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Cultural Identification as a Protective Developmental Factor for Filipino Youth in Hawaii and Exploring the Challenges <u>and</u> Motivations of Filipino Students in Pursuing Healthcare Careers - Two Potential Collaborative Projects

By

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ABOUT THE LECTURE: Filipino cultural identification may be a protective factor for Filipino youth-at-risk, and we'd like to build collaborations in order look at cultural identification-strengthening approaches; we'd also like to build collaborations to support Filipino youths' success in pursuing higher education, including health professional school, etc.

ABOUT THE SPEAKERS

Dr. Anthony Guerrero, M.D., is Professor and Chair of the Department of Psychiatry at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa's John A. Burns School of Medicine. He is the first psychiatry Chair of Filipino Ancestry at a U.S. medical school. Dr. Guerrero received his undergraduate, medical, and residency education at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa. He is board-certified in the specialties of general pediatrics, general psychiatry, child and adolescent psychiatry, and consultation-liaison psychiatry. He has lived in Hawai'i since he was two years old, when his family immigrated from the Philippines. His research interests include Filipino and Asian/Pacific Islander mental health, medical education, and the integration of psychiatry into primary care.





Dr. Gretchen Gavero, D.O. is Assistant Professor of Psychiatry at the John A. Burns School of Medicine. She completed her medical training at Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine in California and her psychiatric residency training at UCSF-Fresno. As a general psychiatrist on the faculty, Dr. Gavero cares for patients and teaches students and residents on the adult inpatient and outpatient services at the Queens Medical Center. Her research interests include Filipino Mental Health and minority education, and along with other faculty in the Psychiatry Department, are (re-)forming a Filipino mental health research interest group and looking forward to potential collaborations with other colleagues in the University system

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