About the Colloquium

Welcome! The American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children is proud to bring you the 19th Annual APSAC Colloquium.

This year we offer 93 institutes and workshops which address all aspects of child maltreatment 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.

Seminars have been designed primarily for professionals in mental health, medicine and nursing, law, law enforcement, education, prevention, research, advocacy, child protection services, and allied fields.

The educational goal of APSAC’s Colloquium is to foster professional excellence in the field of child maltreatment by providing interdisciplinary professional education.

Upon completion of this activity, participants should be able to:

1) Identify physical abuse, sexual abuse and neglect in children
2) Treat abused and neglected children
3) Apply model examination techniques for assessment of abused/neglected children
4) Describe and utilize the most up-to-date information concerning working with abused and neglected children to improve patient care
5) Prepare and report quality testimony in court cases, both as experts and as witnesses

We look forward to seeing you in Philadelphia!

Colloquium Collaborators

- National Center on Missing and Exploited Children (NCMEC)
- Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP)
- Missing and Exploited Children’s Program (MECP)
- Fox Valley Technical College (FVTC)
- National Children’s Alliance (NCA)
- Philadelphia Children’s Alliance (PCA)
- Northeast Regional Children’s Advocacy Center (NRCAC)

Check the website (www.apsac.org) for information on discounted Philadelphia tours and activities - just for APSAC conference participants!

Center for Child Welfare Policy Special Awards Presentation

The Center for Child Welfare Policy
Distinguished Service in Public Child Welfare Administration Award and Pro Humanitatae Medal will be presented to Bryan H. Samuels, Commissioner, Administration on Children Youth and Families, US Department of Health and Human Services. This award is given to a person who has demonstrated an extended commitment to improving the lives of maltreated children and their families through public child welfare administration. Commissioner Samuels has spent his career formulating service delivery innovations and streamlining operations in large government organizations on behalf of children, youth, and families.

The Center for Child Welfare Policy A. Clayton Hughes Child Welfare Research Award and Pro Humanitatae Medal will be presented to Dr. Andrea Sedlak, Vice President and Associate Director at Westat, for "an extended body of work that exemplifies intellectual integrity and moral courage in transcending political and social barriers to promote best practice in child welfare practice and policy.” Dr. Sedlak is the primary researcher for the National Incidence Studies, II, III, and IV regarding child maltreatment.

An open forum for questions and comments by Pro Humanitatae winners will be held after the Thursday plenary session.

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Colloquium Events
Pre-Conference Advanced Training Institutes
(Additional fee required, see appropriate box on registration form)

Pre-Conference Cultural Institute
Cultural Institute sessions 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. (Additional fee required, see appropriate box on registration form)

Cultural Diversity Networking Session
(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)

Child Fatality Task Force Meeting
(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)

Center for Child Welfare Policy Awards Presentation
(Presentation during Thursday Plenary)

State Chapter Meeting
Join a discussion on how to build stronger relationships between APSAC and state chapters. (No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)

Welcome Reception/Poster Presentations
Poster presentations of research, practice, and program innovations will give you the opportunity to examine your colleagues’ recent work. (No additional fee, pre-registration is required – see appropriate box on registration form)

William Friedrich Memorial Lecture, Luncheon and Awards Ceremony
The William Friedrich Memorial Lecture honors the many contributions and memory of William Friedrich, researcher, teacher, clinician, and friend to professionals working in child abuse & neglect. (No additional fee, pre-registration is required – see appropriate box on registration form)

Schedule
July 12, Tuesday
5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Registration

July 13, Wednesday
Advanced Training Institutes
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Institute Sessions
8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Institute Sessions
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch (on your own)
1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Institute Sessions (continued)
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Child Fatality Task Force Meeting

Cultural Institute
7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Registration and Exhibits
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Cultural Institute Plenary
10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Cultural Workshop Sessions
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch (on your own)
1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Cultural Workshop Sessions
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Cultural Diversity Networking Session (no pre-registration required)

July 14, Thursday
APSAC Colloquium
7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Registration and Exhibits
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Plenary
9:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Workshop Sessions
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Friedrich Memorial Lecture, Luncheon & Awards Ceremony (pre-registration required)
2:15 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Workshop Sessions

July 15, Friday
APSAC Colloquium
7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Registration and Exhibits
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Plenary
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Friedrich Memorial Lecture, Luncheon & Awards Ceremony (pre-registration required)
2:15 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Workshop Sessions

July 16, Saturday
APSAC Colloquium
7:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Registration and Exhibits
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast
8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Workshop Sessions

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:
ADMIN = Administration
CD = Cultural Diversity
CP = Child Protection
INTD = Interdisciplinary
INTV = Interviewing
LAW = Law
MH = Mental Health
M&N = Medicine and Nursing
PREV = Prevention
Presentation Skills Level
(Beginning/Intermediate/Advance)

Be sure to join your colleagues at the Thursday evening Reception/Poster Session and the Friday Friedrich Memorial Lecture/Awards Luncheon – These events are included with the cost of your registration - please pre-register!
Pre-Conference Advanced Training Institutes

July 13, Wednesday

8:30 – 5:00

(12:00 – 1:30 Lunch - on your own)

1. A Case-Based Approach to Abusive Head Trauma (M&N)
This session will feature a case-based approach to abusive head trauma with presentation of several different complex cases. Topics covered will include the most current literature, clinical presentation, controversies and legal issues in abusive head trauma.

