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The 20th Annual Colloquium

CELEBRATING

APSAC's 25th Anniversary

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"...fostering professional excellence in the field of child maltreatment by providing interdisciplinary professional education"



Welcome! The American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children is returning home to celebrate our 25th Anniversary in the city and state that gave birth to our organization: Chicago, Illinois.

In 1987, a visionary group of professionals wondered what might be possible if they developed a multidisciplinary membership organization supporting those working to end child abuse. Over the next 25 years an involved and committed membership provided the answer: the development of an organization unique in its capacity to provide education, training, guidance and leadership in the field of child maltreatment.

Come join us in the celebration of their vision and commitment to supporting and training professionals who serve children and families affected by child maltreatment and violence. Through the hard work and dedication of our members, APSAC has grown into a multidisciplinary group of professionals, who also are our friends, family, colleagues and the leading experts on the prevention and intervention of child abuse in the United States.

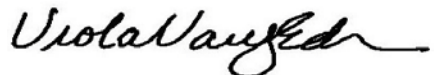
Our vision is for a world where all maltreated or at-risk children and their families have access to the highest level of professional commitment and service. Our mission is achieved in a number of ways, most notably through expert training and educational activities, policy leadership and collaboration, and consultation that emphasizes theoretically sound, evidence-based principles.

Please join us in Chicago June 27-30, 2012. Our anniversary colloquium is hailed to be the premier training event of the century, with child abuse professionals attending from around the world. Be a part of making this dream come true and making new friendships, as well as renewing old ones. APSAC exists because of you and we hope you celebrate with us – A Quarter Century of Progress in Service to Children and Families!

We look forward to seeing you in Chicago!



Ron Hughes
APSAC Board President



Viola Vaughan-Eden
APSAC Board President-Elect

About the Colloquium

This year we offer 95 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

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Additional Invited Presenters



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Rahm Emanuel, Mayor of Chicago or representative from the Mayor's office

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Second Russian-American Child Welfare Forum

'We not only need a "reset" button between the American and Russian governments, but we need a fresh start between our societies – more dialogue, more listening, more cooperation in confronting common challenges.' --Barack Obama, President of the United States of America, the U.S.-Russia Civil Society Summit (Moscow, July 7, 2009)

'One can judge a society's maturity and development level from the way it treats its children. We need a standardized system for the protection of children in all senses of the word...' --Dmitry Medvedev, President of the Russian Federation

On August 1-6, 2011, the First Russian-American Child Welfare Forum (RAF) was held at Lake Baikal in the Republic of Buryatia, Russia (www.racwf.org). This Forum was initiated by Russian specialists working as part of the Child Protection Sub-Working Group under Presidents Obama and Medvedev's Bilateral Presidential Commission's Civil Society Working Group. APSAC President Ron Hughes is a member of the Civil Society Working Group, which began in 2010.

At the request of the United States Department of Justice (DOJ), APSAC was a co-organizer of the first RAF. Together with the DOJ and National Foundation for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, we are collaborators of the second RAF. The Forum is designed to be an annual event pairing local child welfare service providers with leading Russian and American specialists to tackle the most serious issues facing the child protection and welfare field today. The goal is to further the development of Russian-American dialogue and partnership in resolving pressing national and international child protection related issues. The Second RAF will allow us to continue our work.

A delegation of Russian child welfare administrators from government and non-government organizations have been selected by the American Embassy in Moscow to participate in an "education tour" of child protection agencies in United States. They, along with child welfare professionals throughout Russia, will be attending the APSAC Colloquium. APSAC, in conjunction with the American Embassy in Moscow, the Justice Department, and the State Department have developed training opportunities for our Russian colleagues during their visit. Colloquium participants will have an opportunity to learn from their experiences as well as be updated on APSAC's recent grant award from the Eurasian Foundation to collaborate with the National Foundation for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (Russia) to find solutions for our shared problems of child maltreatment.

Co-Organizers of the Event

United States Department of Justice

United States Department of State

The National Foundation for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (NFPCC) – Russia
Institute for Human Services – USA

Center for Child Welfare Policy Special Awards

The Center for Child Welfare Policy Distinguished Service in Public Child Welfare Administration Award and Pro Humanitatae Medal will be presented to **Vyacheslav Nagovitsyn**, President of the Republic of Buryatia, Russia. 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.

The Center for Child Welfare Policy Child Advocacy Award and Pro Humanitatae Medal will be presented to **Victor Vieth**, Executive Director of the National Child Protection Training Center. This award is given to a child welfare professional who has demonstrated a lifelong commitment to advocacy for maltreated children.

Colloquium Events

Pre-Conference Advanced Training Institutes

(pre-registration is required)

Pre-Conference Cultural Institute

(pre-registration is required)

Second Russian-American Child Welfare Forum

(pre-registration is required)

Peer Review for Child Forensic Interviewers Brownbag Session

(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)

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)

APSAC Fun Run/Walk

(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)

Center for Child Welfare Policy Awards Presentation

(Presentation during Thursday Plenary)

State Chapter Meeting

(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)

Welcome Reception/Poster Presentations

(No additional fee, pre-registration is required – see appropriate box on registration form)

William Friedrich Memorial Lecture and Luncheon

(No additional fee, pre-registration is required – see appropriate box on registration form)

Child Interview Training Meeting

(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)

Presidents Ball

(No additional fee, pre-registration is required – see appropriate box on registration form)

Schedule

June 26, Tuesday

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Registration

June 27, Wednesday

Advanced Training Institutes/Cultural Institute/Second Russian-American Child Welfare Forum

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. – 12:00 p.m. Institute Sessions

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch (on your own)

12:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Peer Review for Forensic Interviewers Brownbag

1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Institute Sessions (continued)

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Child Fatality Task Force Meeting

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Cultural Diversity

Networking Session

June 28, Thursday

APSAC Colloquium

6:30 a.m.

APSAC Fun Run/Walk

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. Opening Plenary

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Workshop Sessions

12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch (on your own)

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Workshop Sessions

3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Workshop Sessions

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. State Chapter Meeting

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. Welcome Reception and

Poster Presentations

June 29, 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. Research Sessions

9:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Plenary

11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Workshop Sessions

12:30 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. Friedrich Memorial Lecture and Luncheon

2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Workshop Sessions

4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Workshop Sessions

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Child Interview Training

7:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. Presidents Ball

June 30, Saturday

APSAC Colloquium

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Registration and Exhibits

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. Workshop Sessions

10:30 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:

ADMIN = Administration

CD = Cultural Diversity

CP/LE = Child Protection/Law Enforcement

INTD = Interdisciplinary

FI = Forensic Interviewing

LAW = Law

MH = Mental Health

M&N = Medicine and Nursing

PREV = Prevention

Presentation Skills Level

(Beginning/Intermediate/Advance)

Pre-Conference Advanced Training Institutes

June 27, Wednesday

8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
(12:00 – 1:30 Lunch - on your own)

1. Russian American Child Welfare Forum

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2. Advanced Institute on Sexual Behavior Problems

Part 1 – Sexualized Behavior Problems in Prepubescent Children – When is Clinical Intervention Necessary? (MH)

This institute will address the confusing issues surrounding sexualized behavior presented by the pre-school and school aged child. The role of parents, educators, health care personnel and mental health practitioners in identifying problems will be defined.

