Tracks	Room
General Sessions/Keynotes	TBD
Treatment	TBD
Individual	TBD
Family/Advocates & General Interest OR Registered Dieticians	TBD

*Preliminary Conference Agenda

Friday, March 8, 2012

6:00 am - 5:00 pm	**Registration**
7:00 am - 8:00 am	**Continental Breakfast**
8:00 am - 8:30 am	**Opening and Welcome** *Ellen Shuman, Immediate Past Chair* *Amy Pershing, Chair, LMSW, ACSW* *Chevese Turner, President & CEO*
8:30 am - 11:45 am	**Keynote Research Panel** *BED Research: Where We've Been and Where We are Going* *Cynthia Bulik, PhD, FAED (Moderator)* *Ruth Striegel-Moore, PhD, FAED* *Marian Tanofsky-Kraff, PhD, FAED* *Denise Wilfley, PhD, FAED*
11:45 am - 12:45 pm	**Lunch & Exhibits**

*Although BEDA will do everything to minimize, it recognizes that there may be necessary changes to the final agenda to accommodate our speakers.

Friday Continued	Treatment Professionals	Individuals	Family/Advocacy & General Interest
12:45 pm - 2:15 pm	**Integrated Treatment of BED** *Wendy Oliver-Pyatt, MD FAED, CEDS*	**Three's A Charm: The Integrative Approach of Movement, Eating, and Emotional Health to Treat BED** *Caryn Attianese, MA, NCC, LPC* *Cindy Elms, RD* *Rochelle Rice, MA*	**Family Hunger: Helping Families Heal their Relationships with Each Other, Self, and Food** *Anna Kowalski, MA, MFT*
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	**Designing a Set of Best Practices for the Care of Higher Weight People** *Deb Burgard, PhD*	**Exploring "Substance Addiction" and "Process Addiction in BED** *Kim Dennis, MD*	**Kids, Carrots, and Candy** *Jane Hirschmann, CSW* *Lela Zaphiropoulos, LCSW*
3:45 pm - 4:15 pm	**Exhibitors & Coffee Break**		
4:15 pm - 5:15 pm	**Applications for an Integrative Harm-Reduction Model for Co-Occurring Binge Eating Disorder and Substance Use Disorders** *Susan McClanahan, PhD* *Anna Roth, MA*	**Bariatric Surgery for People with BED: Research and Realities** *Susan Berkow, PhD, CNS* *Jacqueline Jacobson, LPC*	**BED and Insurance** *Lisa Kantor, JD*
5:15 pm - 7:00 pm	**Opening Reception** **New Member Welcome** **Poster Sessions** *Light Refreshments & Cash Bar*		

Saturday, March 9, 2012

7:00 am - 5:00 pm	Registration
7:30 am - 8:30 am	Continental Breakfast
8:30 am - 10:00 am	**Keynote Address** **The Challenge of Self-Acceptance: Liberating Ourselves from the Neurological Bonds of a Poor "Body Image"** *Ralph Carson, PhD, RD*