Laura Brennan, MD; Joanne Wood, MD

2. Expanding the Child Advocacy Center (CAC) Multi-Disciplinary Team (MTD) by Integrating Evidence-Supported Mental Health Interventions into Child Advocacy Center Service Delivery (INTD)
This session will provide a process to the participants to integrate mental health interventions into their CAC consistent with the new NCA standard. Components of the training will include: the characteristics of evidence supported mental health treatment and specific evidence supported trauma focused treatment interventions; the development of evidence based trauma focused treatment plans including standardized assessments commonly used for assessing trauma; evidence based case management and monitoring/tracking of cases; and finally, how to utilize the CAC MDT in this process.

Sandra Hewitt, PhD; Libby Ralston, PhD
*Support provided by the NCA and NRCAC*

3. Special Session on Legal/Law Enforcement Issues in Child Maltreatment (open to all disciplines) *
*Support provided by NCMEC*

Part I: Child Maltreatment - Making the Case: Hindsight is Always 100%!
This presentation will focus on many types of child maltreatment, from fatal neglect to cyber-enticement and everything in between. Using numerous case examples and results of appellate court rulings, participants will learn of investigative strategies and lessons learned in making the case against child abuse.

Sharon Cooper, MD

Part II: The Blending of Virtual Worlds and Augmented Reality: Kids @ Risk
Augmented Reality (AR) is a groundbreaking high-tech science that is on the verge of creating a technological explosion. The blending of AR and Virtual Worlds creates negative opportunities for technology to shape our society. This presentation will review these cutting-edge applications, and demonstrate how the use of this new technology creates potential dangers in our society, highlighting the opportunities for sexual predators to exploit others — particularly our children.

Lt. Joseph Rampolla

4. Special Session on Mental Health Treatment Models in Child Maltreatment

Part I: The Application of Parent Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT) for Traumatized Children (MH)
Recent research has suggested that PCIT may be a valuable intervention with young traumatized children. Because of the limited information about symptom presentation in young trauma victims, it is unclear if these changes occur because of a reduction in trauma-specific processes, a reduction in disruptive behavioral problems, strengthening the parent-child relationship (i.e., increased child security in the parent-child relationship), or some combination of all of these factors. This presentation will examine this assessment-driven treatment protocol and how this differs from the traditional treatment-driven protocol.

Anthony Urquiza, PhD

Part II – Trauma-Focused Cognitive-Behavioral Treatment (TF-CBT) for Traumatized Children and their Families (MH)
This institute will provide information about cognitive-behavioral therapy for traumatized children and their families, including strategies for intervening with both the children and their parents. Treatment procedures including stress management, psychoeducation, gradual exposure, cognitive processing, and parental interventions will be included.

Esther Deblinger, PhD

5:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Child Fatality Task Force Meeting
(no pre-registration is required)
Pre-Conference Cultural Institute

July 13, Wednesday

8:30 – 10:00

Cultural Institute Plenary
Understanding the Role of Culture in Resilience and Healing
Olga Trujillo is a survivor, who has undertaken a journey to understand the impact the violence has had on her life – from the domestic violence she witnessed as a child to the sexual violence she suffered as an adolescent and an adult. Her experience is inexplicably horrible but her survival is unbelievably hopeful. She details the results of her journey so far – and ties her resiliency to the people in her life that helped her, protected her and saved her life without ever realizing. Through her experience, she offers insight into the impact of culture in building resilience and healing when working with clients. Through an interactive format she offers participants an opportunity to explore how they can engage communities of color and culture to participate in building resilience in the lives around them.

Olga Trujillo, JD

10:30 – 12:00

Workshops 5 – 6

5. Minority Religions and Child Maltreatment
Despite the diversity of religious beliefs in the United States, practitioners of religions with small number 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.

Walter Lambert, MD

6. Research Presentations:

Fathers Supporting Success in Preschoolers Program
Anil Chacko, PhD

Adapting Triple P to Engage Fathers in Positive Parenting: How fathers can inform the process
Patricia Kohl, PhD; Halbert Sullivan, MSW

12:00 – 1:30 Lunch (on your own)

1:30 – 3:00

Workshops 7 – 8

7. Culturally Competent Treatment for Child Abuse Victims and Their Families
This workshop addresses the importance of cultural competent practice and engaging clients using a broadly defined cultural perspective.

Viola Vaughan-Eden, PhD; Brenda Mirabal, MD

8. Research Presentations:

Language Interpreting During the Forensic Interview: A social work investigation
Cornelia Wessels, PhD; Elmien Truter, MSW

What’s the Use of the Multi-type Maltreatment and Polyvictimization Concepts? International comparison of key issues, predictors, prevalence and the impact on wellbeing
Daryl Higgins, PhD; Rhys Price-Robertson

3:30 – 5:00

Workshops 9 – 10

9. Lost in the Translation: Managing the cultural aspects of child sexual abuse medical evaluation
This session reviews the strategies needed to correctly assess the impact of culture and language during child sexual abuse medical evaluations.

Margaret McHugh, MD; Ellen Datner, PsyD; Melissa Nieman, MSW

10. Breaking the Mold: Tailoring trauma-specific Cognitive Behavioral Treatment (CBT) to multicultural and extended families exposed to abuse
This training seminar will inform participants of engagement strategies and trauma treatment adaptations made for multicultural families whose cultural experiences and practices vary widely and for foster and kinship care families, who demonstrate different needs than traditional caregivers.