Geraldine Crisci, MSW

Part 2 – Conducting Outpatient Group Treatment for Adolescents with Illegal Sexual Behavior: Current Interventions and Controversies (MH)

This institute will present current information on adolescents with illegal sexual behavior, including characteristics of boys and girls, incidence and prevalence, current research on risk assessment, and models of intervention. The presentation will cover interventions for caregivers and adolescents, establishing collaboration with the legal system, ethical issues in treatment, and current controversies in the field.

*Barbara Bonner, PhD; Keri Pierce, MPH
Lisa Swisher, PhD*

3. Abusive Head Trauma: Past, Present and Future

This panel will discuss the history of AHT, how the concepts of shaken baby syndrome historically evolved into a broader definition of abusive head trauma. The current state of the medical evaluation, legal interventions and process and what future research is in process, and what is needed in the future of the field.

*Lori D. Frasier, MD; Randell Alexander, MD
Deborah Esernio-Jenssen, MD
Carole Jenny, MD; Rob Parrish, JD*

4. Advanced Institute on Forensic Interviewing

Part 1 – Child Interviewing Research and Practice Update

Tom Lyon, JD

Part 2 – Interviewing Non-Disclosing Victims Identified Through Pictures or Video

Catherine Connell, MSW – FBI

12:15 – 1:30 p.m.

Peer Review for Child Forensic Interviewers

Brownbag - an opportunity to exchange ideas and compare experiences related to conducting peer review of child forensic interviews

(no pre-registration is required)

5. Advanced Institute for Law Enforcement and Child Protection Workers

Part 1 – Selection, Engagement and Seduction of Children and Adults by Child Molesters (CP/LE)

Participants will examine some of the specific strategies used by offenders to target, seduce and exploit children and adults. Topics include offender descriptions of “grooming” tactics, ie., how and why they target certain children, families, and youth serving agencies, how they seduce child victims and adult caretakers and, how they inhibit disclosure, detection and reporting

Cory Jewel Jensen, MS

Part 2 – Investigating Technology Facilitated Crimes against Children (LE)

The seminar will identify and then discuss the methodologies and seduction techniques employed by the child molester in the various social networking sites, chat rooms and on the World Wide Web. The seminar presents interview and interrogation techniques that can be used specifically in child exploitation investigations involving the online predator.

Robert Farley, MS

5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Child Fatality Task Force Meeting

(no pre-registration is required)

Pre-Conference Cultural Institute

June 27, Wednesday

8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
(12:00 – 1:30 Lunch - on your own)

6. Latino Families and Child Sexual Abuse

In this full day workshop participants learn how to work effectively with Latino families on issues of child sexual abuse. Special topics include: the diversity of Latino families, shame, interpretation issues, and statutory rape. Participants will have opportunities to share their experiences and questions.

Lisa Fontes, PhD

5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Cultural Diversity Networking Session

(no pre-registration is required)

APSAC's 20th Annual Colloquium

June 28, Thursday

8:30 – 10:00 a.m.

Welcome

Viola Vaughan-Eden, PhD

APSAC Board President

Center for Child Welfare Policy Awards Presentation

Distinguished Service in Public Child Welfare Administration Award and Pro Humanitae Medal

Recipient: Vyacheslav Nagovitsyn, President of the Republic of Buryatia, Russia

Child Advocacy Award and Pro Humanitate Medal

Recipient: Victor Vieth, JD

Plenary Session

Current and Future Issues in Child Protection

Representative from the United States Department of Justice

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

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7. The National Plan to Prevent Child Sexual Abuse and Exploitation (INTD – Beginning)

A review of the scope and nature of child sexual abuse and exploitation, an overview of the National Plan to Prevent Child Sexual Abuse and Exploitation and concrete prevention strategies will be presented.

Sandra Alexander, MEd; Deborah Callins

8. Attachment-Guided Evidence-Based Practice for Maltreated Children (MH – Beginning)

This presentation will provide a basic introduction to contemporary attachment theory and research before an analysis of current evidence-based practices that incorporate attachment-focused components.

Brian Allen, PsyD

9. “But you’re not on my schedule.” Interviewing Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders (FI – Intermediate)

Professionals will learn about Autism Spectrum Disorders and how to best approach participation in a forensic interview process for individuals with this diagnosis including preparation, questions and content.

Jennifer Anderson, MSW

10. Medical Aspects of Child Physical Abuse Investigation (INTD – Intermediate)

Attendees will learn what child abuse medical practitioners need from them and what they can expect from a child physical abuse medical evaluation as well as how various injuries are sustained and the medical implications of those injuries.

Roger Blevins, MSN

11. Research Supported Therapies for Physically Abusive Families (MH – Intermediate)

To address the complex predictors and consequences of child physical abuse, treatment needs to include the physically-abused child, the caregiver, and the family. Three treatment models, Parent–Child Interaction Therapy, Alternatives for Families: A Cognitive Behavioral Therapy and Multisystemic Therapy for Child Abuse and Neglect have been found effective in repeated clinical trials. Each of these interventions will be presented, highlighting the subgroup of clients that it best serves.

Elissa Brown, PhD; Cynthia Swenson, PhD David Kolko, PhD

12. Criminal Prosecution Model for Drug Endangered Children Cases (LAW – Intermediate)

This presentation consists of a practical model for criminal prosecution of Drug Endangered Children DES cases in a multidisciplinary approach with an identified outcome designed to protect the community, break the cycle of family addiction and keep the family intact, safe, and healthy.

Christine Corken, JD

13. Cultural Competence + Cultural Humility = Cultural Responsiveness (CD – Intermediate)

This workshop describes the integration of cultural competence with a paradigm shift that includes cultural humility to operationalize cultural responsiveness. From a cultural humility perspective, the client is the expert about his/her culture, and awareness and recognition of their knowledge and experience empowers them as active participants in the helping process in collaboration with the culturally competent professional.

Kathleen Faller, PhD; Robert Ortega, PhD

14. Investigations/Interviews Involving People with Disabilities (CP/LE – Int.)

A two part course that starts with basic skills needed for an investigation/interview with a developmentally delayed client. The second part goes into detail on laws, getting the case to court, clients ability to recall and give consent.

Det. William Marshall

15. The PATHH Collaboration: Improving Mental Health Services Referral and Linkage Systems for Child Victims of Sexual Abuse (ADMIN – Intermediate)

Participants will learn about specific strategies that have been developed through PATHH (Providing Access Toward Hope and Healing) to improve mental health assessment and triage processes, referral and waiting list procedures, tracking systems, follow-up procedures and access to evidence.

