

FREE
Full-day Training



Child Sexual Abuse: The Benefits of a Collaborative Response

REGISTER EARLY - SPACE IS LIMITED

May 6, 2009 ♦ Concord College

Registration deadline April 27

May 27, 2009 ♦ Martinsburg Holiday Inn

Registration deadline May 21

June 3, 2009 ♦ Chief Logan Conference Center

Registration deadline May 12

June 10, 2009 ♦ Bridgeport Conference Center

Registration for this site has reached capacity.

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Registration 8:30 - 9:00
Lunch will be provided

Register online at
www.wvchildrensjustice.org/register.html

This conference is presented through the generous funding of the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources. Additional sponsors include the WV Coalition Against Domestic Violence, Family Counseling Connection, WV CASA Association, WV Child Advocacy Network, and WV Crime Victims Compensation Fund.

AGENDA

8:30am - 9:00am	Registration
9:00am - 9:30am	Contributing Factors to Child Abuse
9:30am - 10:00am	What is Child Sexual Abuse?
10:00am - 10:30am	Myths About Child Sexual Abuse
10:30am - 10:45am	Break
10:45am - 11:15am	Victims of Child Sexual Abuse
11:15am - 11:45am	Perpetrators of Child Sexual Abuse
11:45am - 12:00pm	Introduction of Case
12:00pm - 1:00pm	Lunch
1:00pm - 1:15pm	CACs
1:15pm - 1:45pm	Response: Law Enforcement
1:45pm - 2:15pm	Response: Child Protective Services
2:15pm - 2:30pm	Break
2:30pm - 3:00pm	Response: Medical
3:00pm - 3:30pm	Response: Prosecution and the Courts
3:30pm - 3:45pm	CASA
3:45pm - 4:00pm	Q&A
4:00pm	Adjourn

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Continuing Education Units are approved and being provided through the WV Coalition Against Domestic Violence and the WV CASA Association.



Counseling - 5.5 Hours
Domestic Violence - 5.5 Hours
Law Enforcement - 5 Hours
Legal (CLEs) - 6.6 Hours
Nursing - 5.5 Hours
Social Work - 5.5 Hours



PRESENTERS

Cpl. Adam Scott is the Coordinator for the West Virginia State Police Child Protection Unit Troop 1. Cpl. Scott has been with the WV State Police since 1996. He is currently on the Board of Directors for the Marion County Child Advocacy Center, is a member of the Harrison, Marion, and Monongalia County Multidisciplinary Investigative Teams. He is a Joint Agency Instructor with the West Virginia Child Protective Service and West Virginia State Police, as well as a Let State of West Virginia Law Enforcement Instructor. Cpl. Scott was sworn in as an expert witness in the field of Child Abuse and Neglect Investigations in the Marion County Circuit Court. He has made numerous presentations on issues related to child sexual assault, abuse, neglect, and interview and interrogation of child abuse suspects. He has been invited as a guest lecturer for criminal justice classes at various state universities and colleges.

Susan McQuaide received her BA degree in Psychology from West Virginia University and MA degree from West Virginia College of Graduate Studies. Susan is the Director of Sexual Abuse Counseling Services for Braley and Thompson in Dunbar, WV. Susan is a Licensed Social Worker and a Certified Sex Offender Treatment Specialist. Susan is Vice President of the Board of Directors of Parents United International, which provides technical assistance and support to child sexual abuse treatment programs providers across the United States, Canada, and Mexico. She is the past WV state representative to the National Coalition Against Sexual Assault. She has provided training at local, state, and national conferences, including the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, The National Juvenile Perpetrator Network, The National Symposium on Child Abuse and Neglect, Parents United International, and the National Coalition Against Sexual Assault. She is often called to provide testimony as an expert witness.

Shannon Jones Johnson is the Assistant Prosecuting Attorney in Randolph County. She is a graduate of West Virginia University and the West Virginia University College of Law. She serves as the president of the Randolph County Child Advocacy Center Board of Directors and the President of the Randolph County 4H Leaders Association. In 2008, Ms. Johnson was named the West Virginia Young Lawyer of the Year. Shannon has made presentations on testifying in court, ethics in prosecution, and mandatory reporting.

Andrea Darr has been the Coordinator of Victim and Witness Services for the West Virginia Prosecuting Attorneys Institute for the last 3 years. In that capacity she coordinates with prosecution based victim and witness assistance programs as well as community based programs to improve their collective knowledge concerning available resources and information and to establish a bridge between local, state and federal agencies regarding victim issues. In addition to these duties, in 2005 Andrea established the WV Drug Endangered Children Task Force (DEC), which she still chairs. The DEC was established for the purpose of providing a consistent, coordinated approach to the safety and environmental permanency of children who are exposed to illicit drugs. Prior to joining the WV Prosecuting Attorneys Institute, Andrea worked at the Kanawha County Prosecuting Attorneys Office serving as the victim assistance coordinator and provided direct services to victims of crime, violence and abuse.