Vanessa Rodriguez, PhD; Komal Sharmapatel, PhD; Carole Campbell, PhD

5:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Cultural Diversity Networking Session (no pre-registration required)
APSAC’s 19th Annual Colloquium

July 14, Thursday
8:30 – 10:00

Welcome

Ron Hughes, PhD, APSAC Board President

Presentation of the Center for Child Welfare Policy Awards:

Distinguished Service in Public Child Welfare Administration Award and Pro Humanitatae Medal
Recipient: Bryan H. Samuels, MS

A. Clayton Hughes Child Welfare Research Award and Pro Humanitatae Medal
Recipient: Andrea Sedlak, PhD

An open forum for questions and comments by Pro Humanitatae winners will be held after the Thursday plenary session.

Plenary Session

“I thought he was my friend...” The Internet – A Molester’s Paradise
This session will help participants understand how child molesters use the internet to sexually exploit children, collect and trade child pornography and to seek online sexual contact with children. It will provide the knowledge that is needed for parents to not only oversee the computer use of their children, but also what steps they can take to help assure the safety of their children while surfing the internet.

Jim Holler

10:30 – 12:00

Workshops 11-20

11. Psychological Maltreatment: Definition and promising research findings (CP – Int.)
This workshop will provide in-depth training in the construct and present findings from an ongoing program of research regarding how services for parents and children address the psychological maltreatment experiences of participants.
Chuck Caputo, MPS; Mel Schneiderman, PhD

12. TBA

This presentation will provide a history of both domestic violence fatality review and child fatality review. A mock review of a joint case will be conducted.
Tricia Gardner, JD; Susan Schmidt, PhD

This session will serve as an introduction to the medical issues in child physical abuse.
Lori Frasier, MD; Vincent Palusci, MD

As the United States becomes increasingly multicultural, religious rites and cultural practices can be reported to state abuse hotlines as suspicious for child maltreatment. This workshop uses case presentations to explore the interaction between these factors.
Walter Lambert, MD

16. Using Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT) Skills to Address Sexual Behavior Problems in Children
This session will provide an overview of cognitive behavioral therapy skills effective for addressing sexual behavior problems in children receiving treatment (e.g., TF-CBT, PCIT). Case examples will emphasize teaching caregivers how to respond to children's sexualized behaviors.
Monica Fitzgerald, PhD

17. The Unspoken Crimes: Effectively investigating the sexual assaults of children (LAW – Intermediate)
This presentation will benefit the inexperienced individual who has the profound duty of investigating the sexual assaults of children.
Robert McGraw, BCJ

This workshop will discuss the use of developmentally appropriate games to enhance individual and group psychotherapy for victims of child sexual abuse.
Craig Springer, PhD; Justin Misurell, PhD

This workshop will help to make a difference in the lives of children, families and communities by making the link between identifying drug endangered children and the prevention of child maltreatment.
Lori Moriarty
20. Research Presentations:

A Pilot Study Comparing Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy to Trauma-Focused Integrated Play Therapy
Georgianna Achilles, PhD; Sarah Krueger, MA

Preparedness of MFT Trainees to Work with Child Sexual Abuse
Vasavi Charathram; Colleen Friend, PhD

Findings for Statewide Dissemination Programs Using Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT) with Children and Adolescents
Benjamin Sigel, PhD; Adam Benton, PhD

12:00 – 1:30   Lunch (on your own)

1:30 – 3:00 p.m.
Workshops 21-30

This workshop will teach participants about the prevalence of child abuse (primarily sexual) in children under 5 and the challenges of interviewing this group.
Jackie Block-Goldstein, MSW

22. TBA

23. Ethical Considerations in Child Abuse and Neglect Cases (CP – Intermediate)
This presentation will provide case examples of ethical dilemmas that arise in the field of child abuse and neglect and provide multidisciplinary insight on how to deal with them in a professional and appropriate manner.
Tricia Gardner, JD; Elissa Brown, PhD; Ron Hughes, PhD; Susan Samuel, BS

24. Introduction to Medical Issues in Child Sexual Abuse (INTD – Beginning)
This session will serve as an introduction to the medical issues in child sexual abuse and will review basic concepts in the medical diagnosis of injuries and sexually transmitted infections related to maltreatment, including prepubertal female and male genital findings, anal findings and STDs.
Vincent Palusci, MD; Lori Frasier, MD

This workshop will review the current state of the art research and literature regarding shaken baby syndrome/abusive head injury.
Brian Forbes, MD; Gil Binenbaum, MD; Alex Levin, MD

This seminar will describe fundamental concepts and detail empirically supported relationships between characteristics (demographic, psychological) of caregivers accused of child maltreatment, assessment procedures (PCEs), and clinician recommendations.
Alicia Meyer, PhD; Carole Campbell, PhD

27. How to Prove the ‘Whodunit’ in Child Abuse Cases (LAW – Beginning)
Lessons learned from handling dozens of child abuse and child murder cases over 25 years, which will lead to complete and successful investigations.
Robert Parrish, JD

This presentation will provide a conceptual overview and real-time demonstration of a web based PCIT training program with traumatized children.
Anthony Urquiza, PhD; Susan Timmer, PhD; Chinh Pham, BA

29. How to Screen Adoptive and Foster Parents (CP – Intermediate)
Key to selecting good adoptive and foster parents is to do a thorough and professional screening. The presenters have just authored How to Screen Adoptive and Foster Parents, published by NASW Press. Major ideas from the book will be presented.
Daniel Pollack, JD; Mardi Allen, PsyD; James Dickerson, BA
30. Research Presentations:

30.1. Perceived Need for Extended Assessments in cases where Child Maltreatment is a Concern  
*Kathleen Faller, PhD*

30.2. Defining the Need for More Training on the Reporting of Suspected child Abuse and Neglect  
*Kathryn Krase, PhD; Jillian Consovoy, BSW*

