

The American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children

Presents the

13th Annual Colloquium

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June 15-18, 2005

Sheraton New Orleans, New Orleans, Louisiana

**APSAC is pleased to announce several collaborations
in conjunction with the**

13th Annual APSAC Colloquium

The first is a collaboration with The National Child Traumatic Stress Network (NCTSN) to include several NCTSN-specific activities. This will include a Pre-Colloquium invitation only meeting on Wednesday for all NCTSN members who are attending the Colloquium. In addition, we will be providing a NCTSN track which will consist of presentations by NCTSN members which focus on network-related activities. Attendance at these presentations, listed throughout the Colloquium, will be open to all registered participants, thereby offering opportunities to share the activities and accomplishments of the network with a multidisciplinary audience of professionals serving traumatized children. The final component of this collaboration will be the opportunity for NCTSN Committees, Task Forces and Work Groups to have scheduled meetings during the Colloquium. There will also be many opportunities for informal networking.

In addition, APSAC is a National Partner with the International Society on the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect (ISPCAN). As a result, ISPCAN will be co-sponsoring a variety of workshops both during the cultural institute and throughout the Colloquium itself.

Finally, the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) is providing several workshops throughout the Colloquium focusing on law enforcement and child maltreatment issues.

We feel that these collaborations will open up the opportunity for more networking for professionals interested in the area of child maltreatment. Each sponsored workshop is indicated throughout the agenda by asterisks.

About the Colloquium

Mission

APSAC's mission is to ensure that everyone affected by child maltreatment receives the best possible professional response.

APSAC is committed to:

- Providing professional education which promotes effective, culturally sensitive, interdisciplinary approaches to the identification, intervention, treatment and prevention of child abuse and neglect.
- Promoting research and guidelines to inform professional practice.
- Educating the public about child abuse and neglect.

The Colloquium is designed by and for APSAC's interdisciplinary members. A Planning Committee determined sessions based on evaluations and recommendations from APSAC members and other professionals in the field. Members also contribute by submitting abstracts for presentation.

Goals

The educational goal of APSAC's Colloquium is to foster professional excellence in the field of child maltreatment by providing advanced interdisciplinary professional education. The Colloquium's intensive skill-building seminars combine the best of research and practice, providing immediately useful skills firmly grounded in the latest empirical research.

Objectives

Upon completion of this activity, the participant should be able to:

1. Apply state-of-the-art treatment methods when working with abused and neglected children.
2. Identify the most up-to-date information concerning working with abused and neglected children.
3. Prepare and report quality testimony in court cases, both as experts and as witnesses.
4. Identify physical and sexual abuse, as well as neglect in children.
5. Apply model examination and treatment techniques for abused/neglected children.

Audience

Seminars have been designed primarily for professionals in mental health, medicine and nursing, law, law enforcement, education, prevention, research, advocacy, child protective services, and allied fields. All aspects of child maltreatment will be addressed including prevention, assessment, intervention and treatment with victims, perpetrators and families affected by physical, sexual, and psychological abuse and neglect. Cultural considerations will also be addressed.

The Colloquium program is divided into two major segments:

- ***Invited Intensive Training Seminars***
These in-depth, hands-on training seminars are taught by leading experts in the field. Firmly grounded in the latest knowledge and research, these seminars are designed for advanced professionals in all areas of expertise.
- ***Field-Generated Training and Research***
These seminars are selected by a rigorous process of blind peer review from hundreds of submissions in response to an open call for abstracts. They are presented as workshops, research papers, and poster presentations.

Colloquium Features

Professional Group Meeting Day—Tuesday, June 14, 2005

This day of task force meetings, committee meetings, and co-sponsoring organizations' adjunct meetings offers participants an early opportunity to network with colleagues in the field. Requests for space must be made by **May 1st**; meetings will be listed in the final Colloquium program book. For additional information call APSAC's Professional Education Department for details at (608) 772-0872.

Special Invitation-only Institute Sponsored by NCTSN

A special institute co-sponsored by the National Child Traumatic Stress Network, is being offered on Wednesday, June 15, 2005. The institute is by invitation only.

Are You Tired of Your Diamonds? Fed up with your Mercedes Benz?

Bombarded by unwanted Christmas Gifts?

Than you are in luck!

APSAC's 6th annual silent auction will provide you with an opportunity to donate items to this great non-for-profit organization. All donated items will be auctioned during APSAC's Thirteenth Annual Colloquium, Welcome Reception, Thursday, June 16, 2005 in New Orleans, LA. If you are interested in donating items to the auction please contact:

Jim Campbell, PhD
1223 Main St. Box 119
Sun Prairie, WI 53590
Phone: 608-772-0872
Fax: 608-318-0160

E-mail: apsaccolloquium2005@charter.net

Membership Information

Who are APSAC Members?

Incorporated in 1987, APSAC has attracted members from all 50 states, many US territories, & other countries. APSAC members represent the disciplines of mental health, medicine & nursing, law, law enforcement, education, prevention, research, and child protective services.

Benefits of Membership

- The APSAC Advisor, a quarterly news journal that provides up to the minute news in practice, research, legislation, publications, and training events.
- Child Maltreatment, the distinguished quarterly journal that provides the latest research, policy, and practice information in an easy to read format.
- Discounts on conferences and educational resources.
- The opportunity to participate in a national interdisciplinary network of thousands of professionals.

How can I join APSAC?

You can join by registering for APSAC's 13th Annual Colloquium and selecting the appropriate membership option on the colloquium registration form.

If you are unable to attend the Colloquium, but would like to become an APSAC member, you may also join by completing the "membership only" portion of the Colloquium registration form; or by calling Daphne Wright, APSAC Membership Manager, at (843) 764-2905, or by visiting APSAC's website at www.apsac.org.

Colloquium Opportunities

Volunteer Scholarships Available!

APSAC is offering volunteer scholarships on a first-come, first-serve basis with preference being given to students and entry-level or low income professionals in the field of child maltreatment.

Volunteer assistance is needed **June 13 thru June 18, 2005** on-site at the Sheraton New Orleans. Volunteer tasks include: providing clerical assistance, stuffing name badges and conference bags, staffing the registration booth, monitoring sessions, and assisting speakers and organizers with many of the details that come up on-site. To request a volunteer scholarship application email apsaccolloquium2005@charter.net or call (608) 772-0872 .

Interested in presenting at the next Colloquium?

The 2006 Call for Papers is here! In addition to being included in this brochure, the 2006 Call for Papers will be available online as of March 1, 2005 at www.apsac.org or you can email us at apsaccolloquium@charter.net to request a submission form. APSAC is soliciting abstracts for both training and research presentations for the **14th Annual Colloquium**, one of the field's premier forums for child abuse professionals to offer training presentations and report new research findings concerning legal, medical, mental health, investigative, preventive, and protective services work with abused and neglected children, their families, and perpetrators of abuse. Presentations are encouraged on all aspects of child maltreatment, including cultural diversity.

Think Tank on Evaluation of Child Forensic Interviewers

Saturday June 18th from 8:30am - 4:00 pm

APSAC will be sponsoring a one day Think Tank on evaluating the knowledge and skills of child forensic interviewers, and exploring the possibility of national certification. This is continuation of an on-going project with the Florida Department of Health, and a follow-up to two previous Think Tanks held in Salish, Washington and Orlando, Florida. Those who have expressed interest through attendance at the prior Think Tanks or APSAC workshops on this project will receive an email invitation to attend. Others wishing to attend can pre-register on the conference registration form. A workshop on project findings and progress will be held on Friday at the Colloquium.

