

# Michigan Association of Health Plans REGISTER NOW!

TUESDAY, JULY 22 - FRIDAY, JULY 25, 2025

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## REGISTER AT:

### 2025 MAHP Registration

The **2025 MAHP Annual Conference will be held in-person only (no virtual option)**. An innovative and fast-paced program has been designed to address the critical issues facing the health care industry. Don't miss the opportunity to join us for the 40th anniversary of the MAHP Annual Conference.

## CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

- Conversations with key policymakers from key Michigan departments and the State Legislature
- Reverse Networking Expo
- Sessions highlighting the value of managed care, and other health plan hot topics.
- Special 40th Anniversary event at the Traverse City Opera House on Thursday evening of the conference.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

### **Hotel Reservations at the Grand Traverse Resort are now open for conference registrants!**

In order to receive the hotel reservation link, you must first register for the conference. The link will be provided in your registration confirmation message.

**NOTE:** The hotel will not accept telephone reservations. You must register online using the link provided in your registration confirmation.

- **Hotel Guest Rooms:** \$239 plus Resort fee and taxes
- **Tower Guest Rooms:** \$279 plus Resort fee and taxes
- A limited number of studio and one-bedroom condos are available.

### **For more information, including sponsor and exhibitor opportunities:**

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## KEYNOTE SPEAKER

**John Garrett**

*What's Your "And"?: A People-Centric Approach to Leadership*

With his refreshing blend of corporate insight, comedic wit, and people-centric advocacy, John Garrett truly stands at the intersection of professionalism and passion, reshaping the way we perceive organizational culture while championing a new understanding of corporate leadership. Prepare to think differently about your organization's culture, and the value of the individual within it. Drawing inspiration from his own experiences and years of research, John explores the ways organizations can prioritize employee well-being, foster open communication, and tap into the hidden talents and diverse interests of their workforce. With humor, anecdotes, and insights, he challenges traditional notions of professionalism, encouraging attendees to embrace their "Ands" – the outside-of-work passions and hobbies that make them human – and to create a work environment where everyone can thrive. His one-of-a-kind keynote invites leaders to consider the power of human connection and personal authenticity in the workplace, ultimately advocating for a more inclusive and fulfilling professional culture.



## FEATURED SPEAKER

**Clarence Peoples**

*Healing HIV-Related Trauma Through The Lens Of Spirituality*

As someone living with HIV for over 35 years, Clarence has struggled with his sense of identity, feelings of unworthiness, and overall, just feeling like damaged goods. Through an emotional journey from darkness to light, he slowly began to dismantle his old ways of thinking and began to use his life experiences to help free his-self from himself.

The purpose of Clarence's presentation, "Healing HIV-Related Trauma Through The Lens Of Spirituality," is to start the conversation around the possibility of helping people heal HIV-related trauma through the lens of Spirituality. It's meant to help people understand how their unhealed emotions rob them of the life that they truly want; by negatively influencing how they behave, the things they do and ultimately how they think. The presentation closes with tools to help people navigate their emotional landscape by journeying inwards and plugging in to their higher selves.



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