10:00 am – 10:30 am		**Exhibitors & Coffee Break**		
Saturday Continued		**Treatment Professionals**	**Individuals**	**Registered Dietitians**
10:30 am – 11:30 pm		**Crack Donuts and the Emaciated Imagination: Disordered Eating and Symbolic Expression** *Michelle Dean, MA, ATR-BC, LCP, CGP*	**What Do I Need to Know, What Do I Need to DO to Conquer BED?** *Trisha Rubin, LCSW* *Ellen Shuman*	**Educators, Listeners, Healers: Dietitians Treating BED** *Marsha Hudnall, MS, RD* *Rebecca Scritchfield, MA, RD*
11:45am – 12: 45 pm		**Relational Hunger: Attachment Issues in Clients with Binge Eating Disorder** *Suzanne Dresdner, MFA, MSW*	**Binge Eating: An Act of Self-Destruction or an Attempt at Self-Help?** *Carol Munter*	**There's More Than What Meets the Eye: BED Overlooked, Misdiagnosed, Misunderstood** *Carolyn Hodges-Chaffee, MS, RD* *Annika Kahm, BS*
12:45 pm-1:45pm		**Lunch & Exhibits**		
1:45 pm – 2:45 pm		**Cut Down to Size: The Relational Meanings of Weight Loss Surgery** *Catherine Baker-Pitts, PhD, LCSW*	**Mindfulness-Based Self-Care Strategies & Take Action Tools for Nourishing Aliveness and Ending Emotional Eating** *Amy Tuttle, RD, LCSW*	**BED Treatment Strategies and HAES: Different Strokes for Different Folks** *Marci Anderson, MS, RD, LDN* *Leslie Schilling, MA, RD, CSSD*
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm		**The Family Table: A Newly Integrated Model of BED Treatment for Children and Adolescents** *Kristine Vazzano, PhD* *Melissa Knudson, RD*	**Giving Back Body Shame: The Use of Empowerment and Enactment Techniques in the Treatment of Weight Stigma and Body Shame** *Ellen Herb, PhD*	**All Parts are Welcome: Transforming Binge Eating with IFS – A Dietitian's Perspective** *Daisy Miller, PhD, LDN*
4:00 pm – 4:30 pm		**Break & Exhibits**		
4:30 pm – 6:00 pm		**Exploring Stigma and Bias on Both Sides of the Couch** *Size Matters in the Therapeutic Millieu: The Role of Weight Stigma in the Development and Maintenance of Binge Eating Disorder* *Amy Pershing, LMSW, ACSW* *White Elephants? What White Elephants? Acknowledging Weight Stigma & Clinician Bias in the Treatment of Binge Eating Disorder* *Chase Bannister, MDiv, MSW, LCSW, CEDS*	**Feeling Good in Your Skin: Moving Through Dance for Body Image Building, Enhancing Body Image through SynergyDance and American Tribal Style (ATS) Belly Dance** *Mindy Jacobsen-Levy, MCAT, ATR-BC, LPC* *Amanda Bechtel, ATR-BC, LCPC*	**Challenges & Opportunities in Helping Clients to Full Recovery: Panel Discussion** *Marsha Hudnall, MS, RD, CD* *Rebecca Scritchfield, MA, RD* *Carolyn Hodges-Chaffee, MS, RD* *Annika Kahm, BS* *Marci Anderson, MS, RD, LDN* *Leslie Schilling, MA, RD, CSSD* *Daisy Miller, PhD, LDN*

6:00 pm		Sessions Conclude
7:00 pm - 10:00 pm		**Awards Celebration & Documentary Premier**

Sunday, March 10, 2012

8:00 am - 9:00 am		Continental Breakfast		
		Treatment Professionals	**Individuals**	**Family/Advocacy & General Interest**
9:00am - 10:30 am		**Creating an Innovative and Effective Treatment Plan for BED: Moving Beyond Traditional Approaches with IFS, Experiential, and Exposure & Response Prevention Therapies** *Theresa Chestnut, MSW, LCSW* *Katie Thompson, MS, LPC, NCC*	**Recovery Panel** **As Seen Through Our Eyes: Stories of Varied Experiences, Varied Approaches** *Pamela Kuehl, LPC* *Marybeth Quist, BS* *Michael Prager, BS*	**Recovery Maintenance: Guidelines for Individuals and Families; Practical Recovery Tools** *David Christian, PhD*
10:45am - 11:45 am		**Men Struggling with BED: What We Have Learned and the Implications that Follow** *J. Casey Martin, MS, NCC*	**12 Step Programs: The Power and the Problem** *Rhoma Epstein, PsyD, CAC* *H. Theresa Wright, MS, RD, LDN*	**Moving Therapy Online: How to Ethically and Legally Bring Technology into Your Therapy Practice** *Martha Ireland, PhD, RN, MC* *Janine Bowen, JD*
12:00pm - 1:00 pm		**Picture This: Using Flashcards with BED Clients, Pairing Visual and Auditory Cues for Enhanced Learning and Retention of Important Life Skills and Concepts** *Suzanne Ricklin, LCSW-C, BCD, CEDS*	**Integrative Treatment of BED: New Paradigm; CBT, Neurofeedback, Demonstration of EFT** ***Meryl Beck, MA, M.Ed*** ***Jeanne Rust, PhD, MC***	**Putting on Armor for the War on Obesity: Developing Advocacy Skills to Combat Size Stigma, Discrimination, and Hate** *Emma Wood, PsyD*
1:00 pm		Closing Remarks		