Continuing Education

The 13th Annual Colloquium is co-sponsored by the American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children and The Institute for Continuing Education. Continuing education credit is offered as listed. Credit is awarded on a session by session basis with full attendance required of the sessions attended. Representatives from The Institute will be on site to accept applications for continuing education credit and to assist Conference attendees with continuing education questions. The processing fee is \$25.00 per person and may be included in the registration fee by checking the appropriate box. Certificates of Attendance will be available free-of-charge at the conclusion of the Conference for non-licensed professionals. If you have questions regarding continuing education, contact The Institute: 251-990-5030, FAX: 251-990-2665; e-mail: instconted@aol.com.

Psychology: The Institute for Continuing Education is approved by the American Psychological Association to offer continuing education for psychologists. The Institute for Continuing Education maintains responsibility for the program.

Counseling: The Institute for Continuing Education is an organization recognized by the National Board for Certified Counselors to offer continuing education for national certified counselors. The Institute for Continuing Education adheres to NBCC continuing education guidelines. NBCC Provider No. 5643.

Social Work: The Institute for Continuing Education is an approved provider for social work continuing education by the Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB), through the Approved Continuing Education Program (ACE). The Institute for Continuing Education maintains responsibility for the program. ASWB Provider No. 1007. **Ohio** Counselor and Social Workers Board Provider No. RCS 030001. **Illinois** Department of Professional Social Work License No. 159-000606. **California Board of Behavioral Sciences** Provider No. PCE 636. **Louisiana** State Board of Social Work Examiners accepts programs by ASWB providers for social work credit. **Mississippi** State Board of Examiners for Social Work and Marriage and Family Therapists accepts programs by ASWB providers for social work credit. **Alabama:** the Institute for Continuing Education is an approved provider for social work continuing education by the Alabama Board of Social Work Examiners.

Florida Professionals: The Institute for Continuing Education is approved by the Florida Department of Health, Board of licensed mental health counseling, marriage/family therapy, and clinical social work, to provide continuing education. Provider No. BAP 255, expiration 03/04.

Marriage/Family Therapy: The Institute for Continuing Education is recognized by most state boards of Marriage/Family Therapy.

Drug/Alcohol: The Institute for Continuing Education is approved by the National Association of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselors (NAADAC) to provide continuing education for alcohol and drug abuse counselors. NAADAC Provider No. 000243.

Nursing: The Institute for Continuing Education is accredited as a provider of continuing education in nursing by the Alabama Board of Nursing. ABNP No. 1124. *Nurses should contact their state board to determine if approval of this program through the Alabama Board of Nursing is acceptable for continuing education credit in their state.*

Legal/Law Professionals: Application will be made to the appropriate agencies for approval of continuing education credit for legal/law professionals. Call to check status of approval(s).

Continuing Education, Cont.

Continuing Medical Education

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint sponsorship of the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine and the American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children (APSAC). The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians. The University of Oklahoma College of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 13.5 category 1 credits towards the AMA Physician's Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the educational activity.

To receive CME credit, participants must sign in at the continuing education registration table every morning of the conference. Participants must document sessions attended and complete a conference evaluation form to receive credit. There is a \$25 administrative fee, payable to APSAC, for receipt of approved credits. This fee may be included with the registration fee by checking the appropriate box on the registration form.

For accommodations on the basis of disability please contact Jim Campbell at 608-772-0872



Certificates of Attendance

Certificates of Attendance will be available free-of-charge at the conclusion of the Conference for non-licensed professionals.

If you have questions regarding continuing education or certificates of attendance, please contact The Institute of Continuing Education.

(877) 525-1925 Phone
(888) 201-8007 FAX

If you have questions concerning Continuing Medical Education, please call the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine, Office on Continuing Medical Education.

(405) 271-2350 Phone
(405) 271-3087 FAX

Registration Information

Register early and save \$50 off the registration fee. Early bird Registration cut-off date is **May 16, 2005**. All registrations received after **May 16, 2005**, including on-site registrations, will be assessed a \$50 late fee. Space is limited. On-site registration subject to availability.

To register, send the completed registration form with payment to:

APSAC's 13th Annual Colloquium

ATTN: Jim Campbell

1223 Main St. Box 119

Sun Prairie, WI 53590

Phone(608) 722-0872

Fax (608) 318-0160

Email: apsaccolloquium2005@charter.net

Registration will be confirmed by email only. Purchase orders are accepted. APSAC's tax ID number is 93-0940608. All purchase orders/vouchers will be invoiced after completion of the colloquium.

Group Registration Discounts

APSAC is pleased to offer discounts for groups of five or more at savings of 5%-20% based on number of group attendees. Call APSAC at (608) 722-0872 for group discount rates.

Hotel Accommodations

From the moment you enter the Sheraton New Orleans Hotel lobby you will find yourself surrounded by comfort and luxury where you'll be served with gracious Southern hospitality. The attentive staff is waiting to pamper you during your visit to the Crescent City, in a style uniquely New Orleans, at the four-star Sheraton New Orleans Hotel.

Rooms are available at the Sheraton New Orleans Hotel, 500 Canal Street, New Orleans, LA, at \$149/night (single) and \$149 (double), plus tax. For reservations call (800)-518-2694 or (504)-525-2500, and request the APSAC Colloquium rate. We urge you to make your hotel reservations early. The cut-off date to receive the conference rate is May 25, 2005.

Parking

Please note—the parking garage attached to the Sheraton New Orleans is owned by the City of New Orleans. Although you can charge parking to your hotel room, the charge is **\$30 per day**.

Tour the New Orleans Child Advocacy Center

Go for a free tour of the premier Child Advocacy Center at the New Orleans Children's Hospital. There will be a presentation offered at the hospital auditorium for all participants. This is scheduled for Wednesday, June 15 from 12:30-4:00 p.m.

In addition, the tour buses will take St. Charles Avenue down past the University area and Audubon Park, thereby providing an uptown tour in route to the hospital. Space is limited to 45 people. There is no charge for the tour or the bus ride. This is sponsored by the New Orleans Child Advocacy Center and Children's Hospital.

Cancellations

APSAC will refund all written cancellation requests received by **May 16, 2005**, less a \$100 administrative fee. Refunds cannot be processed until after **July 15, 2005**.

Registrations can be transferred to another party at anytime without penalty, as long as APSAC is notified in writing (email: apsaccolloquium2005@charter.net) in advance.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM - 1A

(This form may be duplicated. Please use one registration form per person.)

Early Registration Deadline: May 16th, 2005/Late Registration Deadline: June 8th, 2005

Make checks payable to APSAC. Please note on check the names of all attendees. Fax/email/mail completed registration form and Workshop Selection Sheet, with payment (check/money order/purchase order/credit card information) to:

**APSACAttn: Jim Campbell
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Sun Prairie, WI 53590
FAX# (608) 318-0160**

If you have any questions, please contact Jim Campbell at (608)772-0872 or apsaccolloquium2005@charter.net.
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[REGISTRATION WILL BE CONFIRMED BY EMAIL ONLY]

- Area of Practice (please select one):** Child Protective Services Domestic Violence
 Education Law Enforcement Law Medicine Ministry Nursing Prevention Psychiatry
 Psychology Social Work Sociology

ONE-YEAR MEMBERSHIP: *Membership effective immediately. Join and take advantage of member discounts today!*

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| Annual Income greater than \$50,000/year | <input type="checkbox"/> \$125 |
| Annual Income between \$30,000 and \$50,000/ year | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 |
| Annual Income less than \$30,000/year | <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 75 |
| Students (verification required) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 65 |

REGISTRATION FEES:

	<u>Member</u>	<u>Non-Member</u>
APSAC Cultural Pre-Conf Institute	<input type="checkbox"/> \$75	<input type="checkbox"/> \$100
Cultural Institute Luncheon Program	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25
Early Colloquium Registration*	<input type="checkbox"/> \$385	<input type="checkbox"/> \$450
Early Student Colloquium Registration	<input type="checkbox"/> \$130	<input type="checkbox"/> \$180
Continuing Education Credit	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25
Late fee (applies after May 16, 2005)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50
NCTSN Special Institute– Invitation Only	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

****Please add up your total and fill out the payment information on the next page.****

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| Welcome Reception/Poster Presentation/Silent Auction <input type="checkbox"/> | | <i>Please indicate your intention to attend these events by checking the appropriate boxes</i> |
| Membership Awards Luncheon <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Vegetarian meal for Awards Luncheon |
| Tour of New Orleans Child Advocacy Center <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Think Tank on Evaluation of Forensic Interviewers |

**Registration fee includes daily continental breakfasts, Welcome Reception on Thursday & Membership Luncheon on Friday.*

Workshop Selection Sheet

[Please darken the appropriate boxes to indicate the workshops you plan to attend.]

