Dr. Maryam M. Jernigan-Noesi, Founder, CEO, Jernigan & Associates, LLC

Dr. Jernigan-Noesi is a licensed psychologist, clinician scientist, educator, and organizational consultant. She has served as a mental health service provider for two decades. She has extensive training and work experience in psychology and health care and specialized training in youth, adult, and family interventions. Clinically, Dr. Jernigan-Noesi has worked alongside a multidisciplinary team of health providers in inpatient and outpatient mental health, community, medical, forensic, academic settings, and private practice. She frequently consults with state and federal agencies, legal professionals, educational institutions, and organizations to assess, promote, and implement culturally inclusive and equitable policies and practices. She is frequently sought after for her expertise in racial equity. Additionally, given Dr. Jernigan-Noesi's experience as an instructor and health provider, she provides professional development training to a wide range of educators, administrators, professionals, trainees, and staff.

Dr. Jernigan-Noesi completed advanced clinical training at The Center for Multicultural Training in Psychology at Boston Medical Center and Boston University School of Medicine. She also completed postdoctoral fellowships at Harvard Medical School and Yale University School of Medicine in behavioral health and translational clinical research.

As a clinical researcher, Dr. Jernigan-Noesi's contributions to the behavioral health field have earned recognition from numerous organizations, including the Ford Foundation, American Psychological Association, and Mellon Foundation. She holds over 15 years of formal instructional experience as an educator in higher education, graduate, and professional schools. Dr. Jernigan-Noesi's recognized expertise has led to numerous elected appointments and advising roles. She serves as an advisor for the Sesame Street racial justice initiative. She is a member of the Advisory Board for Camp HOPE America – the leading year-round camping and mentoring program in the United States for children and teens impacted by domestic violence. Dr. Jernigan-Noesi was appointed to the Board of Directors for the Boyce L. Ansley School, a tuition-free private school for children and families who have experienced homelessness. She also serves on the Board of Directors for the 224 EcoSpace – the premier arts, health, and wellness social enterprise in Connecticut where changemakers work and lead to create a positive impact, build social profit, and foster a thriving community.