Char Rivette, MSW; Stephen Budde, PhD

16. 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. Evidence-based screening and treatment will be reviewed. Implications for systems reform and program evaluation will be discussed.

Jeffrey Wherry, PhD

17. Coming Together for Best Practice: Forensic interviewing panel (FI – Intermediate)

Jennifer Anderson – CornerHouse

Andra Chamberlin – NCAC

Linda Cordisco-Steele – NCAC

Julie Kenniston – Childhood Trust, APSAC

Chris Newlin – NCAC

Amy Russell – NCPTC

Heather Stewart – NICHD

Viola Vaughan-Eden – APSAC

18. Research Presentations:

Child Maltreatment Deaths: Predictors of Death from Physical Abuse Versus Neglect

Amy Damashek, PhD; Melanie McDiarmid Nelson, PhD; Barbara Bonner, PhD

Child Welfare Workers Who Experience the Death of a Child Client

Emily Douglas, PhD

Lives at Risk: Uncovering Factors Associated with Fatal Child Maltreatment

Adrienne Whitt-Woosley, LCSW

12:00 – 1:30 Lunch (on your own)

**1:30 – 3:00 p.m.
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19. Challenges for Survivor Parents Raising Children who are Victimized (MH – Advanced)

Adult survivors whose children are victimized sexually can feel overwhelmed. Unresolved issues may result in prohibiting the parent's support. This workshop will provide a number of specific case examples in which these problems were successfully addressed.

Geraldine Crisci, MSW

Mary Jo Barrett, MSW

20. Challenging Cases in Child Abuse (INTD – Intermediate)

Child abuse cases are always challenging. This workshop, much like a multidisciplinary team evaluation, will present and discuss cases that presented particular challenges to the child abuse professional.

Leena Dev, MD; Linda Devries, MSW

21. Ingest This: Accidental, neglectful, and intentional poisoning (INTD – Intermediate)

This workshop will review neglectful ingestions, misuses of prescribed and over the counter medications, and intentional poisonings. Case studies illustrating this form of child maltreatment will be discussed.

Debra Esernio-Jenssen, MD

22. Structuring Key Decisions in Child Welfare (CP – Intermediate)

This presentation will discuss the challenges of child welfare decision making and propose the use of Structured Decision Making assessments that assist workers in consistently evaluating information to make better decisions with families.

Shannon Flasch; Jennifer Cotter, MSW

Heather Haberman, BA

23. Mental Health/Substance Abuse & the Child Protection System (MH – Intermediate)

This workshop provides an overview of the complexities of mental health and substance abuse dynamics in child maltreatment cases.

Michael Haney, PhD

24. Child Sexual Torture as a form of Child Abuse (INTD – Intermediate)

Suggested inclusion criteria for a forensic medical diagnosis of child sexual torture and the effect this diagnosis could have on child medical intervention, safety planning, and the legal system will be presented.

Barbara Knox, MD; Lori Frasier, MD

Suzanna Tiapula, JD

25. Resilience and Childhood Trauma: Increasing protective factors that generate long-term impact (INTD – Intermediate)

This evidence-based overview provides information to understand and identify major protective factors in children’s lives. Goals and interventions to improve resilience and recovery in children following maltreatment will be addressed.

Machelle Madsen Thompson, PhD

26. When Victims Recant (INTD – Intermediate)

When recantations occur, the multidisciplinary team must take action to ensure continued safety of the child. This presentation will address issues with recantations and how to overcome them.

Lisa Martinez, BS

Michelle Schuback, LCSW

27. Recent Research Affecting Child Abuse Investigations and Prosecutions (INTD – Intermediate)

Frontline professionals are challenged to stay abreast of emerging research impacting the investigation of child abuse while also maintaining high caseloads. This presentation will highlight recent studies impacting this work.

Chris Newlin, MS

28. Improve the Child’s Credibility: Source Monitor and Corroborate (CP/LE – Beginning)

This presentation will provide a history of both domestic violence fatality review and child fatality review. The focus will be on how to conduct a joint review when the victims overlap. A mock review of a joint case will be conducted.

Susan Samuel, BA

29. Child Law Panel: Reforming Courts to Meet the Needs of Abused and Neglected Children (INTD – Intermediate)

Moderator: Frank Vandervort, JD

Panelists:

*The Hon. Patricia Martin – National Council of Juvenile & Family Court Judges
Bruce Boyer, JD – Civitas ChildLaw Clinic
Sacha M. Coupet, PhD, JD – Loyola Law
Emily Buss, JD – University of Chicago Law*

30. Research Presentation: How Can We be Effective in Pursuing Justice in Child Abuse Cases? Lessons from 20 Years of Research

Theodore Cross, PhD

3:30 – 5:00 p.m.
Workshops 31 – 42

31. Public Information and Perception vs. Science (M&N – Intermediate)

Differences between mainstream medicine and those grasping for alternative hypotheses will be explored. Concepts will include litigation driven science and denialism.

Randell Alexander, MD; Carole Jenny, MD

32. “Can you explain my child’s injuries to me, Doctor?” Using Technology to Assist in the Multidisciplinary Team Forensic Evaluation of Minor to Severe Injury to Children (CP – Intermediate)

Technologically advanced animation sequences and a case-based format will be used to further understanding of possible mechanisms of injury and the resulting medical findings, improving investigation interrogation, and prosecution.

Jim Anderst, MD; Terra Frazier, DO

Mike Johnson, BS

33. Child Protection Decision Making: Assessment and analysis of risk of future harm and likelihood of change – an evidence-based approach (CP – Intermediate)

The seminar will use an action learning approach to make observations of video case material, and use approaches to recording and analysis on a model case. This will have a direct impact on their ability to assess, analyze and make decisions on their own practice.

Arnon Bentovim, MD

Marianne Bentovim, MA

34. EBP Fundamentals for the Future: Principals, procedures and packages (MH – Intermediate)

Evidence Based Practice (EBP) in the future will be more than the adoption of packaged interventions. This session will describe the evidence-based principles and a range of procedures that are feasible and practical for clinicians and organizations to implement.

Lucy Berliner, MS; David Kolko, PhD

35. Most Common Mistakes Made in Forensic Interviews & How to Fix Them (FI – Intermediate)

Learn the most common mistakes routinely made by forensic interviewers. Walk away with solutions you can apply immediately to improve your interviews.

Linda Cordisco Steele, LPC

Heather Stewart, MA

36. A Model for the Assessment and Treatment of Sibling Sexual Abuse: Differentiating adolescent and prepubescent initiators (MH – Advanced)
Unraveling the complexities of sibling sexual abuse dynamics and successfully intervening is highly dependent on proper assessment. This workshop will identify common dynamics, conflicts, and dilemmas in sibling sexual abuse cases and review effective interventions.