30.3. Six-Month Outcomes from Computer-Based Supplementation to Enhance Maltreatment Prevention in Early Home Visitation  
*Steven Ondersma, PhD; Joanne Martin, Beverly Fortson, PhD*

3:30 – 5:00 p.m.  
Workshops 31 – 40

31. Are We Overmedicating the Children in Our Care? Issues and Alternatives (CP – Intermediate)  
This training seminar will review our existing knowledge base on the use of psychotropics for children compared with actual clinical practice.  
*Janet Cahill, PhD*

32. Sexting Cases: Effective prevention and intervention (INTD – Intermediate)  
A comprehensive review of what sexting is, who is committing it, why teens are engaging in it, and what the legal consequences could be if prosecuted.  
*Mathias Heck, JD*

33. The Importance of Developmental Assessment in the Medical Evaluation of Child Sexual Abuse (M&N – Intermediate)  
This session reviews the special techniques needed for the medical assessment of child sexual abuse among developmentally delayed children and adolescent parents.  
*Lori Legano, MD; Ellen Dattner, PsyD; Gloria Mattera, MEd*

34. Help! I’m drowning in hormones: Strategies for forensic interviews with adolescents (INTD– Intermediate)  
Research provides insight into the impact of brain development and hormones on adolescent behavior, emotions and decision-making. Combining these basic principles with practical experience yields a practical framework for meeting adolescents’ needs while gathering details in a respectful manner.  
*Miriam Maples, MEd*

35. What Good Folks Need to Know about Bad Guys: How to utilize the thoughts of child sex offenders (INTD – Intermediate)  
The FBI asserts that “human behavior is consistent” and that premise can drive child sexual abuse investigations. In this workshop, four child sex offenders will validate the FBI’s assertion. Their words, captured in a written confession and on audio and video recording, will serve as the foundation for participants to formulate successful investigation strategies.  
*Susie Samuel, BS*

36. So you want to do best practice: A poor agency’s guide to implementing ESTs for abused children (MH – Intermediate)  
Agencies and practitioners who understand the value of using Evidence Supported Treatments often encounter challenges to learning and implementing them due to lack of resources. This workshop will present an approach that poor agencies can use to implement ESTs.  
*Ben Saunders, PhD*

37. The Collaborative Approach to Child Death Investigations: A medical perspective (LAW – Beginning)  
This session will familiarize participants with child fatalities, how they are under-reported, what the common medical findings are in child maltreatment fatalities and how to work collaboratively with medical providers during child fatality investigations.  
*Deanna St. Germain, DO*

38. Role Reversal Mock Trial – Abusive Head Trauma (M&N – Intermediate)  
In this brief mock trial, the doctors will play the role of prosecutor and defense attorney while the attorney will play the role of expert witness in an abusive head trauma case.  
*Robert Parrish, JD; Lori Frasier, MD; Vincent Palusci, MD*

This session will discuss how Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT) is used in clinical practice.  
*Anthony Urquiza, PhD*
40. Research Presentations:
The Effects of Parental PTSD on Parenting Style and Propensity for Child Abuse
Jamie Howard, PhD

Are Outcomes for First-Time Mothers Comparable to Multiparous Mothers: An exploration of the findings from ten years of Healthy Families Virginia home visiting programs
Lee Huntington, PhD; Joseph Galano, PhD

An Online Comment Content Analysis of Attitudes and Ideologies Linked With Approval of Corporal Punishment
Catherine Taylor, PhD

5:00 – 6:00
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5:00 – 6:30
Welcome Reception & Poster Sessions (pre-registration required)
*Support provided by the National Children's Alliance and Philadelphia Children's Alliance*

Poster Sessions:
Maternal Factors Predicting Elevation of the Child Abuse Potential Inventory
Megan Banet, MA; Pam Connor, PhD

Examining Relation between Witnessed Community Violence, Family Cohesion, and Delinquency in a National Sample of Adolescents
Simone Barr, PhD; Rochelle Hanson, PhD; Angela Begle, PhD

Human Trafficking Service Providers: What they provide and how the work affects them
Patricia Batchelor; Alison Tebbett, BA; Komal Sharma-Patel, PhD; Elissa Brown, PhD

Overcoming Trauma: The recovery process from childhood sexual abuse
Bonnie Bazil-Davis, BA

Engaging Child Welfare Interns in Policy Practice
Michele Belliveau, PhD; Rachel Miller, BSW

“I lost all principles, all morals.” A case study analysis of the personal documents of a sexually abused adolescent through the feminist lens of Gilligan’s moral development theory
Rosemary Caolo, PhD

Long Term Child Welfare Workers: Suggestions for leadership and supervision
Jennifer Clements, PhD; Christina Chiarelli-Helminiak, MSW

The Evolution of Peer Review
Beverly Cotton, APN; Lisa Dupree, MSW

Cognitive Effects of Childhood Physical Abuse in Adulthood and Old Age
Sandra Donnay, MA; Daniela Jopp, PhD; Marina Schmitt, PhD

The Relationship between Sexual Behavior Problems and Social Skill Deficits among Child Sexual Abuse Victims
Eugene Dunaev, MEd; Craig Springer, PhD

Development of a Theory-Informed Bibliotherapeutic Library
Mary Katherine Duncan, PhD

Condition of Detention in Pakistan: Separation of adults and minors
Shah Faisal, BA

The Geography of Drug Market Activities and Child Maltreatment
Bridget Freisthier, PhD; Nancy Williams, MSW

