



**31st Nicotine Dependence Center Conference 2025:
The Evolving Tobacco/Nicotine Landscape and
Implications for Policy and Practice**

March 27-29, 2025

Phoenix, AZ

Live and Livestream

All sessions are listed in Arizona Time.

Thursday, March 27	
6:45 AM	Breakfast and Registration
7:25 AM	Welcome and Course Overview <i>Jon O. Ebbert, M.D., Mayo Clinic</i> <i>Timothy J. Milbrandt, M.S., Mayo Clinic</i>
7:30 AM	Prevalence and Trends in Tobacco Product Use Among Adults <i>Dhivyaa A. Manickam, M.A. C.T.T.S., Mayo Clinic</i>
8:00 AM	Prevalence and Trends in Tobacco Cessation Across the Lifespan <i>Amanda L. Graham, Ph.D., Truth Initiative</i>
8:30 AM	Disparities as a Driver for Tobacco Dependence <i>Christi A Patten, Ph.D., Mayo Clinic</i>
9:00 AM	Mental Health and Tobacco Dependence <i>Molly J. Leis, M.S., L.A.D.C., Mayo Clinic</i>
9:30 AM	Panel Question and Answer <i>Dhivyaa A. Manickam, M.A. C.T.T.S., Mayo Clinic</i> <i>Amanda L. Graham, Ph.D., Truth Initiative</i> <i>Christi A. Patten, Ph.D., Mayo Clinic</i> <i>Molly J. Leis, M.S., L.A.D.C., Mayo Clinic</i>
9:45 AM	Break & Exhibitors
10:00 AM	The Evolving Tobacco and Nicotine Landscape <i>Elizabeth Hair, Ph.D., Truth Initiative</i>
10:30 AM	Adolescents and E-Cigs: Navigating Access and Advise in the Clinical Context <i>Molly J. Leis, M.S., L.A.D.C., Mayo Clinic</i>
11:00 AM	Adults and E-Cigs: State-of-the-Science for Smoking Cessation and Quitting Vaping <i>Jon O. Ebbert, M.D., Mayo Clinic</i>
11:30 AM	Panel Question and Answer <i>Elizabeth Hair, Ph.D., Truth Initiative</i> <i>Molly J. Leis, M.S., L.A.D.C., Mayo Clinic</i> <i>Jon O. Ebbert, M.D., Mayo Clinic</i>
11:45 AM	Lunch & Exhibitors
12:45 PM	Smoking Cessation Among African Americans <i>Lisa Sanderson Cox, Ph.D., University of Kansas</i>
1:15 PM	Smokers Who Relapse VIRTUAL <i>Tanya R. Schlam, Ph.D., University of Wisconsin</i>
1:45 PM	Novel Harm Reduction Approach for HIV+ Smokers <i>Jonathan Shuter, M.D., Albert Einstein College of Medicine</i>
2:15 PM	Adult-Onset Smoking <i>Sarah E. Huiskes, M.A., L.I.C.S.W., C.T.T.S., Mayo Clinic</i>



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2:45 PM	Panel Question and Answer <i>Lisa Sanderson Cox, Ph.D., University of Kansas</i> <i>Tanya R. Schlam, Ph.D., University of Wisconsin VIRTUAL</i> <i>Jonathan Shuter, M.D., Albert Einstein College of Medicine</i> <i>Sarah E. Huiskes, M.A., L.I.C.S.W., C.T.T.S., Mayo Clinic</i>
3:00 PM	Day 1 Wrap Up <i>Jon O. Ebbert, M.D., Mayo Clinic</i> <i>Timothy J. Milbrandt, M.S., Mayo Clinic</i>
3:10 PM	Adjourn