Wednesday, June 15, 2005

Session 1: A B C D

Session 2: A B C D

Session 3: A B C D

****There is an extra Fee to attend on Wednesday. Please select Cultural Pre-Conference Institute on the reverse side of this form and include the fee to attend with your payment.****

**Pre-Conference
Registration**

Thursday, June 16, 2005

Session 1: A B C D E F G H I J K L

Session 2: A B C D E F G H I J K L

Session 3: A B C D E F G H I J K L

Friday, June 17, 2005

Session 4: A B C D E F G H I J K L

Session 5: A B C D E F G H I J K L

Session 6: A B C D E F G H I J K L

Session 7: A B C D E F G H I J K L

**Regular
Registration**

Saturday, June 18, 2005

Session 8: A B C D E F G H I J

Session 9: A B C D E F G H I J

Session 10: A B C D E F G H I J

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Colloquium at a Glance

Tuesday, June 14, 2005

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Professional Group Meeting Day
3:00 pm - 5:00 pm Colloquium Registration

Wednesday, June 15, 2005

6:00 am - 12:00 pm Exhibit Setup
7:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration
7:00 am-8:30 am Continental Breakfast
8:30 am-5:00 pm Cultural Institute Sessions
11:45 am-1:15 pm Cultural Institute Luncheon Program
8:30 am - 5:00 pm Invitation only NCTSN Institute

Thursday, June 16, 2005

7:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration and Exhibits
7:00 am - 8:30 am Continental Breakfast
8:30 am - 10:00 am Opening Plenary
10:30 am - 12:00 pm Workshop Sessions
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm Lunch (on your own)
1:30 pm - 5:00 pm Workshop Sessions
5:00 pm - 7:30 pm Welcome Reception, Silent Auction, & Poster Presentations

Friday, June 17, 2005

7:00 am - 5:00 pm Registration & Exhibits
7:00 am - 8:30 am Continental Breakfast
8:30 am - 12:00 pm Workshop Sessions
12:00 pm - 1:45 pm Membership Luncheon & Awards Ceremony (Pre-reg & Ticket Required)
1:45 pm - 5:15 pm Workshop Sessions

Saturday, June 18, 2005

7:00 am - 12:00 pm Registration & Exhibits
7:00 am - 8:30 am Continental Breakfast
8:30 am - 12:45 pm Workshop Sessions
8:30 am - 4:00 pm Think Tank on Evaluation of Child Forensic Interviewers
1:00 pm - 6:00 pm APSAC Board Meeting

About the Program

Poster Presentations

Poster presentations of research, practice, and program innovations have been selected from hundreds of abstracts, and give you the opportunity to examine your colleagues' recent work. Poster presentations will be displayed on Thursday, June 16, 2005 from 5:00 - 7:30 pm during the welcome reception.

Program Categories

The Colloquium is divided into tracks that focus on specific topics. The following is a list of the different categories offered over the course of the training:

CAC	=	Child/Children's Advocacy Center
CD	=	Cultural Diversity
CLI	=	Clinical Based (Sponsored by NCTSN)
CPS	=	Child Protection/Child Welfare
ESP	=	In Spanish
INST	=	All Day Advanced Institutes on a variety of topics
INT	=	Interdisciplinary
INV	=	Interviewing
LAW	=	Law
LE	=	Law Enforcement
MH	=	Mental Health
M&N	=	Medicine and Nursing
PRV	=	Prevention
RES	=	Research

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Exhibitors and Sponsors

If you want to reach experts in the field of child maltreatment, join us in New Orleans! The Colloquium offers an unparalleled opportunity to reach senior interdisciplinary professionals with decision making authority for resources and equipment. There are sponsorship, advertising, and exhibiting options for all budgets. Sponsorship opportunities include the Pre-Conference Cultural Institute, Welcome Reception, Plenary Session, Training Seminars, Poster Session, Refreshment Breaks, Awards Ceremony and Luncheon, and Conference Tote Bags. Call Jim Campbell at (608) 772-0872 or email apsaccolloquium2005@charter.net for an exhibit or sponsorship application form.

APSAC Cultural Institute

This is APSAC's 9th institute on cultural issues in child maltreatment. Seminars offered at the institute are designed to help professionals acquire the skills needed to work with diverse populations and to understand the impact of culture on experiences of child maltreatment. This is a unique and exciting opportunity to hear from various leaders in the field and move toward cultural competence. **Additional fee required, see appropriate box on registration form.**

Program

8:30 AM - 9:45 AM

Cultural Plenary– Lisa Fontes, PhD
“From Cultural Competence to Justice”

Wednesday, June 15, 2005
APSAC Cultural Institute Day

10:15AM-11:45AM Pre-Conference Workshop Session 1

A- Casos de la Vida Real: Sexual Abuse of Children in Puerto Rico and Latino youth in the United States (In Spanish)

Caridad Moreno, PhD, Yolanda Bigio, RN, BSN & Toni Cardenas, CSW

In this presentation we will review sexual abuse cases of children in Puerto Rico and Latino youth in the United States. Similarities and differences between the two groups will be examined within a cultural framework. Some of the variables to be addressed include: language, parental support and concerns, recantation, diagnosis, treatment and legal outcomes.

B- The Impact of September 11th on Arab-Americans' Well-Being Wahiba Abu-Ras, Ph.D.

This study explores the impact of September 11th on mental health, barriers to obtaining mental health services, coping strategies and perception of ongoing trauma, and the positive and negative changes among Arab Americans living in New York City.

C- Assessing Child Maltreatment in Multicultural Populations

Walter Lambert, MD

As the US becomes increasingly multicultural, differing parenting patterns, cultural and religious practices are reported as child abuse. This workshop uses case presentations to explore these issues.

D- A Social and Cognitive Intervention and Prevention Strategy on Child Abuse and Neglect: A Community Approach in Colombia

Clemencia Ramires Herrera

This presentation will discuss design and evaluation of a strategy developed with the community (children, parents and teachers), to reduce child abuse and neglect based upon changing the belief systems and the beliefs associated with child abuse. *Sponsored by ISPCAN*

3:30PM-5:00PM Pre-Conference Workshop Session 3

A- Cultural Diversity and the Forensic Interview Process

Tomiko Mackey, MSW

This workshop will address the importance of cultural diversity awareness when interviewing children suspected of being sexually abused. We will challenge the participants to look at their own biases and become aware of how prejudices may influence the outcome of a forensic interview. We will also discuss the importance of diverse multidisciplinary teams when investigating child abuse allegations.

B- Physical Punishment & Discipline Lisa Fontes, PhD

In this workshop participants will explore the relationship between discipline and physical abuse. We will discuss how to work in a culturally competent way with people from diverse cultural groups to protect all children and avoid alienating families. Many examples will be given.