Mary Jo Barrett, MSW
Geraldine Crisci, MSW

37. The Challenges of Collaboration between Social Workers and Lawyers: When world views collide (LAW – Intermediate)

This presentation will describe obstacles to child welfare collaboration between social workers and lawyers based on differences in ethics and best practice, using a case example.
Kathleen Faller, PhD
Frank Vandervort, JD

38. The Crisis Response: A door to recovery (CP/LE – Beginning)

This session will look at overcoming the challenges in aligning systems responsible for preventing, intervening, and treating children living in dangerous drug environments to achieve common outcomes for the safety, health and well-being of these children.
Lori Moriarty

39. Lest Death do us Part: A joint review of a domestic violence and child fatality case (INTD – Intermediate)

This presentation will provide a history of both domestic violence fatality review and child fatality review. The focus will be on how to conduct a joint review when the victims overlap. A mock review of a joint case will be conducted.
Susan Schmidt, PhD; Tricia Gardner, JD

40. Are You Brave Enough? Managing Institutional Secondary Traumatic Stress (INTD – Intermediate)

Learn how to conduct a stress audit of your agency. Special attention paid to hiring and supervision issues to reduce attrition. Practice exercises to reduce risk for secondary traumatic stress.
Mary Pulido, PhD

41. Guidelines for Reunification of Adolescents with Illegal Sexual Behavior with Their Families (MH – Intermediate)

This presentation will discuss preconditions for reunification, contraindications for reunification and provide guidelines for reunifying adolescents with their families.
Keri Pierce, LCSW, MPH
Lisa Swisher, PhD

42. Research Presentations:

Clinician Perceptions of the Barriers and Solutions to the Implementation of Empirically-Supported Treatments for Maltreated Children

Natalie Armstrong, MA; Cindy Mena, BS
Brian Allen, PsyD

Clinician Knowledge of and Utilization of Empirically Supported Treatments

Jennifer Johnson; Brian Allen, PsyD

The Relative Importance of Evidence-Based Practice (EBT) for Treatment Decision-Makers

Carol Woods, MA; Brian Allen, PsyD

5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

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)

5:00 – 6:30 p.m.

Welcome Reception & Poster Sessions (pre-registration required)

Poster Sessions:

Structural Mechanisms Contributing to Pathways of Child Welfare Involvement and Child Outcomes: The role of context and individual inequalities

Kristin Abner, MA

Trauma Exposure, Substance Use, and Mental Health Problems in Delinquent Adolescents

Zachary Adams, MA; Michael McCart, PhD
Carla Danielson, PhD

The Effects of Parenting Stress and Child Abuse Potential on Subsequent Child Coping

Angela Begle, PhD; Cristina Lopez, PhD
Kim Cappa

Avoidant Posttraumatic Symptoms as a Moderator of the Effect of Intrusive Symptoms on a History of Nonsuicidal Self-Injury

Rebecca Bolen, PhD
Virginia Ramseyer Winter, MSW

Academic and School-Based Behavioral Outcomes for Maltreated Youth in Out-of-Home Placement: The role of social support
Cassidy Carpenter, BA; Joy Gabrielli, MA
Angela Tunno, MA

Childhood Obesity and the Abuse Link
Edith D'Aguila-Lloyd, MSN; Cynthia Wanberg, Med; Maggie Denk-Ryon, LPC

An NCTSN Initiative: Creating a trauma-informed training curriculum for residential staff in juvenile justice settings
Kelly Decker, MA; Susan Ko, PhD Carly Dierkhising, MA

Forensic Interviewing and the Therapeutic Process
Amanda Didier

Investigative Techniques of Japanese Police for Use in Interviewing Sexually Abused Children
Eriko Eriko, MA; Takayuki Miyadera, MA Juichi Kobayashi, PhD

Can Missed Clinic Appointments Help Identify Medical Neglect in Children with Type 1 Diabetes?
Kristine Fortin, MD

Using Google Maps to Illustrate Challenges for Serving High Risk Runaway and Prostituted Teens
Mary Frederick, BS; Linda Williams, PhD

The Dynamics of Spirituality: Where do they fit in evidence based treatment?
LeAnn Gardner, MSW; Anna Shaw, MEd

Investigating the Severity of Child Maltreatment: Child Self-Report vs. Case File Report
Erin Hambrick, MA; Angela Tunno, MS Joy Gabrielli, MA; Yo Jackson, PhD

Cognitive Decision Making in Healthcare Providers Reporting Abuse
William Hauda II, MD

Foster Youth and Obesity: Who is at risk?
Jesse Helton, PhD; April Diaz, MA

Referral Practices for Assessment and Treatment Among a National Sample of CACs
Cassandra Huey, MA; Julie Sims, BS

Learning from Foster Youth with Multiple Placements
Anh-Luu Huynh-Hohnbaum, PhD

Substitute Care Entry: The relationship between community and individual characteristics
Ian Jantz, MSW; Nancy Rolock, MSW Sonya Leathers, PhD

Sexual Abuse: Revictimization and outcomes over time
Kristen Seay, MSW

Maltreatment Prevention for High-Risk Families with Newborns Served by a Nurse Home-Visiting Program
Paul Lanier, MSW; Melinda Ohlemiller, MA

Relationship Between Placement Changes and Externalizing, Internalizing, and Adaptive Behavior in Foster Youth
Becca Kanine, BA; Joy Gabrielli, MA Angela Tunno, MS; Yo Jackson, PhD, MS Erin Hambrick, MA; Kalani Makanui, MA

The Child-Centered Interview
Kiesa Kay, MA

Case Worker and Supervisor Perspectives on Moving Parent Training Content into the Child Welfare System
Trish Kohl, PhD; Curtis McMillen, PhD Paul Lanier, MSW

Parent Organizing Model and Parent Engagement in Child Safety Conferences: Birthparents and organizers perceptions
Marina Lalayants, PhD

CACs and Domestic Violence Organizations: We CAN work together
Jessica Lawmaster, MSW; Margaret Coleman, BA; Rachel Romberg

Relationship Between Perceived Competence and Social Acceptance and Sexually Inappropriate Behaviors Among Five-Year-Old Children Who Have Experienced Sexual Abuse
Lindsay Liotta, MA; Sara Shankman, MA Justin Misurell, PhD; Craig Springer, PhD

The Effects of a Child-Friendly Examination Room on Patient Satisfaction: Before and after
Tawny Lowe, MSN; Emily Banach, LCSW

Community Response: A prevention program embedded within the child welfare system
Kathryn Maguire Jack, MSW

Youths' Perceptions of Change Subsequent to Child Sexual Abuse and Associations with Psychosocial Functioning
Erin Mason, BS; Shannon Barton, BS Valerie Simon, PhD