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6:30 AM	Breakfast and Registration
6:55 AM	Empathy in Communication <i>Charlene Martin Lillie, Mayo Clinic</i> <i>Allison R. Ryan, Mayo Clinic</i>
7:55 AM	Day 2 Welcome and Course Overview <i>Jon O. Ebbert, M.D., Mayo Clinic</i> <i>Timothy J. Milbrandt, M.S., Mayo Clinic</i>
8:00 AM	Updates on Pharmacotherapy <i>Jon O. Ebbert, M.D., Mayo Clinic</i>
8:30 AM	Counseling Interventions from Hospital to Home <i>Molly J. Leis, M.S., L.A.D.C., Mayo Clinic</i>
9:00 AM	Intensive Tobacco Treatment Program <i>Pam R. Krenik, Mayo Clinic</i>
9:30 AM	Patient Experience Panel Robert Bosch Brian Fulford Lori Stock
10:00 AM	Panel Question and Answer <i>Jon O. Ebbert, M.D., Mayo Clinic</i> <i>Molly J. Leis, M.S., L.A.D.C., Mayo Clinic</i> <i>Pam R. Krenik, Mayo Clinic</i>
10:15 AM	Break & Exhibitors
10:30 AM	AI for Smoking Cessation: The Promise and Peril VIRTUAL <i>Peter Selby, M.B.B.S., CCFP, FCFP, MHSc, dipABAM, DFASAM, University of Toronto – Family and Community Medicine</i>
11:00 AM	EHR + Population Outreach for Priority Populations <i>Brian Hitsman, Ph.D., M.S., Northwestern Feinberg School of Medicine</i>
11:30 AM	Opt-Out at Mayo Clinic & Direct Scheduling <i>Ashley E. Schreiber, Mayo Clinic</i>
12:00 PM	Panel Question and Answer <i>Peter Selby, M.B.B.S., University of Toronto – Family and Community Medicine – VIRTUAL</i> <i>Brian Hitsman, Ph.D., M.S., Northwestern Feinberg School of Medicine</i> <i>Ashley E. Schreiber, Mayo Clinic</i>
12:15 PM	Lunch & Exhibitors
1:15 PM	Tobacco End Game <i>Stacey Gagosian, Truth Initiative</i>



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1:45 PM	Update on the Regulatory Landscape for Tobacco Control <i>Maham Akbar, Truth Initiative</i>
2:15 PM	Flavors: What are They? <i>Jennifer Kreslake, Ph.D., Truth Initiative</i>
2:45 PM	Oral Nicotine Products <i>Megan Diaz, Ph.D., Truth Initiative</i>
3:15 PM	Panel Question and Answer <i>Stacey Gagosian, Truth Initiative</i> <i>Maham Akbar, Truth Initiative</i> <i>Jennifer Kreslake, Ph.D., Truth Initiative</i> <i>Megan Diaz, Ph.D., Truth Initiative</i>
3:45 PM	Day 2 Wrap Up and Closing Remarks <i>Jon O. Ebbert, M.D., Mayo Clinic</i>
3:45 PM	Adjourn



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Saturday, March 29		
7:15 AM	Registration and Breakfast	
	Track 1: In-Person Only <i>Separate Registration Required</i>	Track 2: Livestream <i>Separate Registration Required</i>
7:45 AM	Motivational Interviewing Mayo Clinic <i>Molly J. Leis, M.S., L.A.D.C.</i> <i>Timothy J. Milbrandt, M.S.</i>	Engaging Young People in Tobacco Cessation Truth Initiative <i>Amanda L. Graham, Ph.D.</i> <i>Megan Jacobs, M.P.H.</i> <i>Elizabeth Kenny</i> <i>Alex Parks</i> <i>Jessica Rath, Ph.D.</i> <i>Barbara Schillo, Ph.D.</i>
9:45 AM	Refreshment Break & Exhibitors	
10:00 AM	Motivational Interviewing Mayo Clinic <i>Molly J. Leis, M.S., L.A.D.C.</i> <i>Timothy J. Milbrandt, M.S.</i>	Engaging Young People in Tobacco Cessation Truth Initiative <i>Amanda L. Graham, Ph.D.</i> <i>Megan Jacobs, M.P.H.</i> <i>Elizabeth Kenny</i> <i>Alex Parks</i> <i>Jessica Rath, Ph.D.</i> <i>Barbara Schillo, Ph.D.</i>
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