

2012 F.E.A.S.T. Conference Program

KEYNOTE SPEECH:

Mental Health and the Media

Jeff Bell, nationally recognized author, speaker, and radio news anchor, is a national spokesperson for the International OCD Foundation and founder of The Adversity 2 Advocacy Alliance, a nonprofit network of adversity-driven health advocates. Bell will speak to the F.E.A.S.T. audience about mental health advocacy and media coverage of mental health issues. We look forward to Bell's insights into how the parent community can better understand and work with the media.

PRESENTATIONS:

A historical perspective: the media, eating disorders and you

Carolyn Costin, MA, MED, MFT

The Evolution of the field of Eating Disorders: Patient, Parents and Professionals

Craig Johnson, PhD FAED CEDS

Paying for Treatment, how does insurance work?

Kathleen MacDonald, Kantor & Kantor Law Offices

WHY is Food Medicine?

Dr. Debra Katzman

History & Hopes for the Future of Collaboration

M.B Krohel, M.B., Laura Collins Lyster-Mensh

What IS evidence based treatment and how do I know I'm getting it?

Mark Warren, MD, MPH, FAED

WORKSHOPS:

How to write your story and be heard: from Bruch to Twitter

Carrie Arnold, MS

Parenting Adult Eating Disorder Patients

Beth Mayer, LICSW

Starting Parent Support Groups in your Community

Stephanie B. Milstein, Ph.D.

Training your Physician and Local Team

Julie O'Toole, MD, MPH

A Seat at the Table: Understanding and Helping the Siblings of Eating Disorder Patients

Dr. Sarah Ravin

Stories That I Tell

Tomas J. Silber, M.D., M.A.S.S.

Panel Discussion: Insights from Fathers

Panel Discussion: Parent & Patient Pairs