Childhood Experiences of Incarcerated Male Child Sexual Abusers
Linda Garrett, PhD

Systems of Care: Bridging the gap between prevention and intervention services
Aracelis Gray; Sharon McKinley, MSW

Unintended Pregnancy as a Risk-Factor for Child Maltreatment
Kai Guterman, MSW

Committed to Prevention and Response: The second edition of defining the Children’s Hospital role in child maltreatment
Nancy Hanson, BA

Achieving Best Practices in Multidisciplinary Consultation in Child Protection
Marina Lalayants, PhD

Trauma as a Force Impacting Abused Children and Their Families
Marti Loring, LCSW

The Trauma Resilience Scale for Children: A new measure for research and clinical practice
Machelle Madsen, PhD

What Was I Thinking? A Framework for Ongoing Improvement of Forensic Interviewing
Miriam Maples, MEd

A Case Study of Childhood Incest in an Older Order Amish Family
William McGuigan, PhD; Sarah Stephenson, BS

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The Benefits of a Universal Definition of Sexual Assault: Using comparative analysis to work toward inclusion  
David McLeod, MSW

The Role of Family Structure in the Symptomatology of Children Who Have Been Sexually Abused  
Michelle Miller, BA; Craig Springer, PhD; Justin Misurell, PhD

Interagency Child Abuse Investigation Summit: One child protection team’s approach to education of the multidisciplinary team  
Rebecca Moles, MD

Providing Culturally Sensitive Services to Latino Families Who Are Survivors of Sexual Abuse  
Ana Nuñez, PsyD; Ana Correa, MSW

Timing and Influence of Child Maltreatment on Educational Well-Being  
Staci Periman, PhD; John Fantuzzo, PhD; Erica Dobbins, BS

Understanding Child Maltreatment Prevention through a Complex Systems Science Lens: The development of an agent-based model  
Richard Puddy, PhD; Xiaolin Hu, LCSW

The Knowledge of Parents in the Military Regarding Child Sexual Abuse  
Adrie Roux, Henliette Holm, MSW

What Makes Some Home Visitors Excel at their Work? A Study of Outstanding Home Visitors from Preventive, Birth-3 Programs  
Jaylene Schaefer, PhD

Comprehensive Treatment for the Co-occurring Problem of Parental Substance Abuse and Child Maltreatment: Preliminary outcomes from the Building Stronger Families program  
Cindy Schaeffer, PhD; Cynthia Cupit Swenson, PhD; Elena Tuerk, PhD

Sexting 101  
Kris Taylor, MSW

The Differing Influences of Peer versus Familial Relations on Emotional Dysregulation in Maltreated Children and Adolescents  
Kavita Tahilani, BS; Komal Sharma-Patel, PhD; Elissa Brown, PhD

Families in Transition: A parenting program for families at risk of child maltreatment  
Nicole Tomasello, MSW

A Brief Introduction to the Bilingual Integrative Treatment Program  
Aileen Torres, PhD; Carol Quintana, MA

Evaluating Child Safety Outcomes for TFT’s Positive Parenting Program  
Kristen Woodruff, MSW; Patricia Cronin, MSW; Kantahyanee Murray, PhD

July 15, Friday

8:00 – 9:00

Plenary Session

Forensic Interviewing: Issues and controversies  
Forensic interviewing in child maltreatment is a fast evolving area of practice. Divergent opinions and controversies regarding research implications, practice methods, training approaches and the development of policy affecting practice are a natural part of our increasingly sophisticated approaches to fact finding, case planning, and service delivery in this important area of child protective services. Please join us as a panel of national experts discusses these important issues affecting forensic interviewing in child maltreatment.

Mark Everson, PhD; Linda Cordisco Steele, ME; Tom Lyons, PhD; Victor Vieth, PhD; Kathleen Faller, PhD; Erna Olafson, PhD; Patti Toth, JD

9:15 – 10:45 a.m.

Workshops 41-50

41. Misunderstood Behaviors of Childhood (INTD– Intermediate)  
Normal behaviors in childhood that are often interpreted by parents as problems will be explored. Unexpectedly, many of these are advantages even if misunderstood by parents differently.

Randell Alexander, MD

42. A Strategy for Inquiring About Children’s Maltreatment and Endangerment Experiences (CP– Intermediate)  
This presentation will apply research and practice knowledge from interviewing children about sexual abuse to other types of maltreatment and children’s’ endangerment experiences.

Kathleen Faller, PhD

43. Crisis Debriefing Following Child Fatality: The Restoring Resiliency Response Model (CP – Intermediate)  
Child protective services (CPS) staff must be supported following child fatalities and workplace trauma. The Restoring Resiliency Response (RRR) is a debriefing model, utilized by emotional expression and cognitive restructuring.

Mary Pulido, PhD
44. Making Prevention Part of Your Practice: Evidence and Guidelines for Preventing Child Maltreatment (INTD – Intermediate)

This session, hosted by members of the APSAC Prevention Taskforce, will review current evidence and best practices in the child maltreatment prevention field and discuss APSAC guidelines to assist professionals in integrating prevention into their work.

Vincent Palusci, MD; Sandra Alexander, MEd; Howard Dubowitz, MD; Deborah Daro, PhD; Mike Haney, PhD; Carol Plummer, PhD

45. Developmentally Sensitive Applications of Trauma Focused-Cognitive Behavioral Treatment (MH – Intermediate)

Clinicians will leave this workshop with a host of developmentally sensitive strategies aimed at making TF-CBT more accessible to children and families.

