



## 8TH ANNUAL CURRENT CONCEPTS IN CONCUSSION MANAGEMENT

**Friday, April 3, 2026**

8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

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### Agenda

**8 a.m.** The Therapist's Lens: Integrating Vision Movement and Mood With an Emphasis on Practical Ways to Implement Light Therapy

Lahnalee Puckett, AA  
Vision Therapy Specialist | *Northland Eye Specialists*

**9 a.m.** Dizziness as a Complex Symptom: Interrelationship With Vision and Cervical Proprioception

Rebecca Bliss, PT, DPT, DHSC  
Clinical Associate Professor, Department of Physical Therapy, Rehabilitation Science and Athletic Training  
*University of Kansas Medical Center*

Program Coordinator  
*MU Healthcare Neurological Physical Therapy Residency*

**9:50 a.m.** Break and Exhibits

**10 a.m.** Breakout 1A: Concussion Prevention

Jacob Brownback, ATC  
*The University of Kansas Health System*

Katerina Miller, ATC, MS, LAT  
*The University of Kansas Health System*

**Breakout 1B: Research Update 1: Rhythm is Gonna Get You... Feeling Better After Concussion**

Lauren Mann, Ph.D.  
Assistant Professor, Department of Hearing  
*University of Kansas School of Health Professions*

**10:25 a.m.** Breakout 1B: Research Update 2

Kelsey Strube  
Clinical Research Coordinator, Department of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery  
*University of Kansas Medical Center*

Jennifer Villwock, M.D., FAAC  
*University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center & Case Western Reserve University*

**11 a.m.** Atypical Concussion Presentation and Treatment Recommendations: Functional Neurological and Somatic Disorders

Douglas Terry, Ph.D., ABPP-CN  
Neuropsychologist and Co-Director  
*Vanderbilt Sports Concussion Center*  
Assistant Professor of Neurological Surgery  
*Vanderbilt University Medical Center*

**12 p.m.** Lunch

**1 p.m.** Training the Brain for Real Life: Evidence-Based Concussion Treatment in Speech-Language Pathology

Alaina Davis, Ph.D., CCC-SLP, CBIST  
Associate Professor and Department Chair, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders, *Cathy C. Hughes School of Communications Howard University*

**1:50 p.m.** Break & Exhibits

**2 p.m.** Breakout 2A: Concussion... Choose Your Own Adventure — Case-Based Learning

Michael Rippee, M.D.  
Associate Professor, Department of Neurology  
*University of Kansas Medical Center*  
Sports Neurologist and Medical Director, Center for Concussion Management  
*The University of Kansas Health System*

**2 p.m.** Breakout 2B: Sleep Health 101: What the Clinician Needs to Know for Concussion

Rebecca (Becca) Ludwig, OT, Ph.D.  
Assistant Professor  
*University of Oklahoma, Health Campus*

**3 p.m.** Office-Based Assessments: High vs. Low Tech Options for Objectivity

Rebecca Bliss, PT, DPT, DHSC