Child Sex Offenders in the Federal Prison System: Managing and containing risk
Alix McLearn, PhD Ivonne Bazerman, PsyD; Erik Faust, PhD

Exploring the Developmental Uniqueness of Women Who Commit Sexual Offenses Against Children

David Axlyn McLeod, MSW

The Art of Forensic Interviewing in a Multi-Cultural Society

Natalia Mercado Sánchez, MA

Defining Child Sexual Abuse: An analysis of various legal and academic definitions in the United States

Rebecca Rebbe, MSW

Gender Differences in Symptomatology Among Five-Year-Old Children Who Have Experienced Child Sexual Abuse (CSA)

*Sarah Shankman, MA; Lindsay Liotta, MA
Craig Springer, PhD; Justin Misurell, PhD*

The Experience of Female Adolescent Who Are Sexually Exploited Through the Internet: A qualitative research study

Amelia Sloan, MSN

Preschool Children's Ability to Regulate Emotions and Predict Social Contingencies in Response to Parent Stress

*Kathryn Soltis, BA; Tatiana Davidson, PhD
Angela Begle, PhD*

Pilot Study of Trauma-Focused CBT with Asian Victims of Child Abuse

Li-Jen Tan

Critical Incident Stress and Debriefing with Child Welfare Workers

Michael Weuste, PhD

Current Practices in Foster Parent Recruiting and Retentions

*Michael Weuste, PhD; Brian Froelich, BA
Lisa Valiente, BA*

Knowing the Best of What's Out There to Help Families in the Child Welfare System

*Blake Zimmet, LCSW
Cambria Rose Walsh, LCSW*

June 29, Friday

8:00 – 9:00 a.m.

Research Presentations 43 - 49

43. Research Presentations:

Building Social Support to Extend the Preventive Benefit of Early Home Visitation Services

*Neil Guterman, PhD; Jiyoung Tabone, PhD
Catherine Taylor, PhD*

Home Visitation for Multiparous Mothers: Healthy families' challenges, rewards and adaptations

Lee Huntington, PhD; Joseph Galano, PhD

44. Research Presentations:

Sibling Abuse

Amy Meyers, PhD

Where Do We Belong? Exploring Characteristics and Treatment Options of Youth Who Perpetrate Family Violence

Eva Nowakowski, PhD; Karen Mattern

45. Research Presentations:

2012 Survey Findings of Child Abuse Services at Children's Hospitals

Nancy Hanson, BA

Family-Based Needs and the Delivery of Preventative Services in Child Welfare

Jennifer Jolley, MSW; John Kerbs, PhD

46. Research Presentations:

Trauma in Child Victims of Human Trafficking and Their Rehabilitation

Vasavi Charathram; Colleen Friend, PhD

Life-Course Resilience Processes for Maltreated Children

Bart Klinka, MSW; Todd Herrenkohl, PhD

47. Research Presentations:

Foster Families and Food Assistance: Results from a National Study

Jesse Helton, PhD; Audra Glenn, BSW

A Little Discussion about a Big Problem: Is there a role for the Child Abuse Pediatrician in the evaluation of morbid childhood obesity?

Michele Lorand, MD; Marjorie Fujara, MD

48. Research Presentations:

Attorney Perceptions and Trial Strategies Regarding Non-Offending Mothers in Child Sexual Abuse Cases

Lynn McMillan, MSW; Terry Wolfer, PhD

Fatal Child Maltreatment: Child protection outcomes for non-offending mothers

Ginger Welch, PhD; Barbara Bonner, PhD

49. Research Presentations:

Do Identified Risk Factors, Case-Specific Factors, or Case Recommendations in Multidisciplinary Evaluations Really Make Any Difference in Long-term Safety to Families?

*Jason Jent, PhD; Michael Sheffield, BS
Walter Lambert, MD*

Prevalence of Abusive Injuries in Siblings and Contacts of Abused Children

Nancy Harper, MD

9:15 – 10:45 a.m.

Plenary Session



Fifty Years of Child Abuse and Policy – What Have We Learned

Diane C. Geraghty

A. Kathleen Beazley Chair, Professor & Director, Civitas ChildLaw Center, Loyola University Chicago

11:00 – 12:30 p.m.

Workshops 50 - 59

50. Preventing Sleep Related Infant Deaths – A Layered Look (PREV – Intermediate)

The incidence and research on SIDS/SUIDS and asphyxia deaths, CDCA's surveillance work, implications for prevention, case studies from child death review and discussion of current and new strategies for prevention.

Sandra Alexander, MEd

51. Do Existing Policies and Practice in the Field of Child Welfare Services Reflect Evidenced-Based Treatments and Serve Child Protection Goals: A review of the literature (CP – Intermediate)

A research review indicates a substantial disconnect in the field of Child Welfare between current policy, programming and research. Reasons for this disconnect and ways to resolve it are presented.

*Betty Wade Coyle, MA
Karen Polonko, PhD*

52. Integrating the Intuitive and the Analytical in Daily Child Welfare Practice (INTD – Advanced)

This workshop will describe ways to integrate analytic, research-based assessments with intuitive, experienced-based practice approaches.

Raelene Freitag, PhD; Philip Decter, MSW

53. Show Me the Evidence! The Contradicting Natures of Advertising and Evidence Based Practice (INTD – Intermediate)

Evidence based practice is an invaluable process for informed decision making. Advertising manipulates rational judgment, circumnavigates the process of evidence based practice and creates the risk of making destructive choices.

*Laura Hughes, MS; Kelli Hughes, JD
Ron Hughes, PhD*

54. Treating Complex Trauma in Children and Adolescents (MH – Intermediate)

This session will present assessment-driven, culturally-sensitive interventions for multiply traumatized children and youth.

Cheryl Lanktree, PhD

55. Lumps, Bumps, Bruises and Burns: The Evaluation of Cutaneous Injury (INTD – Intermediate)

This session discusses differentiating accidental from non-accidental cutaneous injury, including mechanism of injury, medical conditions and mimics of abuse, and identifies crucial investigative elements in the assessment of these potentially high-risk cases.

Michele Lorand, MD

56. Law Enforcement Investigation of Child Physical Abuse (CP/LE – Beginning)

Participants will gain a deeper understanding of the cause and mechanism of injuries to children, new insights into behavioral similarities seen in child abusers and learn the five keys to successful and thorough physical abuse investigations.

Robert Parrish, JD

57. International Child Development Program/Community-Child Violence Prevention Training (PREV-Intermediate)

The evidence-based, competence-building ICDP program for psychosocial care of high-risk children, trains community-caregiver/professionals as trainers, toward violence prevention (ICDP/CCVP-USA curriculum: adapted in 2011)

*Kimberly Svevo, PhD
Nicoletta Armstrong, PhD*

58. Manipulative Children: Recognizing and disrupting traumatic reenactment (MH – Intermediate)

Do you feel manipulated by your clients? Colleagues? Supervisees? Learn new perspectives and “how to” skills for recognizing and intervening with traumatic reenactment in daily interactions.