Paris Goodyear-Brown, LCSW

46. Medical Child Abuse, Redefining Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy (INTD – Intermediate)

Cases will highlight how the change in terminology has altered the response of CPS, LE, and legal system to ensure the safety of victims.

Lisa Markman, MD

47. Ethics of Case Reports: Avoidance of adverse events and consequences to participants (MH – Intermediate)

Following the publication of a case report in which Nicole (Taus) Kluemper experienced recall of childhood sexual abuse, her identity was uncovered, and aspects of her life investigated. The case report and its effects of the intrusion upon Nicole’s life will be discussed.

David Corwin, MD; Nicole Kluemper, MS; Jon Conte, PhD

48. Developmentally Sensitive Interviewing (INTD – Intermediate)

This presentation will provide information on children’s use of language as preschoolers and as school-aged children. By understanding children’s abilities to communicate, a forensic interview can be linguistically sensitive to the child’s needs and conducted in a legally sound manner.

Julie Kenniston, LSW; Ron Laney

*Support provided by OJJDP/MECP*

49. Children’s Advocacy Center’s Safety Assessment (CP – Intermediate)

This workshop will provide CAC staff with guidelines on how to implement effective preventive measures and response plans that will greatly increase the safety of valued staff and children as well as protect business owners from liability.

Jim Holler

50. Research Presentations:

Medical Care for Foster Youth: Barriers to receipt of care for youth in home and group placements

Wendy Lane, MD; Michele Burnette, RN; Karen Powell, LCSW

Dismantling Placement Instability Step-by-Step: The Philadelphia Case

Robin Mekonnen, MSW

Recommendation for Removal: Are we biased and at what cost?

Melissa Merrick, PhD; Jason Jent, PhD; Cyd Eaton, BA

11:00 – 12:30
Workshops 51-60

51. “I want to use evidence-based practices, but it seems everything is evidence-based.” Understanding the Research and the Exaggerations (MH – Beginning)

This presentation will assist clinicians in developing the skills to critique and examine claims that an intervention is “evidence-based.”

Brian Allen, PsyD


This session offers a practical model of pediatric primary care for addressing major risk factors for child maltreatment, such as parental depression.

Howard Dubowitz, MD; Wendy Lane, MD


Case discussion around the empiric work contained in the studies conducted by researchers of the John Jay College of Criminal Justice under the supervision of the National Review Board (the board empanelled to advise church leaders of which the author was a member and former chair of the research committee).

Angelo Giardino, MD; Karen Terry, PhD

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The continuum of disclosure and the self-titration of a child’s dose of trauma content are processes that will be highlighted through a host of clinical examples and immediately usable applications.
Paris Goodyear-Brown, LCSW

55. The Juvenile Victimization Questionnaire: A comprehensive approach to assessing victimization from the National Survey of Children’s Exposure to Violence (CP – Intermediate)
Participants will learn how to enhance clinical practice, program evaluations, needs assessments, and research through comprehensive victimization assessment, using the nationally-normed Juvenile Victimization Questionnaire.
Sherry Hamby, PhD; Heather Turner, PhD; David Finkelhor, PhD

56. Rural Child Death Investigations (Law – Intermediate)
This workshop will address the duties of the first responding police officer and will address investigative techniques to help determine whether the child’s death was natural, accidental, suicidal, or homicidal.
Jim Holler

Pennsylvania is the only state housing a Prevent Child: Abuse America chapter within the American Academy of Pediatrics chapter. With an emphasis on community based prevention, we are establishing a model for national partnership between pediatrics and child abuse prevention.
Teresa Olsen, MEd; Maria McColgan, MD

58. Identifying Abuse and neglect in children whose Families are Affected by Chemical Dependence (INTD – Advanced)
This presentation is designed to provide interdisciplinary professionals, parents and caregivers working with children on the symptomology of child abuse and neglect that correlates with various illicit and legally abused chemical substances.
John Seasock, PsyD

Domestic Violence or Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) allegations can be difficult to handle due to the very nature of the offenses that occur. This presentation will highlight some techniques that can be used in forensic interviews of children where IPV is the allegation.
Julie Kenniston, LSW; Ron Laney
*Support provided by OJJDP/MECP*

60. Research Presentation:
Child Neglect: A test of a social information processing model of etiology
Sandra Azar, PhD; Robin McKonnen, MSW; Michael Stevenson

Criminal Investigation in Child Protective Services Cases
Ted Cross, PhD; Jesse Helton, PhD

Fatal Child Neglect: A 22-year examination
Ginger Welch, PhD; Barbara Bonner, PhD; Melanie Nelson, PhD

12:30 – 2:00
William Friedrich Memorial Lecture, Luncheon and Awards Ceremony (pre-registration required)

2:15 – 3:45
Workshops 61 – 69

61. Shifting Mindsets through a Learning Lab: A systems dynamic approach to child maltreatment prevention (PREV – Intermediate)
This workshop will describe systems dynamics thinking and CDCs Knowledge to Action Child Maltreatment Consortium’s application of this approach to child maltreatment prevention.
Sandra Alexander, MEd; Richard Puddy, PhD

62. Formulating and Documenting a Defensible Medical Diagnosis of Child Sexual Abuse (M&N – Intermediate)
The medical diagnosis in suspected child sexual abuse cases requires an understanding of the essential components necessary to construct a defensible diagnosis. This workshop will dissect those components so participants develop the skills necessary to formulate a diagnosis of CSA.
Martin Finkel, DO
63. TBA