C- African-American Families: Cultural Considerations: Part II

Veronica Abney, LCSW

D- The Intergenerational Cycle of Violence as a Risk Factor in Child Abuse in Colombia Clemencia Ramires Herrera

This presentation will review findings of several investigations over the past 5 years focusing on intergenerational transmission (cycle of violence) as a risk factor present in Colombian populations. *Sponsored by ISPCAN*

Special Institute for
The National Child Trauma
Stress Network (NCTSN)

Invitation Only

11:45AM-1:15PM Cultural Luncheon Program

1:30PM-3:00PM Pre-Conference Workshop Session 2

A- Responding to Child Maltreatment in the Hispanic Population

Michael de Arellano, PhD

In this workshop, cultural factors that may impact prevalence, assessment and treatment of child maltreatment in Hispanic populations will be presented. These include beliefs about sex, gender roles, child-rearing practices, acculturation, and religion. In addition, specific recommendations to improve the ways in which victim service providers serve Hispanic children will be presented.

B- Child Abuse Issues for Immigrant Families

Sarah Maiter, PhD

This presentation draws on research-based information on issues confronting immigrant families that can result in risks to children and to child maltreatment. Experiences of immigrant families with child protective services, barriers to services, and challenges in providing appropriate services are explored.

C- African American Families: Cultural Considerations, Part I

Veronica Abney, LCSW

This workshop will focus on unique aspects of the African-American culture & the assessment of African-Americans (in particular) children who have been abused. We will briefly explore what constitutes an appropriate value base for the professional working outside of their culture.

D- Child Abuse and Neglect in Asian Developing Societies: Causes and Possible Sustainable Solutions

Uthai Dulyakasem, PhD *Sponsored by ISPCAN*

Wednesday, June 15, 2005

8:30 AM - 5:00 PM

The Landscape of Rural Mental Health for Child Trauma: Lessons From the Field for Your Practice

Topics:

What is Rural Culture and How Does it Affect Service Delivery

Rita Ellis

Essential Elements of Trauma Sensitive Interventions

Mark Rains, PhD

A Toolkit for Developing a Community-wide Network to Address Traumatized Children

Julianne Bodnar, Carol Fitzpatrick

DBT with Rural Female Adolescents/Dependency Courts and Rural Children

Joy Osofsky, PhD, Pat Morse, PhD, and Howard Osofsky, MD, PhD

Home-Based Delivery of Trauma Treatment

Tonja Tarvin, Michael de Arellano, PhD

Up and Downside of Helping

Debra Larsen, PhD

Secondary Trauma

Beth Hundall Stamm, PhD

Program

Thursday, June 16, 2005

8:30 AM-10:00 AM Plenary Session—Sharon Cooper, MD "Culture, Class and Consent in Sexual Exploitation & Trafficking"

10:30 AM-12:00 PM Workshop Session 1

A
CPS

Multidisciplinary Assessments of Substantiated Serious CPS Cases Involving Young Children: Findings from a Pilot Study Kathleen Faller, PhD

This workshop will describe a new model of assessment for substantiated child protective service cases. We will discuss some of the lessons learned from implementing this model over a four year period and present findings comparing children who received the intervention to those who did not.

B
CD

Foreign Language Interpreters in Child Maltreatment Interviewing & Intervention Lisa Fontes, PhD

Participants will learn about when to use an interpreter, the interpreter's role, professional vs. informal interpreters, simultaneous vs. consecutive interpreting, and how to train and support interpreters to handle what may be emotionally difficult material. Numerous examples will be provided.

C
CPS

Providing Therapeutic Supervised Visitation for High Conflict Families – Positive Parenting Plus (PP+) Initiative Mary Pulido, MAT, MSW, ABD

In this workshop participants will learn the components of a therapeutic supervised visitation that utilizes parent "coaching" to achieve CPS/Family Court goals. Participants will also learn techniques to deal with high conflict families, gain an understanding of facility/security needs of supervised visitation program and issues involved in maintaining confidentiality, neutrality and preparing the child for the visit.

D
LAW

Advocating for Battered Women and Children in Custody, Visitation and Child Protection Cases

Betty Wade Coyle, MA, Richard Ducote, JD

This workshop will examine how advocacy work can extend from the courtroom to the statehouse to the public at large to more effectively advocate for battered women and children in individual cases through system reform.

E
MH

Therapeutic Applications of Animal-Assisted Therapy with Sexually Abused Children Diane Vines, MA, Mary Ellen Sherrill, LCSW, Audrey Schwartz Rivers, MS

This workshop will address how the unconditional love of animals help children deal with the trauma of sexual abuse in this unique pilot program

F
MH

Therapeutic Techniques Encouraging Disclosure for Children and Teens Who Have Been Sexually Abused

Juanita Baker, PhD, Kristin Henley, MS

This training seminar will identify issues in treating sexually abused children, primarily focusing on the disclosure of the abuse. Presenters will demonstrate play therapy techniques useful with child victims of sexual abuse and present research on victim's disclosure from the Family Learning Program at Florida Tech.

G
INT

Integrating EMS Into the Child Protection Team Teresa Olsen, MEd, Ann Marie Papa, MSN RN, Everitt Binns, PhD

This training seminar will identify risk factors and indicators of child abuse and neglect. Appropriate assessment techniques, required documentation and reporting procedures will be discussed.

H
PREV

Georgia Child Fatalities: Trends and Methods of Prevention Kim Washington, MEd, Carri Cottengim, MA

The purpose of this workshop is to bring education and awareness to participants regarding abusive and neglectful circumstances that can lead to child deaths. Effective prevention methods initiated in the state of Georgia will be presented and discussed and participants will be provided with the opportunity to share resources and ideas on the prevention of abuse and child neglect related deaths.

I
RES

Research Presentation TBA (Based on accepted submissions)

J
INV

Forensic Use of Anatomical Dolls: Responding to Legal Challenges Julie Sova Ellefson, MPH

Participants will learn a reliable process for forensic use of anatomical dolls and gain strategies for responding to defense motions and cross examination issues regarding their use. You will gain an understanding of the pros and cons of using anatomical dolls and the research that supports each position.

K
INT

Building Community Resilience Through Work with Juvenile Courts Joy Osofsky, *Sponsored by NCTSN*

L
CLI

The Importance of Including Parents in Trauma-Focused Therapy Esther Deblinger, *Sponsored by NCTSN*

Program

Thursday, June 16, 2005

1:30 PM-3:00 PM Workshop Session 2

A **Children at Risk: Improving Their Odds through Internet Resources and Collaboration**

CAC Barbara Elias-Perciful, JD, Carole Hurley, JD

This seminar will focus on how to access a multitude of legal, medical and psychological resources through a state-of-the-art interactive online resource center and collaboration network and also on how to create and maintain a customized, state-specific version of this powerful tool.

B **Child Maltreatment in the Military, Part I** Sharon Cooper, MD

C **Working with Birth Mothers Identified as At-Risk for Maltreatment Due to Substance Abuse During Pregnancy** Caroline Burry, PhD

CPS This training will begin with a detailed overview of the common sequelae of prenatal substance exposure and parental addiction, along with related maltreatment risk factors. The main part of the training will focus on practice strategies for reducing risks and enhancing outcomes for children with prenatal substance exposure.

D **Successful Utilization of Legislative Advocacy in the Prevention of Abuse and Protection of Abused Children**

LAW Stacie LeBlanc J.D. MEd

Discover ways to utilize your resources and those of your community in implementing needed legislative changes and assuring compliance with current state laws from mandatory reporting to criminal statutes. The active role of mandated reporters and protections of them will be explored as an integral component of the identification and protection of abused children.

E **Investigating Child Neglect: How to Get the Most From Your Medical Provider** Jordan Greenbaum, MD

LE Medical providers can add a great deal to investigations ranging from physical to educational to environmental neglect. This talk will discuss ways you can maximize the input from medical professionals. We will examine questions you can ask your providers and ways you can help them address the issues.

