Connect. the. Dots! FREE child abuse prevention day mini CONFERENCE

THE SAMIS EDUCATION AND CONFERENCE CENTER · 1200 Children's Avenue · Oklahoma City

Tuesday, April 9, 2013

Workshop Schedule

12:45 pm - 1:00 pm	Registration - Register Online https://www.ok.gov/triton/modules/registration/register.php?event_seq=66475&calendar_seq=32 ***Space is limited and available to those that register on a first come, first serve basis.***

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1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Opening Welcome

Robert W. Letton, Jr., MD
Pediatric Trauma Medical Director
The Level 1 Pediatric Trauma Center
The Children's Hospital at OU Medical Center

Annette Jacobi, JD
Family Support & Prevention Service Director, OSDH

Keynote Address

CALL TO ACTION: PREVENTING CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE IN OKLAHOMA

Suzin Bartley, Massachusetts Children's Trust Fund (MA CTF)

(Auditorium)

2:00 pm - 2:15 pm — Break

2:15 pm - 3:00 pm

Overview of a Comprehensive Child Safety Program

Join Suzin Bartley to learn about the MA CTF initiative to prevent child sexual abuse. Learn about the importance of a school reporting protocol, a code of conduct and safe environment policies in child serving entities. Participants will have an opportunity to also view the Talking About Touching curriculum developed by the Committee for Children in Seattle Washington. The joys and challenges of implementing this comprehensive program will be discussed.

Suzin Bartley
MA CTF

(Auditorium)

Stop, Go & Tell

The Stop, Go and Tell workshop focuses on ways to prevent the cycle of childhood sexual abuse. This program is taken into the elementary schools and students are taught the importance of appropriate physical boundaries, personal space, safe people, etc. Sexual abuse is everywhere and Bethesda's Outreach Program is doing everything in its power to stop the cycle of abuse and to help empower children through education.

Amy Merrell, M.Ed., LPC
Bethesda, Inc.

(Conference B1)

The Oklahoma Women's Coalition: *OneVoice* for Women and Girls

A workshop covering the efforts of the Oklahoma Women's Coalition to improve the status of our state's women and girls.

Kristin Davis
Oklahoma Women's Coalition

(Conference B2)

Basics of Reporting Child Abuse

Information will be shared on basic reporting laws, examples of child abuse and neglect, how you report and information about the hotline. A general overview of the OKDHS stats in terms of numbers of referrals will also be shared.

Debra Knecht
Oklahoma State Department of Human Services

(Conference B3)

3:15 pm – 4:00 pm		**A Hope and A Future** Childhood abuse, neglect, and exposure to other traumatic stressors which we term adverse childhood experiences (ACE) lead to a multitude of health and social problems for individuals. How do we change that? What can we do? **Dr. Deborah Shropshire** **OU Children's Physicians** **(Auditorium)**	**Prevention and the Press: How to Leverage the Media to Share Child Welfare Stories** Too often, the media only asks child welfare organizations for interviews following a tragedy. Bound by confidentiality, many great organizations are often silenced, forced to ignore the reporter's call. Former journalists, authors, and child advocates, Cherokee Ballard and Britten Follett team up to give you an inside look at how to turn your child welfare success stories into top, compelling, and impactful stories on the evening news. **Cherokee Ballard & Britten Follett** **Co-authors "Who Killed Kelsey?" &** **Former Journalists** **(Conference B1)**	**Hosting a Community Cafe** Participants will learn the basics of hosting a Community Café – which is a flexible format for encouraging meaningful conversations amongst a large group. Hosts propose specific questions and allow participants to explore those questions by talking, listening and reflecting with one another. Participants rotate discussing new questions and interact with others. These conversations link and build on each other as people move between groups, cross-pollinate ideas, and discover new insights into the questions or issues that matter to their lives. The cafes are a great way to explore policies, sort out difficult problems and give parents a voice. **Sherri Jo McLemore** **Arkansas Children's Trust Fund** **(Conference B2)**	**The Rise and Fall of Child Sexual Abuse in Oklahoma** This workshop will review the statistics on substantiated cases of CSA in Oklahoma, the number of perpetrators on the adult sex offender registry, and the current prevention efforts in the state. **Barbara L. Bonner, PhD** **Professor of Pediatrics** **University of Oklahoma** **Health Sciences Center** **(Conference B3)**
4:00 pm – 4:15 pm		**Break**			
4:15 pm – 5:00 pm		**Closing Address** **PAY ATTENTION TO THE SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH** What will be Oklahoma's future? We now have more than advocacy on our side as we talk about preventing and remediating adversities during childhood. We have new science that supports the need to focus on early childhood health, education and well-being. We either learn the science and use it to create new economic balance, or we continue to slide downhill by failing to provide needed services to families and children. **Dr. Robert Block** **(Auditorium)**			
5:00 pm		Thanks for attending!			

- We would like to hear from you! Please complete the online evaluation at this link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/2013CAPDAY
- Mark your calendar now for next year's CAP Day at the Capitol & Mini Conference – Tuesday, April 8, 2014!

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