64. Interviewing Protocols: Can’t we all get along (INTD – Intermediate)
This session will enable attendees to choose intelligently among different interviewing approaches so as to maximize the accuracy and completeness of children’s reports.
Tom Lyons, PhD

65. Real Treatment with Real Kids – From Revelation to Reactive Behavior (MH – Intermediate)
This upbeat workshop offers creative TF-CBT treatment ideas, using interventions which actively confront maladaptive beliefs, foster resilience, and teach prevention skills for sexual abuse victims.
Tamara Hillard, LCSW

66. Lumps, Bumps, Bruises and Burns: The assessment of cutaneous injuries (CP – Beginning)
This session discusses differentiating accidental from non-accidental injuries of the skin including mechanism of injury and medical conditions mistaken for abuse, identifies investigative pitfalls and emphasizes the importance of coordinated interdisciplinary evaluations in the assessment of these potentially high-risk cases.
Michele Lorand, MD

67. So You Have Been Subpoenaed: Making what could be the clinician’s worst nightmare into the defense counsel’s worst reality - Preparing and Presenting Expert Testimony in Child Sexual Abuse Trials (INTD-Intermediate)
This is a hands-on workshop for clinicians and attorneys regarding the use and misuse of the Child Sexual Abuse Accommodation Syndrome (CSAAS) in the courtroom.
Paul Stern, JD; Stefan Perkowski, MSW; Stacy Essex, MSW

68. Brief Psychosocial Treatment of Child Abuse (INTD-Intermediate)
Effective interventions for the causes and effects of child abuse are based on well established principles and involve teaching children and parents’ new skills. This presentation will illustrate an approach that involves synthesizing the principles and skills into an individualized treatment package that can be delivered efficiently within public mental health and child welfare.
David Kolko, PhD; Lucy Berliner, MSW

69. Child Forensic Interviews: Differences, debates and best practices (INTD – Intermediate)
This workshop will review research-based best practices in forensic interviewing, and describe similarities and differences between the NICHD and RATAC protocols. Current debates will also be discussed, including the use of dogs in forensic interviews, and the efficacy of instructions, interviewer credentialing/certification, promises to tell the truth, and anatomical dolls and drawings.
Patti Toth, JD; Ron Laney
*Support provided by OJJDP/MECP*

4:00 – 5:30 p.m.
Workshops 70 – 77

70. Biomechanics for Investigators: A primer (LAW – Intermediate)
Attendees will learn the biomechanical principles underlying several types of abusive trauma, including bruises, abusive head trauma, burns, abdominal trauma, and fractures in order to better distinguish between true and false histories.
Michelle Clayton, MD

71. Can a Forensic Interview be Evidence-Based? (INTD – Intermediate)
A forensic interview to elicit the child’s unique information should be developmentally sensitive and legally sound, utilizing research and practice-informed techniques. Given the multiple streams of influence, can a forensic interview of a child be evidence-based?
Linda Cordisco Steele, MEd

This workshop is aimed at helping professionals from all disciplines understand, support, and guide non-offending caregivers in a mutually productive manner.
Viola Vaughan-Eden, PhD

73. Is There a Shaken Baby Syndrome? (INTD – Intermediate)
This presentation will help participants understand the evidence for, and challenges to, the medical diagnosis of shaken baby syndrome. It will offer recommendations about the reasonable application of differential diagnostic testing, and information about recent legal and medical challenges.
Mark Feingold, MD
74. Preparing to Defend Your Child Interview in Court (INTD – Intermediate)
Since no interview is perfect, and since there is no single agreed upon way to interview a child, even the most skilled child interviews can be subject to attack. This workshop will present ideas for how prosecutors and interviewers can go about evaluating child forensic interviews to identify and neutralize possible weaknesses the defense might criticize, regardless of the interview approach being utilized.

Patti Toth, JD; Ron Laney
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75. Advanced Trauma Interventions for Adolescents with Co-Occurring Mental Health Disorders (MH – Advanced)
Adolescents with active mental health difficulties often provide multiple challenges even to the most experienced therapists. This presentation will educate its participants on the provision of integrated mental health/trauma interventions.

John Seasock, PsyD

76. Understanding Commercial Sexual Exploitation and the Complexities of Developing Community Responses to Domestically Trafficked Youth (INTD – Intermediate)
The workshop examines the experiences of prostituted teens in the US, youth at risk for Commercial Sexual Exploitation (CSE), the complexities of developing community responses to domestically trafficked youth, and recommendations for coordinated practice and policy community response.

Linda Williams, PhD

77. Case Studies in Evidence-Based Practice: Trauma-Focused Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy (MH-Intermediate)
This session will discuss how Trauma-Focused Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT) is used in clinical practice. A discussion by one of the developers of TF-CBT will examine how these cases demonstrate the ability of clinicians to utilize a research-based intervention in practice.

Esther Deblinger, PhD

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July 16, Saturday
8:30 – 10:00 a.m.
Workshops 78 – 85

Cases of child abuse and neglect offer many challenges to the providers, social workers and investigators involved. This workshop goes beyond the workup of cases and discusses cases that provided an extra challenge in evaluation and management to the multidisciplinary team.

Leena Dev, MD; Ife Ford, MSW

79. Control Phone Calls: Their use in child sexual abuse investigations - why clinicians need to be involved (LAW – Intermediate)
Control phone calls are an invaluable investigative and clinical tool leading to arrests, convictions and saves victims the stress of testifying in child sexual abuse cases. Learn how the collaborative efforts of law enforcement and mental health achieve this.