F **Working with Non-Offending Caregivers in Sibling Sexual Abuse Cases**

MH Suzanne Jones, MS, LPC & Suzanne M. Robinson Porreca, PsyD

This workshop will explore the potential impact of sexual abuse discovery on a non-offending caregiver, including the grief process, anxiety issues, parenting, and protection in sibling abuse cases.

G **Extended Forensic Evaluation of Children when Sexual Abuse is Suspected** Connie Carnes MS, LPC

MH The efficacy of an extended forensic evaluation model for children in cases of suspected child maltreatment has been studied at the National Children's Advocacy Center (NCAC) over a four year period. Findings include: (1) the efficacy of the model as a fact-finding procedure to assist in child protective and prosecutory decision, (2) the effects of the pace of the evaluation (4 vs. 8 sessions) and (3) the effects of child and case characteristics on outcomes.

H **Pediatric Burns** Scott Benton, MD

M&N Pediatric burns generally are caused by accidents, negligence or inflicted. This workshop will cover the basic burn classification and analysis. It will provide a foundation for evaluating many different types of burns in one of the above classes as well as explore misdiagnosis of burn-like findings.

I **Voices From the Grave: the Suicide Review Team** Michael Pines, PhD

PREV This workshop will describe a review process used by a Child and Adolescent Suicide Review Team. Workshop participants will review a hypothetical case while completing the case review form and working together to analyze the data and make recommendations.

J **Research Presentations** TBA (Based on accepted submissions)

K **Peer Review of Videotapes of Forensic Interviews** Kathleen Faller, PhD

INV This workshop will provide an overview of strategies for conducting beneficial peer reviews and a format for critiquing videos of child interviews. Participants are asked to bring video tapes for peer review.

L **Disseminating Empirically Supported Treatments in the Real World** Frank Bennett, Ann Kelley, Laura

CLI Murray, Anthony Mannarino *Sponsored by NCTSN*

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3:30 PM-5:00 PM Workshop Session 3

A LAW	Defeating the Virtual Defense in Child Pornography Prosecutions Susan Kreston, JD This presentation will address the ramifications of Ashcroft v. Free Speech Coalition (FSC) and the PROTECT ACT. The legal precedent for successfully prosecuting child pornography cases when defendants raise the claim of the images being virtual, e.g. created without any children involved in their making will be discussed.
B CD	Child Maltreatment in the Military, Part II Sharon Cooper, MD
C CPS	Youth Perpetrated Relationship Violence Eva Nowakowski, MSW, MPH This presentation will synthesize the current literature on youth perpetrated violence between intimate or family members, specifically sibling abuse, violence directed toward parents and dating violence. Literature will be analyzed and specific programs and policies will be addressed to combat this issue.
D INV	State-of-the-Art Child Interviewing: How Things Have Changed in the Last 20 Years Patti Toth, J.D. & Laura Merchant, MSW This presentation will address different stages of the child interview, including the introduction, rapport-building, substantive and concluding stages and explore reasons for concern and eliciting of abuse-specific information.
E INT	Making a Difference With Adolescents: The Medical Exam And Beyond Lori Legano, MD & Marcia Deana Lorenzana, BSN The presenters will discuss their approach in evaluating adolescents suspected of sexual abuse within a medical model. Developmental and cultural influences will be discussed. Techniques on how to help adolescents by preparing them for the exam and providing them with coping techniques will be addressed.
F MH	Connecting Kids: Attachment Issues for Children in Care Sara Davis, MSW, MSPH & Beverly Ingram, MEd This workshop surveys the social and neurobiological basis of attachment formation; reviews the sources, signs and symptoms of impaired attachment; and introduces clinical interventions and case management practices that can create conditions to build, repair, and/or preserve attachment for children who face family disruptions.
G MH	Empowering Your Staff While Successfully Working in the World of Vicarious Trauma Bente Hess, MSW
H M&N	Utilizing Technology in Child Maltreatment Scott Benton, MD "A picture is worth a thousand words" and good accurate pictures of injuries and findings perhaps more. This workshop will establish the basic equipment, techniques and procedures and workflow for photographers charged with photographic forensic findings of children. An overview of the care, storage, retrieval and confidentiality issues will also be presented with an emphasis on digital technologies. Examples of a reasonably affordable camera system will be demonstrated. Alternative light source technologies will not be discussed.
I PREV	It's Never Too Late to Prevent Child Sexual Abuse: A Developmental Approach to the Identification of Child Sexual Victimization from Birth through Adolescence John Seasock, MS This presentation is designed to provide interdisciplinary professionals, parents and caregivers working with children and/or teenagers with the empirically based cognitive, behavioral, emotional and physical symptomology of sexual victimization and exploitation for each developmental stage of childhood from birth to adolescence.
J RES	Research Presentation TBA (Based on accepted submissions)
K INT	Drug Endangered Children: Using the Multidisciplinary Team to Investigate Cases of Children Found in Methamphetamine Labs. Catherine Dixon, Ph.D. This workshop will provide an overview of the physical dangers to children from methamphetamine production and an overview of the risks inherent in the social environment, which often accompanies methamphetamine use and production. The use of protocols for MDT investigation and forensic interviewing will be discussed.
L INT	Promoting the Use of Evidence-Based Service Delivery in Child Welfare Walter Fahr, Rhenda Donet, Sue Steib, & Patricia Morse *Sponsored by NCTSN*

Program

Friday, June 17, 2005

8:30 AM-10:00 AM Workshop Session 4

A
LE **What the Prosecutor Needs to Win A Conviction in a Child Sexual Abuse Case, Part I** Nancy Lamb, JD & George Ryan

This presentation, designed for a multidisciplinary audience, will examine the components of a child sexual abuse investigation that must be present in order to prove the case beyond a reasonable doubt when it reaches the courtroom.

B
M&N **The Physical Exam and What Do You Do in the Absence of Objective Medical Evidence** Jack Coyne, MD, FAAP
This workshop will address common misconceptions about the physical exam of an abused child. Current research on medical findings will be reviewed, as well as research regarding absence of physical findings in confirmed cases. Visual presentation of healing trauma will demonstrate how quickly children heal and how previous trauma can appear normal within a brief period of time.

C
CLI **The Intersection of Crimes of Personal Violence** Judy Benitez, MEd
Child abuse, domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, workplace and school violence are all considered different "categories," yet they all overlap. Practitioners need to understand the dynamics of each of these types of violent crime, the ways that they overlap and intersect, and the ways in which they are clearly different. Implications for victim service practice and policy will also be discussed.

D
INST **The Impact of Substance Abuse on Children: Special Issues With Methamphetamine and Alcohol, Part I** Robin Gurwitch, PhD & Penny Grant, MD

This workshop will examine an evidenced-based treatment model, Parent-Child Interaction Therapy, used with children and families affected by alcohol in hopes of reducing parenting stress, placement changes, child maltreatment reports, and behavioral difficulties.

E
LE **The Team Investigative Process: Fostering Effective Interagency Collaboration** Gary O'Connor and Patti Toth J.D. *Sponsored by OJJDP and Fox Valley Technical Institute*

Through a series of interactive group exercises, this presentation will feature portions of the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention and Fox Valley Technical College's highly successful "Team Investigative Process" Course, emphasizing interdisciplinary investigations of child maltreatment.

F
MH **Teaching Caregivers to Talk with Children about Emotion: Implications for Working with Maltreated Children** Kimberly Shipman, PhD & Monica Fitzgerald, MS

The primary goal of this seminar will be to explore effective strategies for working with caregiver-child dyads to facilitate children's development or emotional competence and to assist caregivers by teaching them to discuss emotionally-arousing events with their children.

