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 **Conference Agenda**

**Vendor Hall Hours (Hotel Lobby)**

**Friday 8am-5pm, Saturday 8am-5pm, Sunday 8am-Noon**

**Friday October 24th**

**8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Conference Registration (Hotel Lobby)**

**5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m. Positive Living Orientation: First Year Attendees (Fiji) Doug Bunnell,** Director of Prevention, OASIS Florida

**6:15 p.m.-7:00 p.m. Welcoming Plenary & Awards Presentation (Maui) Kurt Goodman,** Executive Director, OASIS Florida **Butch McKay,** Director of Positive Living Programs

**7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Dinner Service (Maui & Capri)**

**8:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Twelve Step/AA Meeting (Fiji)**

 **NA (Tavern)**

**9:00 p.m.-til The Infamous Amorettes (Aruba)**

 **(All proceeds for this event are donated to OASIS Florida)**

 **Saturday October 25th**

**7:00-8:30 a.m Breakfast Plenary (Maui & Capri) An Overview: How to Protect yourself from HIV and STIs (Maui) by J, Wesley Thompson**

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**8:45-10:15 a.m. Session One Workshops (Attend One)**

1. **Ready to Fight!** **Finding Our Voice in Uncertain Times (Capri)**

**by Robert Rodney**

1. **Defocus to Refocus** **(Maui)**

**by Janice Shirley**

1. **Just As You Are**  **(Fiji)**

**by Christine Collis**

1. **Dealing with Our Daily HIV Challenges (Tavern) by Tim Trimm**
2. **Celebrate U=U: Turning Viral Suppression into Collective Liberation (Aruba)** by **Christopher “Todd” Fuqua**

**10:30-11:45 p.m. Session Two Workshops (Attend One)**

1. **iDeserve**  **(Aruba)**

by **G. Allen Battle**

1. **Overcoming HIV & Addiction Stigma Through Expressive Writing (Fiji)**

 **Skye Yellin**

1. **HIV Advocacy After Project 2025**  **(Maui)**

 **Chauncey McGlathery**

1. **MMMF Initiative, the Event Forum** **(Capri)**

 **Lamar McMullen**

1. **Sister Together Through Trauma (Bali)**

 **Jenna Leasck and Jessi Scheel**

**12 p.m.-1 p.m. Lunch 1:15-2:45 p.m. Session Three Workshops (Attend One)**

1. **Where do We Go from Here? by Joseph Lennox-Smith** **(Capri)**
2. **How Consumer Power is Transforming HIV Care in Virginia (Bali)**

 by **Juan Marichal Pierce, and Tom Salyer**

1. **CRUSH Stigma** **(Fiji)**
2. **by Michael Hellman**
3. **Loving on Yourself, Reiki Healing Session (Aruba)**

 **by Daphne Cooper**

1. **Sustainable Relationships Beyond the Bedroom**   **(Tavern)**

 **by Timothy Webb**

**3:00-4:30 p.m. Session Four Workshops (Attend One)**

1. **Building Peer Certification Programs: Lessons from New York (Fiji) and a Roadmap for You by Victwan McCorkle**
2. **Grief is More than Death and Dying: Navigating Non-Death Losses (Bali)**

**by Mary Lucero-Hall**

1. **Latinos Untied Against Stigma (Aruba)**

**paneled discussion led by Alberto Bermudez Perez**

1. **AI Without Fear: Tools and Techniques for Non-Profits and (Capri)**

**Everyday Creators by Jeremy Hobbs**

1. **Amazing Connections Between Humor & Health, Laughter & Life (Maui)**

**Gratitude and Greatness by John Mark Parker**

**4:45-5:45 p.m. AIDS Quilt Presentation and Heart Circle**

**6:15-8:00 p.m. Dinner Plenary**

**9:00-til Halloween Costume Party (Aruba)**

 **Sunday September 26nd**

**8:00-9:00 a.m. Breakfast**

**9:00-10:30 a.m. Be Yourself… PLUS Some! by Dr Sherry Meltz (Maui)**

**11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Open Mic/ Feedback**  **(Maui)**

**Thank you for attending the 27th Positive Living Conference.**

 **We look forward to seeing you next year!**

 **Safe Travels**

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