Stacy Essex, MSW; Stefan Perkowski, MSW; Christine Borowski

80. Child Abuse Radiology (INTD – Intermediate)
The purpose of this presentation is to discuss the types of fractures and patterns of skeletal injury which when present in infants and children should raise suspicion for non-accidental trauma.

Tanya Hinds, MD; Eglal Shalaby-Rana, MD

81. Modification of an Evidence-Based Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Model for Implementation with an Urban Youth in Foster Care (MH – Intermediate)
This workshop identifies specific strategies utilized to modify an evidence-based trauma-focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy model with an urban youth in foster care.

Xanthia Johnson, LPC

82. The Medical Aspects of Childhood Sexual Abuse (INTD – Intermediate)
This seminar will focus on the importance of the history in making determinations regarding sexual abuse and purpose of the physical examination. Also, why the physical examination is performed, why examinations are often negative, and what constitutes positive exam findings.

Bethany Mohr, MD
83. Disabilities and Abuse: What’s it like to be me? (CP - Beginning)
Individuals with disabilities are more likely to be abused than their “typical” peers. Understanding the issues involved, finding resolution, and acknowledging the barriers that exist are all part of this interactive presentation.
Diana Morris-Smaglik, BA; Diane Smulligan, AA

84. Screening and Treatment of Sexually Abused Foster Children Using Evidence-Based Approaches (MH - Beginning)
This training session will present a transactional model for understanding the impact of sexual abuse and placement on children in the foster care system.
Jeffrey Wherry, PhD

85. Inua Ubuntu: A community response to disproportionality rates of African American male children in child welfare (INTD-Intermediate)
This workshop will examine an innovative project, Inua Ubuntu (to lift up: I am, because we are) aimed at reducing disproportionality rates for African American male children served in Allegheny County (Pittsburg, PA) Office of Children, Youth and Families.
Marcia Sturdivant, PhD

10:30 – 12:00
Workshops 86-93

86. Disseminating Trauma-Specific Cognitive Behavioral Therapy in Child Advocacy Centers (CACs): Characteristics of children treated, preliminary outcomes, and modifications for CACs (MH – Intermediate)
This seminar will describe the implementation of TS-CBT in an effectiveness study with children and caregivers seen at a hospital-based CAC.
Carole Campbell, PhD; Erinn Portnoy, LCSW; Elissa Brown, PhD

87. Munchausen Syndrome by Proxy: What’s in a name? (INTD – Beginning)
By utilizing AAP guidelines, this seminar is designed to help professionals diagnose child abuse in the medical setting, outline strategies for treatment, and offer ways to enlist community partners to ensure children are protected.
Debra Esernio-Jenssen, MD; Nancy Harper, MD

88. Challenging Cases in Child Abuse - Part II (INTD – Intermediate)
Leena Dev, MD; Ife Ford, MSW

89. Navigating the Waters: Implementing a statewide nursing model of forensic medical care within Children’s Advocacy Centers (INTD – Intermediate)
Advanced Practice Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners (SANEs) are important resources to address the lack of physician child sexual abuse expertise in many communities. The MA SANE Program will share its successful model, challenges faced and strategies to overcome such challenges.
Joan Meunier-Sham, RN

90. The Non-Medical Provider Role in Cases of Sexually Transmitted Infections in Children and Adolescents (CP - Advanced)
Sexually Transmitted Infections (STI) occur infrequently in sexual assault cases, however the diagnosis of an STI adds complexity to the multi-disciplinary investigation. This workshop will educate non-medical providers about their role in sexual assault cases when an STI is present.
Cynthia Moore, APN

A professionally trained courthouse dog can provide incomparable emotional support for an abused child during stressful proceedings. Learn how to choose the right dog for your facility and how to successfully integrate the dog into your programs.
Ellen O’Neill-Stephens, JD; Celeste Walsen, DVM

92. Investigative Interviews with Special Needs Children (INTD – Advanced)
This workshop is designed to enhance and challenge professionals who currently provide investigative interviews by focusing on interviews with special needs children who have the most difficulty communicating but who most are also at risk for abuse.
Kerry Todd, MSW

93. The ABCs of Supporting the Non-Offending Caregiver: Anger, betrayal and compliance-complex reactions require complex responses (MH – Intermediate)
This workshop will discuss important considerations for constructing a victim advocacy program for the NOC, including administration, required skills for the advocate and how this position is to interact with other members of a multi-disciplinary team.
Joddie Walker, MS
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You may register online at www.apsac.org. Registration will be confirmed by email only.

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APSCA is offering a limited number of volunteer scholarships with preference being given to students and entry-level or low income professionals in the field of child maltreatment. Volunteer assistance is needed July 12-16, 2011 on-site at the Philadelphia Marriott. Volunteer tasks include: 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 apsaccolloquium@charter.net.

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About APSAC

The American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children is the leading national organization supporting professionals who serve children and families affected by child maltreatment and violence. As a multidisciplinary group of professions, APSAC achieves its mission in a number of ways, most notably through expert training and educational activities, policy leadership and collaboration, and consultation that emphasizes theoretically sound, evidence-based principles.

Our Vision: APSAC envisions a world where all maltreated or at-risk children and their families have access to the highest level of professional commitment and service.

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APSAC 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 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 APSAC by registering for APSAC’s 19th Annual Colloquium AT THE NON–MEMBER RATE which will make you a member through December 2011. During this time you will have access to APSAC’s member benefits including the APSAC Advisor and Child Maltreatment Journal. At the end of 2011 you will be sent an invoice electronically asking you to renew for 2012. You may call the national office at (630) 941-1235 for assistance or further explanation.

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