G
INT **A Coordinated and Integrated Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice System: Serving the Needs of Victims of Maltreatment in the Juvenile Justice System** John Tuell, MA & Christy Sharp, MS

This workshop will examine 4 major research studies on the connection between maltreatment and delinquency, provide information regarding current data trends in maltreatment and delinquency, review recent guiding federal legislation, and inventory programs and practices that collaboratively serve the juvenile justice and child maltreatment populations.

H
M&N **Understanding Inflicted Head Trauma** Cindy Christian M.D.

Inflicted head trauma is the leading cause of death and disability related to child physical abuse. This session will cover the essentials for understanding head trauma in infants and young children, including anatomy, primary and secondary trauma, clinical presentations, associated injuries and consequences. We will also cover controversies related to inflicted head trauma.

I
MH **Treatment for the Non-Offending Parent of Child Sexual Victims** Paula Rosenstein, LCSW

This workshop will help the participants understand child sexual abuse from the point of view of the non-offending parent; learn about the continuum of acceptance and about treatment issues and interventions.

J
INV **Evaluating the Quality of Forensic Interviewing: Findings from a Statewide Pilot** Michael Haney, PhD, Kee MacFarlane, MSW, Ilene Berson, PhD, Kathleen Faller, PhD, Jon Conte, PhD

The purpose of this project was to assist states in assessing the knowledge and skill level of those who conduct forensic interviews in suspected child abuse cases. Assessment methods developed as a result of this project will be presented and discussed.

K
CLI **The Efficacy of a Parent-Child Intervention for Physically Abused Children and Their Caregivers**

Elisa Brown *Sponsored by NCTSN*

L
MH **Navigating the Challenges of Service Delivery for Traumatized Children in Rural Settings**

Catherine Koverola *Sponsored by NCTSN*

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10:30 AM-12:00 PM Workshop Session 5

A **What the Prosecutor Needs to Win a Conviction in a Child Abuse Case, Part II** Nancy Lamb, JD & George Ryan
LE

B **Challenges in Integrating Faith into Secular Child Welfare Services** Oomen Mammen, MD & Marcia Sturdivant, PhD
CD

Faith can be an important but often unaddressed issue for Child Welfare organizers and providers. This workshop will focus on learning about faith in coping among consumers of services. A framework to integrating faith into secular services will be addressed and barriers to integrating faith will be described.

C **Child Neglect Investigations: An expanded role for the medical provider** Jordan Greenbaum, MD
M&N

This talk will emphasize the need for medical input in child neglect investigations, and describe the many ways medical providers can help in the evaluation of neglect. We will consider issues of child health and safety as they pertain to the various types of neglect, and discuss long-term outcomes of untreated neglect.

D **The Impact of Substance Abuse on Children: Special issues with Methamphetamine and Alcohol Part II** Robin Gurwitch, PhD & Penny Grant, MD
INST

E **Child Prostitution** Joe Canibano, *Sponsored by OJJDP and Fox Valley Technical Institute*
LE
This module will focus on the nature of the problem, the victim of child prostitution, the pimps who exploit them and the means by which they control. Investigative techniques will be provided to assist these investigations.

F **Mothers With Clinical Depression, Family Violence, and Child Maltreatment: An Effective Systemic Assessment, Treatment and Intervention Model** Lynn Zimmerman, MSW, MA & Arlene O'Connor, PsyD
MH

This presentation will describe the research showing the dynamics and interaction between family violence, child maltreatment and mothers with depression, emphasizing the co-occurring risk factors. Risk factors that the research has identified such as, individual personality and behavioral characteristics, parents-child attachment, parenting skills, family structure, environmental issues, and parental history of trauma will be examined.

G **Addressing Treatment Challenges With Maltreating Families: Issues, Responses, and Future Directions** Anna Edwards, MS & Kimberly Shipman, PhD
MH

This presentation will provide an overview of the challenges that arise in providing services to maltreating families and will present strategies that have helped to overcome these challenges. In particular, the following will be discussed (a) examining the larger culture and social context in which these families live, (b) assessing specific parental concerns/needs, (c) overcoming barriers of mistrust, (d) engaging family in development of a treatment plan, (e) addressing families' needs for multiple interventions, and (f) communicating with other organizations involved, such as Child Protective Services.

H **Beyond the Obvious: Unusual Manifestations of Child Abuse** Cindy Christian M.D.
M&N

Each year in the U.S., nearly 1 million children are known to be maltreated. Many of these cases involve physical and sexual abuse and are represented by common manifestations of inflicted injury. With an increase in awareness and knowledge regarding common manifestations of abuse, diagnosis of abuse is evident in many cases, but becomes more difficult when children present with unusual injuries or medical consequences of their abuse. This workshop will present examples of child maltreatment that represent challenging presentations.

I **Pornography, Sexual Abuse, and Child Custody Evaluations** Barry T. Hirsch, PhD
INT

This training workshop will look at the relationships among pornography and the risk assessment of deviant sexual behaviors as applied to a child custody case.

J **Research Presentations** TBA (Based on accepted admissions)
RES

K **Interviewing Children Who Have Witnessed Violent Crime** Sara Blahauvietz, MSSW & Julie Sova Ellefson, MPH
INV

Research suggests and practice supports, that there is essential information professionals must learn in order to effectively interview children who have witnessed violent crime, including domestic violence, assault, and homicide. Professionals attending this session will gain information on how to elicit necessary information in a manner that is in the best interest of children and is legally defensible.

L **Parental Alienation Syndrome** Judy L. Rambur, Psy.D
CLI

This presentation will provide an overview of what Parental Alienation Syndrome is, what are common family characteristics of PAS, how it may present in children in therapy, and court aspects of testifying with respect to PAS. Case examples will be provided to assist with help with understanding concepts and dynamics of PAS.

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Friday, June 17, 2005

1:45 PM-3:15 PM Workshop Session 6

A
CLI **Ethical and Legal Issues in Treating Traumatized Children and Their Families** Anthony Mannarino
Sponsored by NCTSN

B
CD **Challenges of Child Abuse and Neglect Interventions in Honduras** Speaker TBA *Sponsored by ISPCAN*

C
LE **National Amber Alert Program** Phil Keith, *Sponsored by OJJDP and Fox Valley Technical Institute*
This workshop will cover lessons learned from a national program to rapidly alert the public to child abductions and strategies for recovering missing and abducted children.

D
INST **The Impact of Substance Abuse on Children: Special Issues with Methamphetamine and Alcohol Part III**
Robin Gurwitch, PhD & Penny Grant, MD

E
LE **Investigation of Child Fatalities: The Medical Perspective Part I** Robert Reece, MD *Sponsored by OJJDP and Fox Valley Technical Institute*
This workshop will address the evaluation of cases of fatal child abuse and how to distinguish between accidental and inflicted injuries. The instructor will describe the basic anatomy of the various organ systems and the bio-mechanical nature of injuries to these organs. The significance of findings at autopsy of child victims of abuse and neglect will be explained.

F
MH **Current Treatment Approaches for Adolescent Sex Offenders** Barbara Bonner, PhD
This presentation will provide an overview of the most current research related to treatment of adolescent sex offenders and risks associated with this population. In addition, there will be discussion on recommended qualifications of treatment providers. Techniques for group treatment of adolescent sex offenders and their parents will be presented.

G
CD **Minority Religions** Walter Lambert, MD
Despite the diversity of religious beliefs in the United States, practitioners of religions with small numbers of members and out of the "mainstream" are misinterpreted or misunderstood by the society at large. This training will focus on the religious beliefs of some of these "minority religions" and their impact on child rearing and maltreatment issues. Christian Science, Jehovah's Witness, Afro-Caribbean religions (Santeria, Voodoo, etc.) and Hebrew Israelites beliefs will be discussed.

