



## Lead the Fight: ACEs to Action Breakfast

### When

Thursday, May 23, 2019 from 8:00 AM to 10:30 AM EDT

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**Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) are responsible for many of the societal problems we face today.** School violence, domestic abuse, child abuse and neglect, addiction, chronic diseases, depression, anxiety, and other chronic issues are rooted in early trauma and adversity.

### Where

**Riviera Beach Marina Event Center**

190 E 13th St.  
Riviera Beach, FL 33404

**Now is the time to ACT.**

Join us on May 23rd from 8 to 10:30 a.m. to LISTEN, LEARN and LEAD the Fight against ACEs in Palm Beach County. The much-anticipated Fighting ACEs in Palm Beach County White Paper, sponsored by the [Quantum Foundation](#), will be shared.

**Individual registration for the breakfast is \$45.** Want to be recognized for your role in fighting ACEs? [CLICK HERE](#) to view or download the sponsorship packet.

The paper highlights and identifies:

- National research
- Feedback from key community stakeholders
- Best practices for systems change
- Recommendations for direct change in our community
- Methods of systems change to bring about prevention, early intervention, and treatment of ACEs and trauma in Palm Beach County

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**Announcing our Keynote Speaker!**

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**Neil Boris, MD, Psychiatrist and Infant Mental Health Specialist.** Dr. Boris is a graduate of Tufts University School of Medicine and after completing his residency training at Brown University in pediatrics, adult and child psychiatry, Dr. Boris embarked on a research career focusing on the social and emotional development of high-risk children-especially those under five years of age. His research has ranged from studying early intervention programs serving high-risk families in the U.S. to capturing the impact of community-based programs for orphans in Rwanda and Malawi.

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In the absence of healthy or buffering relationships, childhood trauma and adversity can have a devastating impact on the minds and bodies of children. The health of our children impacts the health of our families, our communities, and our society.

As a society, we simply can't afford to wait for children to fall apart before we do something. From ACEs science, effective strategies have emerged. It's time to invest in them. NOW.

Join us on May 23rd and be a part of the solution.



**Sincerely,**

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