PRESENTERS

Toby Lester is a 1998 graduate of Marshall University, with a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice. Mr. Lester worked as a CPS Investigator in Kanawha County prior to moving to the Charlotte, North Carolina area in 2000. Mr. Lester was employed as a Child Abuse Investigator in North Carolina, specializing in sexual abuse and serious injury cases. Mr. Lester moved back to WV and worked a short time in Kanawha County as a CPS Investigator before being hired as the CPS Policy Specialist for the Division of Children and Adult Services in February 2007. In his current position, Mr. Lester has numerous duties including but not limited to writing CPS Policies, the re-design of the current CPS Model and subsequent FACTS re-design as it relates to the as yet unreleased CPS Model, and reviewing and providing recommendations on proposed legislation that may impact CPS. Mr. Lester also serves as the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act Liaison with the Federal Government ensuring that West Virginia's CPS Policies comply with Federal Guidelines. Mr. Lester is a member the Domestic Violence Fatality Review Team, the Court Improvement Board Court Overlap Committee, the Court Improvement Board Training Committee, Coalition for Safe Families, Domestic Violence Definitions Task Force, Domestic Violence Policy Task Force, CPS Redesign Committee Chair, Drug Endangered Child Task Force, Worker Safety Task Force, Children's Justice Task Force, and Citizen's Review Panel.

Joyce Yedlosky is the Protective Services Coordinator with the West Virginia Coalition Against Domestic Violence. Joyce coordinates the statewide Domestic Violence/Child Victimization Study and Policy Workgroup and the statewide Disability/Later Life Task Force which consists of statewide representatives from the domestic violence network, the court system, child and adult protective services and other representatives working with issues of domestic violence and the protection of families. Joyce has 22 years of experience working in the human services field and 17 years of experience and training with issues of domestic violence. This experience includes institutional and community mental health, home health care, foster care social work, foster parent and domestic violence advocacy. Joyce also participates on the WV Supreme Court Improvement Project, the state Citizen Review Panel, the Drug Endangered Children's Task Force, the Children's Justice Task Force, and the Financial Exploitation Workgroup.

Michele Bush is the Executive Director for the West Virginia CASA Association, where she has been employed for the last year. In her capacity as the Executive Director, Michele coordinates with local CASA program directors to enhance their collective knowledge concerning available victim/witness resources and information, and to establish a bridge between local, state and federal agencies regarding victim issues. Michele received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Hotel, Restaurant, and Institutional Management from Virginia Tech and a Master of Science Degree in Health Care Administration from Marshall University Graduate College. Michele also represents the WV CASA Association on several committees regarding victim issues, including the US Attorney's Victim Assistance Committee, the WV Court Improvement Program Board, the WV Drug Endangered Children's Task Force, the Coalition for Safe Families, and the WV State Victim Assistance Academy. Prior to joining the WV CASA Association, Michele worked at the WV Prevention Resource Center serving as a planning specialist, coordinating continuing education credits statewide for conferences and trainings.

DIRECTIONS

Concord College Ballroom (The Ballroom is located in the Student Center)

FROM THE NORTH

Take I-77 S and take EXIT 14; turn LEFT towards Athens (approx. 2.6 miles) to the intersection with WV-20. Turn LEFT and travel approx. 3 miles to Athens. At the stop light, turn RIGHT on Vermillion St., traveling approx. 1/2 mile to the CU entrance on the left.

FROM THE SOUTH

Take I-77 N and take EXIT 14; turn RIGHT towards Athens (approx. 2.6 miles) to the intersection with WV-20. Turn LEFT and travel approx. 3 miles to Athens. At the stop light, turn RIGHT on Vermillion St., traveling approx. 1/2 mile to the CU entrance on the left.

FROM THE WEST

Take I-81 N to I-77 N and take EXIT 14; turn RIGHT towards Athens (approx. 2.6 miles) to the intersection with WV-20. Turn LEFT and travel approx. 3 miles to Athens. At the stop light, turn RIGHT on Vermillion St., traveling approx. 1/2 mile to the CU entrance on the left.

FROM THE EAST

Take I-81 S and merge onto US-460 W via EXIT 118B toward CHRISTIANBURG/BLACKSBURG (crossing into W.Va.) for approx. 56 miles. Turn RIGHT onto WV-104/AMBROSE LN. Turn LEFT onto WV-104. Turn RIGHT onto WV-20/ATHENS RD. Follow WV-20 to Athens (approx. 6 miles). At the stop light, turn RIGHT on Vermillion St., traveling approx. 1/2 mile to the CU entrance on the left.

Martinsburg Holiday Inn

The hotel is located off of exit 13 on Interstate 81.

Chief Logan Conference Center

Chief Logan Lodge, Hotel and Conference Center is located one mile off US 119 between Logan and Chapmanville WV.

Traveling south and having passed the Old Logan Road exit, watch for signs reading Chief Logan Conference Center (brown sign) and Upper Crawley Creek Road (green sign). The lodge exit is within yards of the 30.5 mile marker. Access road is on the left. Drivers will need to be in the left lane and then to a short turning lane.

Traveling north on US 119 and having passed Fountain Place Shopping Center, watch for signs reading Chief Logan Conference Center (brown sign) and Upper Crawley Creek Rd (green sign). Access road is on the right. Drivers need to stay in the right lane and use turn signals well in advance. The approach to Conference Center Drive does not have a turning lane.

Bridgeport Conference Center

Northbound: Exit 124 off I-79. Turn right at end of off-ramp. Drive uphill (east on 279) and take the first left into Charles Pointe. After entering, take your first left onto Conference Center Way. Follow and the road will lead directly to the Bridgeport Conference Center.

Southbound: Exit 124 off I-79. Turn left at end of off-ramp onto 279, eastbound. Drive up a hill and at the top, take a left into Charles Pointe. After entering, take your first left onto Conference Center Way. Follow and the road will lead directly to the Bridgeport Conference Center.