H
M&N **Sexually Transmitted Infections in Child Sexual Abuse: What We Know, What We Don't and What's New**
Lori Frasier MD
This workshop will focus on the current practice and knowledge regarding sexually transmitted infections in children who may be victims of sexual abuse. New technologies will be discussed as well as the use and limitations of current technologies in diagnosis of STIs.

I
INT **A Little Preparation Goes a Long Way: Empowering Children for the Medical Exam** Margaret McHugh, MD, MPH, Cathy Moraitis, LCSW-R
The interdisciplinary staff of a large city hospital's Child Protection & Development Center will discuss their developmentally based approach in evaluating children suspected of sexual abuse within a medical model setting. A pediatrician and a child development specialist will familiarize lecture participants with each of their techniques on how to age appropriately prepare children for the exam, provide coping methods, minimize anxiety, and use alternative techniques when faced with a variety of challenges. Participants will learn interventions that can be adapted to their particular setting while being culturally sensitive.

J
RES **Research Presentations** TBA (Based on accepted submissions)

K
INV **A Continuum of Child Sexual Abuse Investigation Protocols** Bart Trentham, PhD, Jaime Vogt, M.S.
This presentation will present an overview of the major protocols currently being utilized in the field. Special emphasis will be placed on understanding the limitations of each approach. Furthermore, strategies will be offered to help participants make informed, ethically responsible decisions regarding the use of a child sexual abuse investigation protocol.

L
INT **Recurring Reports of Child Maltreatment With No Resolution** Kathleen Faller, PhD
This presentation will address causes and case management strategies for situations where there are repeated reports, but no substantiation of child maltreatment. Research relevant to the possible reasons for these recurring reports will be cited. Illustrative case examples will be provided.

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Friday, June 17, 2005

3:45 PM-5:15 PM Workshop Session 7

A
CLI **Assessment and Course of PTSD in Preschool Children** Michael Scheeringa *Sponsored by NCTSN*

B
CD **Casos de la Vida Real: Sexual Abuse of Children in Puerto Rico and Latino youth in the United States (In English)** Caridad Moreno, PhD, Yolanda Bigio, RN, BSN & Toni Cardenas, LMSW
This presentation will review sexual abuse cases of children in Puerto Rico and Latino youth in the United States. Similarities and differences between the two groups will be examined within a cultural framework. Some of the variable to be addressed include: language, parental support and concerns, recantation, diagnosis, treatment and legal outcomes.

C
CPS **Domestic Violence 401, Batterers, and the Children Who Witness It** Mike Groetsch
The trainer will explore the epidemic nature of domestic violence in the United States and will present a batterer's typology relative to lethality. Also discussed, will be the significant impact that such violence has on children and proactive measures that professionals can take to prevent it.

D
INST **The Impact of Substance Abuse on Children: Special Issues With Methamphetamine and Alcohol, Part IV**
Robin Gurwitch, PhD & Penny Grant, MD

E
LE **Investigation of Child Fatalities: the Medical Perspective Part II** Robert Reece, MD *Sponsored by OJJDP and Fox Valley Technical Institute*

F
MH **The State of Children in the Aftermath of the Tsunami Disaster in Southern Thailand** Uthai Dulyakasem, PhD
Sponsored by ISPCAN

G
INT **Crisis Intervention with Families Following Disclosure of Sexual Abuse** Kim Campbell, ACSW, LCSW & Laura Green, MSW
In conjunction with local child protection services, Family Works provides an in-home crisis intervention and assessment program for families immediately following disclosure of abuse. The goal of the program is to reduce the need for placement of children outside the home. This is done by stabilizing families and immediately connecting them with appropriate therapeutic and other support services. This workshop will provide participants with an overview of this program, including: a review of the practice and research literature that form the basis of the program design and a discussion of the clinical framework and techniques used to accomplish the program's goals.

H
M&N **Medical Findings in Child Sexual Abuse: 2005 Evidence Based Practice** Lori Frasier, MD
This workshop will address the evidence based medical practice in sexual abuse exams in children and adolescents. Participants should have some knowledge and experience in this area as this is considered an intermediate to advanced workshop. Participants are encouraged to provide cases in advance of the conference in order to facilitate discussion.

I
LE **Remembering the "Kid" in "Kidnapping"** Jenni Thompson *Sponsored by OJJDP and Fox Valley Technical Institute*
This module will cover the leading causes of family abduction as well as the latest statistics and scope of family abductions vs. stranger abduction. Effects of family abduction on the child as well as child centered prevention methods, recovery and aftercare will also be addressed.

J
RES **Research Presentation** TBA (Based on accepted submissions)

K
INV **Look Past My Face: Does Race Influence a Forensic Interview Outcome?**
Carol Langendoen, BSW & Tomiko D. Mackey, MSW
This is a retrospective study that analyzed interview outcomes in cases of suspected child sexual abuse, and whether race and other factors influenced the forensic interview findings.

L
INT **Safety Vs. Risk: Doing an Accurate Assessment** Lawrence Thompson, Jr., Ph.D, Michael Schneider, J.D., Doris Thomas-Buckler
This workshop is a multidisciplinary undertaking geared toward highlighting the importance of collaboration between child protective service workers, legal representatives, and clinicians in addressing issues pertaining to the care of children and families.

Program

Saturday, June 18, 2005

8:30 AM-9:45 AM Workshop Session 8

A **Managing an Effective Public/Private Partnership** Elaine Stolte, BS
CAC The presentation will describe the unique organization of The Children's Assessment Center and how administratively partner agencies are represented via the Coordinating Council and Partner Council. A listing of all the 17 co-housed partner agencies and each of their roles along with their combined protocols on how they each work together effectively and efficiently will be discussed.

B **Drug Endangered Children – Methamphetamine and Its Effect on Children** Kathryn Wells, MD
INT This seminar will describe the medical effects of methamphetamine and then go on to describe the environments in which children in homes where methamphetamine is being manufactured live, finally offering some suggestions for positively impacting these children's lives. It will outline some of the current research into the critical problem of methamphetamine labs and will discuss the nationally developed protocols recommended for use in responding to children in these environments.

C **Assessing Parental Competency: "How Good Is Good Enough?"** Alyson McCain, PhD & Pamela Davis
MH Martin, PhD This training session will broadly cover issues of parenting related to child protection matters. Mental Health professionals are often consulted to provide recommendations and opinions about a broad range of issues in maltreatment cases varying from case planning all the way to termination of parental rights. Research based information provided in this workshop will give participants a framework for making case decisions by gaining a better understanding of parenting behavior and skills needed to effectively parent.

D **Basic Principles—Investigative Interviewing of Children Part I** Julie Kenniston, LSW *Sponsored by OJJDP
INV and Fox Valley Technical Institute* This course will address investigative techniques that maximize information from children in legally sound ways. Basic information gathering techniques will be presented for children of all ages.

E **The Rural Landscape: Resources for Traumatic Stress Responding** Beth Hundall Stamm & Philip Massad
INT *Sponsored by NCTSN*

F **Treatment of Psychopathology and Dysfunction in Young Child Victims: Comprehensive Evidence-based Outcomes from a Therapeutic Preschool Model** H. Jane Sites, LSW, Ed.D, Daniel Nelson, M.D. & Carol Huff,
MH Med., LPCC, CCDC-III Behavioral, developmental, and family functioning data on severely maltreated preschool children from 16 years of innovative early childhood research programs developed by Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center (CCHMC) will be presented. CCHMC has developed an intensive, integrated therapeutic preschool model, which uses cost neutral wraparound county agency funding. This training will review preventative treatment strategies for parents, teachers, and child care providers, as well as individualized interventions for maltreated preschoolers with behavioral, developmental, and family issues..