Sarah Yanosy, LCSW; Landa Harrison, LPC

59. Research Presentations:

Child and Parental Outcomes of the PACE Program: Does ethnicity matter?

Angela Begle, PhD; Cristina Lopez, PhD

Racial Disparities and Disproportionality in Child Welfare: Emerging issues

*Alan Dettlaff, PhD; Nancy Rolock, MA
Qiana Cryer, MSW*

From ASFA to Fostering Connections: Permanency Outcomes Among African American Children Placed with Kin

*Nancy Rolock, MSW; James Gleeson, PhD
Sonya Leathers, PhD*

12:30 – 2:15 p.m.

William Friedrich Memorial Lecture and Luncheon (pre-registration required)



***‘Reflections on the Evolution of APSAC’
Jon Conte, APSAC’s 1st President***

*This year’s lecture will be followed by a special panel presentation for attendees to discuss questions and ideas on:

***‘The Future of APSAC’ presented by
Past APSAC Board Presidents***

2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Workshops 60 – 67

APSAC Board Panel Presentations (All workshops during this session will consist of panel presentations by current and past APSAC board members.)

60. Child Protective Services Panel

*Moderators: Ron Hughes, PhD
Tricia Gardner, PhD*

61. Legal Panel

*Moderators: Frank Vandervort, JD
Robert Parrish, JD*

62. Law Enforcement Panel

*Moderators: Det. Mike Johnson
Det. William Marshall*

63. Medical Panel

Moderator: Lori Frasier, MD

64. Mental Health Panel

*Moderators: Monica Fitzgerald, PhD
Elissa Brown, PhD*

65. Forensic Interviewing Panel

Moderator: Julie Kenniston, MSW, LSW

66. Cultural Competency Panel

*Moderators: Viola Vaughan-Eden, PhD
Susan Samuel, BA*

67. Prevention Panel

Moderator: Mike Haney, PhD

4:30 – 6:00 p.m.

Workshops 68-77

68. Consensual but Unlawful (FI – Beginning)

The session will assist interviewers for the specific challenges of talking with adolescents who engage in consensual but unlawful sexual behavior.

Andra Chamberlin, MA

69. Identifying Underlying Needs: How the largest public child welfare agency in the country (CP – Intermediate)

Recently, Public Child Welfare (CPS) Agencies in the USA have been changing their practices to address the mental health needs of children and families. In Los Angeles this involved retraining its workforce. This presentation will detail how this was accomplished as well as the lessons learned.

Colleen Friend, PhD

Lorraine Alexander, LCSW

70. Obesity: The new failure to thrive (M&N – Intermediate)

Morbid obesity in childhood can have adult medical complications which may or may not be reversible. This presentation will utilize case examples to review the complications of obesity, the approach to treatment, and when to consider medical neglect.

Nancy Harper, MD

71. Mothers Overcoming Maternal Stress (MOMS): A supportive therapeutic approach for the treatment of maternal depression (PREV – Intermediate)

This workshop will describe the in-home therapeutic maternal depression programs that were developed to provide services to at-risk culturally diverse mothers and their children.

*Maria Juarez Stouffer, LPC,
Bevlyn Sagon, PhD; Tim Curtin, MSW
Michelle Hagues, MEd*

72. Criminal Investigative Failures: Impact, recognition and avoidance (INTD – Advanced)

This presentation will focus on how cognitive biases and other subtle traps and hazards in investigators' thinking contribute to investigative failures and recommendations on how to avoid them. Case examples will be used demonstratively.

Gregg McCrary, MA

73. The Medical Aspects of Child Sexual Abuse (INTD – Intermediate)

From this seminar, participants will learn how and why the physical examination is performed in sexual abuse examinations, why examinations are often negative and what constitutes positive exam findings.

Bethany Mohr, MD

74. Utilizing TF-CBT and the PRACTICE Components with Children, Taking an In-Depth Look at R (relaxation techniques) and A (affective expression and regulation) (MH – Intermediate)

Trauma-focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy is a multicomponent evidence-based treatment of childhood trauma. This presentation uses lecture, demonstration, and practice to help participants understand two TF-CBT components.

Jodi Bertsch, MS;, Patricia Marik, PsyD

75. Abuse Has No Age Limit (M&N – Beginning)

This workshop will provide information on generational abuse, mandatory reporting of abuse of children and elders, and will identify services for victims and perpetrators of abuse ages 1 to 100.

Debra Hurd, PhD

76. Child Abuse, Attachment, Trauma and the Brain: Implications for Child Custody Evaluations (MH – Intermediate)

Recent research has shown a connection between childhood maltreatment, family violence, attachment, trauma, and the neurodevelopmental effects of these types of adverse childhood experiences on the brain. This workshop discusses these issues and the procedures that mental health professionals and others need to know about child custody cases when there are allegations of child abuse or exposure to domestic violence. The myth of "parental alienation syndrome" that is often alleged in these cases is discussed, along with ways to avoid common pitfalls.

Robert Geffner, PhD

77. Research Presentations:

Foster Children's Report of Psychological Maltreatment Experiences: Prevalence and implications for treatment

*Amy Baker, PhD; Mel Schneiderman, PhD
Chuck Caputo, MA*

Assessment of Risk for Suicidality, Homicidality, and Ongoing Abuse in a Sample of Youth in Foster Care

*Joy Gabrielli, MA; Angela Tunno, MS
Erin Hambrick, MA; Yo Jackson, PhD*

Mental Health Outcome for Youth Exposed to Maltreatment: The role of appraisal and coping behavior

*Yo Jackson, PhD; Joy Gabrielli, MA
Angela Tunno, MS; Erin Hambrick, MA*

6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Child Interview Training – an opportunity for child interview trainers to exchange ideas and compare experiences in conducting child forensic interview training. *(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)*

7:30 – 10:30 p.m.

President's Ball

The President's Ball welcomes all attendees to a celebratory gala honoring APSAC - A Quarter Century of Progress in Service to Children and Families!

An evening of entertainment and dancing. Fancy Attire Suggested (pre-registration required)

June 30, Saturday

8:30 – 10:00 a.m.
Workshops 78 - 86

78. Avoiding Professional Malpractice Claims (M&N – Intermediate)

This session will discuss best practices and common-sense precautions for protecting your career while protecting your client.

Deborah Ausburn, JD; Carol Michel, JD

79. Demonstration of the Tadpole Dialectical Parenting Assessment (TDPA) (CP – Intermediate)

The TDPA is an advanced expert on-line program which provides a flexible structure for collecting sorting, analyzing and presenting the complex information arising from assessments of parenting behavior.

