opening Remarks**  
Jason Carter, Chair, The Carter Center Board of Trustees
- 9:55–10:00 a.m. **Recorded Welcome Message from the City of Atlanta**  
Mayor Andre Dickens, City of Atlanta
- 10:00 – 10:30 a.m. **988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline Rollout in Georgia**  
Ryan Greenstein, Associate Director of Public Policy, The Carter Center (Moderator)  
Commissioner Kevin Tanner, Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities  
First Lady Marty Kemp, Office of the Governor
- 10:30 – 11:15 a.m. **Mental Health for Georgia Veterans and Service Members**  
Commissioner Patricia Ross, Department of Veterans Services
- 11:15 – 11:25 a.m. **Break**
- 11:25 – 11:30 a.m. **School-Based Behavioral Health from a Community Lens**  
Voices for Georgia’s Children  
Black Youth Mental Health Project, Morehouse School of Medicine
- 12:10– 12:20 p.m. **The Comfort of Recovery Quilt**

Alexia Jones CARES, CPS, MBA, Founder and Director, R2ISE

12:20 – 1:20 p.m.

**Lunch Break**

1:20 – 2:15 p.m.

**Serving Youth in Diverse Communities**

Dr. Pierluigi Mancini, PhD, El Doctor Mancini (Moderator)

Dr. David Daesoo Kim, Founder, P.E.A.C.E. (People's Empowerment through Advocacy, Counseling, and Education)

Dr. Shena Leverett Brown, Ph.D., LCSW, MAC, CFCS, Director, HBCU Center for Excellence in Behavioral Health at Clark Atlanta University

Belisa Urbina, Chief Executive Officer, Ser Familia

2:15 – 3:10 p.m.

**Rosalynn Carter's Mental Health Legacy and Impact**

Dr. Eve Byrd, Director, Mental Health Program, The Carter Center Health

Dr. Jennifer Olsen, Chief Executive Officer, Rosalynn Carter Institute for Caregivers

Kathy Cade, Vice Chair, The Carter Center's Board of Trustees

Meredith Evans, Ph.D., Director of the Jimmy Carter Presidential Library and Museum

3:10 – 3:15 p.m.

**Closing Remarks**

Kashef Ijaz, MD, MPH, Vice President, Health Programs, The Carter Center

**Optional Post-Event Activity**

3:15 – 4:15 p.m.

Training Demonstration by Guide Dog Foundation for the Blind, Inc. and America's VetDogs - The Veteran's K-9 Corps, Inc. Training Demonstration