G **Imaging of Child Abuse** Wilbur Smith, MD
M&N This general lecture is appropriate for individuals with a general familiarity of child abuse but not necessarily in depth medical terminology or training. Radiology has been central in the understanding of the injuries of physical child abuse. This survey course describes the common skeletal, common visceral and head injuries encountered in abused children. This discussion will include some aspects of timing, appropriateness of studies and the investigator's approach to medical personnel in order to obtain maximum collaboration and invaluable information regarding both the diagnosis and understanding of the mechanics of injury.

H **Empirical Support for the Child-Parent Psychotherapy Model** Patricia Van Horn *Sponsored by NCTSN*INV

I **Challenges of Child Abuse and Neglect Interventions in Bolivia** Speaker TBA *Sponsored by ISPCAN*CD

J **The Our Kids Medical Evaluation: A Multidisciplinary Approach to Child Sexual Abuse, Part I**
INT Phyllis Thompson, MSW & Hollye Gallion, MSN This presentation will cover the Our Kids model, an interdisciplinary well-balanced approach between mental health and Medical histories and examinations in both the acute and non-acute settings.

Program

Saturday, June 18, 2005

10:00 AM-11:15 AM Workshop Session 9

A
CAC **Collaborative Divorce and Its Benefits to the Children of Divorce** Judge William Knight
This workshop will introduce Collaborative Divorce, a non-adversarial alternative for divorcing families which incorporates the expertise of professionals in the legal, financial, and mental health fields, to support the best interests of the children of divorce. It provides support as the family's relationships change, reduces conflict among the family members, and encourages and provides the family with constructive post-divorce coping skills.

B
CD **Challenges of Child Abuse and Neglect Interventions in Honduras** Speaker TBA *Sponsored by ISPCAN*

C
LE **Professional Responsibilities of Attorneys and Prosecutors Handling Child Abuse Cases**
Stacie LeBlanc J.D. MEd
Gain a better understanding of the professional responsibilities and obligations imposed on attorneys and prosecutors in dealing with cases involving allegations of child abuse. Many of the unique and difficult challenges faced by attorneys and the multi-disciplinary team involved in child abuse cases will be explored.

D
INV **Basic Principles—Investigative Interviewing of Children Part II** Julie Kenniston, LSW *Sponsored by OJJDP and Fox Valley Technical Institute*

E
LE **Internet Crimes Against Children, Part I** Brad Russ *Sponsored by OJJDP and Fox Valley Technical Institute*
This workshop will provide participants with an overview of the federal Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force initiative. Participants will be taken through a self-assessment process where they will evaluate for themselves if their agency is prepared to conduct both proactive and reactive investigations involving computer facilitated crimes against children.

F
MH **Co-morbidity of Childhood Sexual Abuse Trauma, Eating Disorders and Substance Abuse in Adolescent Females** Karen Duncan, MA, LMFT, LSW
This workshop will address the relationship between posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD), eating disorder (ED) and substance abuse (SA) in adult women which has been well documented through both research and clinical case studies. Childhood Sexual Abuse Trauma (CSAT) as an underlying cause of PTSD in adult women can provide a link to understanding the pathway CSAT has for female adolescents who are at risk for developing either eating disorder behavior or substance abuse behavior as a result of sexual trauma.

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M&N **Understanding Abusive Head Injury** Wilbur Smith, MD
This lecture is intended for advanced practitioners including physicians and nurses with some background in medical imaging and terminology. The content will include the role of imaging in diagnosing abusive head injury, timing of abusive head injury, using the appropriate imaging for clinical questions, and a discussion of hypoxic ischemic brain injury.

H
MH **Understanding Sex Offenders** Lawrence Thompson, Jr., PhD
This workshop will provide a basic overview of sex offenders. In this overview, attention will be given to the defensive functioning of sex offenders, the grooming process, common misconceptions about sex offenders, and the role of treatment in the management of sex offenders.

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INT **Managing Efforts to Spread Evidence-Based Practices Across Systems and Within Agencies**
Charles Wilson *Sponsored by NCTSN*

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INST **The Our Kids Medical Evaluation: A Multidisciplinary Approach to Child Sexual Abuse, Part II**
Phyllis Thompson, MSW & Hollye Gallion, MSN

Program

Saturday, June 18, 2005

11:30 PM –12:45 PM Workshop Session 10

A **Conflict Resolution** Carolyn Gilbert, BSW

CAC This workshop is designed for professionals from various disciplines who participate in a multidisciplinary team or provide leadership with groups. Participants will learn how to understand your own techniques in conflict situations, understand other conflict styles and roles for resolving conflict.

B **Connecting With Women of Color** Tonya Hunter, MSSW

CD The purpose of this workshop is to enlighten, enhance and educate participants about women of color, specifically African-American women. As the number of children of color receiving services increases it impacts the number of women of color receiving services. We will attempt to provide professionals with techniques and skills to assist in joining with women of color as they attempt to provide services.

C **Identifying Sexual Victimization in Children with Developmental Disabilities and PDD**

MH John Seacock, MS

Participants of this presentation will be educated on developmentally normative sexual behavior from childhood through adolescence with emphasis placed on the differences experienced with developmentally disabled/delayed children. Assessment procedures for identifying sexual victimization in children/adolescents with developmental disabilities and Pervasive Developmental Disorders will be outlined. This presentation is intended for an intermediate professional audience wishing to develop/enhance their current clinical skills in areas of sexual assault/victimization assessment and investigation.

D **Why The Child's Voice No Longer Counts: How To Combat Strategies Used To Discredit Children In and Out of Court** Betty Wade Coyle, MA & Richard Ducote, JD

LAW A number of movements have developed recently to protect those accused of abusing or neglecting children. A major focus of these groups has been to develop strategies to be used in and out of the courtroom that have had the effect of destroying the credibility of child victims, and thus, effectively muting the voice of children in court. In this workshop the latest strategies being used to discredit children will be identified and methods to defuse or combat the effectiveness of each approach will be addressed.

E **Internet Crimes Against Children, Part II** Brad Russ *Sponsored by OJJDP and Fox Valley Technical Institute*

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F **Introduction to the Expectations Test and Social Behavior Inventory with Child Abuse Populations**

MH Kevin Gully, PhD

This training seminar is designed to introduce participants to the Expectations Test and Social Behavior Inventory for use in the assessment of child abuse populations. The Expectations Test is a self-report measure of expectations for emotions, experiences, and efficacy in response to 16 ambiguous photographs for children 4-17 years of age. The Social Behavior Inventory is a 30-item checklist of interpersonal behavior that can be rated in less than 4-minutes by a parent or therapist for children 3-17 years of age.

G **Child-Parent Psychotherapy: Helping Young Children and Their Caregivers Recover from Interpersonal Trauma** Patricia Van Horn *Sponsored by NCTSN*

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H **Challenges of Child Abuse and Neglect Interventions in Bolivia** Speaker TBA *Sponsored by ISPCAN*

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I **Implementing Empirically Based Treatments for Traumatized Children in Community Settings: Processes for Treatment Dissemination Teams** Laura Murray *Sponsored by NCTSN*

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J **Giving a Voice to Abused and Neglected Children: A Discussion of the Issues and Challenges Faced Serving as a Guardian Ad Litem (GAL) Worker** J. Bryan Vonder Bruegge JD

INST

The session will be a frank and open discussion regarding ethical, professional and personal issues faced when accepting GAL appointments. The issues that may be discussed concern the ABA standards for attorney GALs, the use of CASA workers and other professionals as GALs, secondary trauma and various task and roles that are asked of GALs. The discussion will draw to close focusing on the duties and standards that GALs should be utilizing in their practices.

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