George Hibbert, MD; Jill Canvin, JD

80. Behind the Mask of a Child Rapist: Hope's journey (INTD – Beginning)

This workshop will follow the life of a young child who at an early age began to be molested and raped by caregivers; we will follow the traumatic events of her life into adulthood.

Jim Holler

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

Participants will gain a better understanding on how cases of Medical Child Abuse present and are diagnosed. Case examples will demonstrate how the change in nomenclature helps to ensure the ongoing safety of the victims of this type of abuse.

Lisa Markman, MD

82. Courthouse vs. Independent Custody Evaluations: Collision of opposites or one and the same? (INTD – Advanced)

Conventional wisdom says courthouse evaluations railroad families. Independent examiners say only their work reveals the truth. Do in-house examiners miss the ball? Are independent examiners always on the mark?

Eugenia Patru, MSW

83. Expert Testimony and Trial Advocacy (INTD – Intermediate)

Actual trial transcripts will provide exposure to real world legal scenarios that sexual abuse experts must successfully navigate to protect children.

Dennis Petrocelli, MD; Sheila Furey, MD

84. What is My Next Question? Improving Question Frameworks to Clarify Children's Narrative Accounts of Abuse (CP – Intermediate)

Strategies for structuring interview questions in response to children's abuse accounts, single-vs.-multiple event interviews, and identifying shifts between event and script memory accounts of abuse will be discussed.

Scott Snider, MSW, LCSW

85. The Implementation of Evidence-Based Practices Targeting Child Neglect: Lessons learned from implementations of the SafeCare Model (CP – Intermediate)

This presentation will teach professionals about components of the SafeCare program as well as factors involved with successful implementations of evidence-based practices.

Daniel Whitaker, PhD; Shannon Self-Brown, PhD; Angela Montesanti

86. The Safe Environment for Every Kid (SEEK) Model for Preventing Child Maltreatment – Part 1 (M&N – Intermediate)

This workshop will help child health professionals learn how to implement the safe environment for every kid (SEEK) model in a pediatric primary care setting. We will provide participants with background information, training and other materials, and practical guidance on implementing SEEK.

Howard Dubowitz, MD; Wendy Lane, MD

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon
Workshops 87 - 95

87. A Public Health Strategy for Preventing Shaken Baby Syndrome/Abusive Head Trauma and Infant Physical Abuse (M&N – Intermediate)

The implementation of the PURPLE program and emerging results supporting the effectiveness of PURPLE to SBS and infant abuse prevention will be presented.

Marilyn Barr, BS; Ronald Barr, MD

88. Evidence in the Forensic Interview (FI – Beginning)

Using evidence, such as chat logs, video evidence, or pictures can produce amazing information in the course of a forensic interview. When introducing evidence, care must be taken to not taint the interview. Additionally, drawings produced by children in the course of a forensic interview can corroborate the child's outcry and can lead to additional investigative actions.

Lindsey Dula, MSW; Kim Rocha, BA

89. “I Thought He Was My Friend” The Internet – A Molester’s Paradise (INTD – Intermediate)

This workshop will help participants understand how child molesters use the internet to sexually exploit children and will highlight how molesters use the computer to collect and trade child pornography and seek online sexual contact with children.

Jim Holler

90. Thinking Outside the Box: Forensic interviewing in the 21st century (FI – Intermediate)

A case study of an abuse investigation involving a child with hearing loss. Participants will learn about techniques for working with children with special needs affected by abuse and neglect.

*Meghan Lindberg, JD
Amanda Didier, CSW*

91. Exploring the Diagnostic Dilemmas of Neglect (INTD – Intermediate)

Physical, emotional, supervisory and educational neglect will be discussed. Cases will demonstrate that the cause of neglect is complex and often involves multiple interacting factors.

Lisa Markman, MD; Bethany Mohr, MD

92. The Intersection of Internet and Incest Offenders: Investigating dual offenders (CP-Intermediate)

Research shows that between 55% - 80% of those that use the internet to exploit children are contact offenders. The majority of contact offenders abuse children in their daily circle of trust. This workshop provides in-depth analysis and case studies of evidence based approaches to merging sexual abuse investigations with Internet Crimes Against Children investigations.

Rusty McGuire, JD; Camille Cooper

93. Building and Sustaining Effective Trauma Treatment Teams (INTD – Intermediate)

Explore the structure of successful trauma team approach, its make-up and benefits to both clients and providers. The use of specialized peer review and trauma-focused supervision will also be discussed.

Laurie Riehm, MSW; Elba Karim, MA

94. The Safe Environment for Every Kid (SEEK) Model for Preventing Child Maltreatment – Part 2 (M&N – Intermediate)

Howard Dubowitz, MD; Wendy Lane, MD

95. Research Presentations:

Comparing Investigations Conducted by Mainstream and First Nations Child Welfare

Vandna Sinha, PhD; Nico Trocme, PhD

Does Mandate Drift Help Explain the Decline in Rates of Reported Child Sexual Abuse in Canada?

Nico Trocme, PhD; Delphine Collin-Vezina, PhD; Barbara Fallon, PhD

Why Did Rates of Reported Maltreatment Double in Canada from 1998 to 2008?

*Nico Trocme, PhD; Barb Fallon, PhD
Bruce MacLaurin, MSW*

Be sure to join your colleagues at the Thursday morning Fun Run/Walk, Thursday evening Reception/Poster Session, the Friday Friedrich Memorial Lecture/ Luncheon and the Friday evening President’s Ball – These events are included with the cost of your registration - please pre-register!

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- Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP)

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Thursday – Saturday, June 28-30 Colloquium Registration	_____ \$400	_____ \$465
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Continuing Education Credit	_____ \$35	_____ \$35
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Chicago Architectural Tour (Wednesday)	_____ \$35	_____ \$35
Chicago Architectural Tour (Friday)	_____ \$35	_____ \$35
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Day, Date and Time	Workshop Numbers	Selection
Wednesday, June 27 th Advance Training/Cultural Institutes	8:30 – 5:00 Institutes #1-6	
Thursday, June 28 th , Colloquium	10:30am Workshops #7- 18	
	1:30 pm Workshops #19 - 30	
	3:30 pm Workshops #31 – 42	
Friday, June 29 th , Colloquium	8:00 am Workshops #43 - 49	
	11:00 am Workshops #50 – 59	
	2:00 pm Workshops #60 – 67	
	4:00 pm Workshops #68 – 77	
Saturday, June 30 th , Colloquium	8:30 am Workshops #78 - 86	
	10:30 am Workshops #87- 95	

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Friday, June 29:	7.00 hrs.
Saturday, June 30:	3.00 hrs.

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Law Enforcement: Law Enforcement professionals who make application for continuing education credit will be furnished with verification of contact hours earned, which they may submit to their State POST for credit, as appropriate. Law Enforcement professionals should check with their State POST to determine if this program will be acceptable for continuing education requirements in their state.

CME Accreditation Statements:

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 Temple University School of Medicine and APSAC. Temple University School of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to sponsor Continuing Medical Education for physicians.

