

SPECIAL SPEAKER EVENT

Neurobiology *of* Shame & Empathy

Addressing Substance Use Disorders, Homelessness,
Racial Bias, Food Scarcity with Dignity & Compassion

Presented by Erin Zerbo, MD
Wednesday, April 14, 2021, 7pm - 8:30pm

Erin Zerbo, MD

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She received her BS in Brain and Cognitive Sciences from the Mass-



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In addition to managing a large buprenorphine practice dedicated to underserved Newark residents, she is the director of the state-designated Northern New Jersey Medication-Assisted Treatment Center of Excellence — a

new statewide training and education initiative.

Her primary interest is the treatment of substance use disorders in populations with significant deficits in their social determinants of health. She is a co-editor of the recent book, *Pocket Guide to Addiction Assessment and Treatment* (APA, 2016), and the lead editor of *Becoming Mindful: Integrating Mindfulness into Your Psychiatric Practice* (APA, 2017).

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