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Instructions for Obtaining Credit

In order to claim AMA PRA Category 1 CreditsTM for your participation in this activity, Activity Attendees must: Sign-in at the registration desk on the 1st day of the conference; Participate in the activity; Complete and return the Faculty Evaluations sheets daily; Complete and return the Activity Evaluation at the conclusion of the course; Complete, **including signature and indication of number of credits**, and return the Request for Credit Form at the conclusion of the activity. Certificates indicating AMA PRA Category 1 CreditsTM will be distributed via US mail 6 – 8 weeks following the conference. There is a \$30 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.

If you have questions concerning Continuing Medical Education, please contact Temple University School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA at (215) 707-4787.

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. (251) 990-5030 Phone/(251) 990-2655 FAX

ADA/Section 504: For accommodations on the basis of disability please contact us at jcampbell@apsac.org.

General Information

Colloquium Location/Lodging

The 2012 APSAC Annual Colloquium will be held at the Sheraton Chicago Hotel and Towers, 301 East North Water Street, Chicago IL 60611.

Located on the banks of the Chicago River, the hotel is within walking distance of the Magnificent Mile, Navy Pier, Millennium Park, the Loop business district, the Art Institute and much more.

The discounted rate for conference attendees is \$179 per night. These rates are available until June 1, 2012, or until the block is exhausted, whichever is first. Reservations can be made by calling Sheraton Reservations at 1-800-233-4100 or online at <http://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/apsac12> or at www.apsac.org. Please be sure to ask for the APSAC special rate. **We urge you to make your hotel reservations early.**

Join your colleagues on the Chicago Architectural Foundation Boat Tour (Available Wednesday and Friday 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.)



The Chicago Architecture Foundation River Cruise aboard Chicago's First Lady is a "must" for out-of-towners and Chicagoans alike. CAF certified docents interpret more than 50 buildings along the Chicago River, revealing how the city grew from a small backcountry outpost into one of the world's most important crossroads in less than 100 years.

The CAF tour provides an overview of historic and modern architectural styles, plus many stories about the people who designed and built our city. The Chicago Architecture Foundation has literally written the book about the Chicago River.

There is a full-service bar on board all River Cruise vessels where beverages and snacks can be purchased. Guests are allowed to bring their own food on board, and beverages can be purchased on board the boat.

There are only a limited number of tickets available as this is one of the most popular tours in Chicago. We expect this tour to sell out very quickly so purchase your tickets early.

Parking

The Sheraton offers valet parking (with in and out privileges) for up to 400 cars on a first-come, first-served basis. Overnight valet parking rate is \$49. Drop car off at the main entrance, retrieve car from the motor lobby accessible via elevators next to Shula's restaurant. Self-parking is available at a rate of \$37 per day (in and out privileges not available).

As an alternative to hotel parking, there are several self-parking garages located near the hotel which include: Ogden Plaza, River East (North Pier) Central, Cityfront Mid-Rise and Cityfront High-Rise. The Ogden Plaza self-parking (connected to the hotel via an enclosed skywalk). Parking does not include in or out privileges and payment must be made to the garage directly.

Transportation

The hotel is located at 301 E. North Water Street at Columbus Drive.

FROM THE AIRPORT

The nearest train (El) station is Grand Ave on the Red Line. Unfortunately, the two airports are on different lines, so if you wish to take the train, you will need to transfer. We strongly recommend taking the Airport Express Van. If you wish to take the train, see directions below.

Airport Shuttle

Continental Airport Express vans operate between both O'Hare (\$27) and Midway (\$25) and downtown hotels. Vans run between 6 am and 11:30 pm, leaving every 5-10 minutes from outside the baggage claim area. Make a return reservation at the hotel desk or at 888-284-3826.

Taxi

- O'Hare-Fare is about \$45-50 but can be more, depending on conditions.
- Midway-Fare is about \$30-35 but can be more, depending on conditions.

El Train (\$2.25)

- O'Hare Airport is on the Blue Line. Take the Blue Line train to Jackson, walk underground to the Red Line. Take the Red Line northbound (toward Howard) to Grand Ave.
- Midway is on the Orange Line. Take the Orange Line train to State/Lake and walk to the Red Line State St. station. Take the Red Line northbound (toward Howard) to Grand Ave.
- The hotel is about seven blocks from the Grand St. station.

FROM UNION STATION

Taxi- Fare is about \$10

Bus- (\$2.25) Catch the 124 bus at Canal and Monroe. Get off at Columbus and North Water.

General Information (Cont.)

Group Registration Discounts

APSAC is pleased to offer a discount for groups of five or more at a savings of 10% off of the regular registration rate for each attendee in the group. Group registrations must be mailed or faxed together - no exceptions.

Cancellations

APSAC will refund all written cancellation requests received by **June 1, 2012**, less a \$100 administrative fee. Refunds cannot be processed until after **August 1, 2012**. Registrations can be transferred to another party at anytime without penalty, as long as APSAC is notified in advance.

Volunteer Scholarships Available!

APSAC 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 **June 26-30, 2012** on-site at the Chicago Sheraton Hotel and Towers. 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 jcampbell@apsac.org.



Interested in presenting at the next Colloquium in Las Vegas?

The 2013 Call for Papers will be available soon at www.apsac.org or you can email us at apsaccolloquium@charter.net to request a form. APSAC is soliciting abstracts for training, research and poster presentations for the **21st Annual APSAC Colloquium**. Join us at 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.

Exhibitors and Sponsors

If you want to reach experts in the field of child maltreatment, join us in Chicago! The Colloquium offers an unparalleled opportunity to reach an interdisciplinary group of professionals from throughout the country. There are sponsorship and exhibiting options for all budgets. The exhibit application form is available on our website at www.apsac.org or by email at jcampbell@apsac.org. Exhibits at the Colloquium will be open on Wednesday, June 27 – Friday, June 29 from 7:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. and on Saturday, June 30 from 7:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.

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.

For more information visit our website:

www.apsac.org

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APSAC Membership Information

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

Benefits of Membership:

- *The APSAC Advisor*, a quarterly periodical that provides latest news in practice, research, legislation, publications, and training events in an easy to read format.
- *Child Maltreatment*, the distinguished nationally ranked quarterly journal that provides current research, policy, and practice information.
- Discounts on conferences and educational resources.
- The opportunity to participate in an interdisciplinary network of thousands of professionals, many of whom are the leading experts in the world.

How can I join APSAC?

You can join APSAC by registering for APSAC's 20th Annual Colloquium AT THE NON – MEMBER RATE which will make you a member through December 2012. During this time you will have access to APSAC's member benefits including the APSAC Advisor and Child Maltreatment Journal. At the end of 2012 you will be sent an invoice electronically asking you to renew for 2013. You may call the national office at (630) 941-1235 for assistance or information.

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