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September 10, 2010

### 2010 OSDPN MEETINGS & RSVP

#### **THE OHIO SPECIALIZED DOCKETS PRACTITIONER NETWORK**

With over 125 specialized dockets in operation throughout Ohio, the Supreme Court of Ohio, the Ohio Department of Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services and the Ohio Department of Mental Health have recognized the need for interaction among the professionals that staff these courts. In order to provide such a forum, the Ohio Specialized Docket Practitioner Network was created to provide peer support and technical assistance to these programs. The Network is comprised of several sub-networks that meet by discipline. These sub-network meetings allow specialized docket practitioners to discuss the challenges and successes they have faced in their specific role on the specialized docket court team. In addition, the sub-network meetings offer opportunities for specialized docket professionals to provide program updates, discuss program operations, and discover innovative and effective strategies employed by other specialized dockets. If you are a member of a court's specialized docket team and would like to participate in the Network or learn more, then please contact our office at (614) 387-9425.

## 2010 OSDPN Sub-Network Meeting Dates & RSVP

All meetings are 10 – 2 and at the [Judicial Center](#) unless noted otherwise.

Judges	<b>Nov. 17 – Worthington Doubletree Suites</b> (5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.)  *Please indicate which date you plan to attend in your RSVP.	Send your RSVP to: <a href="mailto:Kevin.Lottes@sc.ohio.gov">Kevin.Lottes@sc.ohio.gov</a>
Program Coordinators	<b>October 8</b>  *Please indicate which date you plan to attend in your RSVP.	Send your RSVP to: <a href="mailto:CharIsia.Brown@sc.ohio.gov">CharIsia.Brown@sc.ohio.gov</a>
Probation Officers	<b>October 28</b>  *Please indicate which date you plan to attend in your RSVP.	Send your RSVP to: <a href="mailto:CharIsia.Brown@sc.ohio.gov">CharIsia.Brown@sc.ohio.gov</a>

### SAVE THE DATE!

#### 2010 OSDPN ANNUAL CONFERENCE – *ON A FIRM FOUNDATION: THE EVIDENCE FOR SPECIALIZED DOCKETS*

**Date:** November 18, 2010

**Location:** Doubletree Hotel – Worthington

The 2010 Specialized Dockets Practitioner Network annual conference offers national speakers and several breakout sessions on a wide-range of topics relevant to specialized docket programs. This annual event attracts more than 300 attendees from throughout the state, providing participants access to open communication and promoting relationships among professionals across county lines.

### 2010 ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON SPECIALIZED DOCKETS MEETING DATES

The 2010 *Advisory Committee on Specialized Dockets* meeting dates are scheduled as follows:

**September 24, 2010**

All meetings are from **10 p.m. to 2 p.m.** at the Ohio Judicial Center.

For directions to the Court, please visit our [website](#).

### 2010 ACMIC MEETING DATES

The 2010 *Advisory Committee on Mental Illness and the Courts (ACMIC)* meetings are scheduled as follows:

**October 25, 2010**

All meetings are from **1 p.m. to 3 p.m.** in the Judicial Education Center at the Ohio Judicial Center.

For directions to the Court, please visit our [website](#).

## NEWS

### **MENTAL HEALTH GROUP IN CLEVELAND TRIES TO BREAK DOWN BARRIERS IN BLACK, HISPANIC COMMUNITIES**

Black and Hispanic communities historically have been more disconnected from the medical profession because of differing cultural attitudes, distrust, language barriers and limited resources, among other factors. The two groups also tend to consider mental illness as a sign of weakness, which might prompt some to forgo medical treatment. In an effort to de-stigmatize mental illness within the black and Hispanic communities, the National Alliance on Mental Illness Greater Cleveland has launched a workshop series designed to educate individuals and their families about mental health conditions and their symptoms. [More...](#)

### **HOCKING COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE AND DEA HEADS FIRST-EVER NATIONWIDE PRESCRIPTION DRUG TAKE-BACK DAY**

Sheriff Lanny E. North and the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) announced today a nationwide prescription drug "Take-Back" initiative that seeks to prevent increased pill abuse and theft. DEA will be collecting potentially dangerous expired, unused, and unwanted prescription drugs for destruction. The prescription drug turn in will be held at the Hocking County Sheriff's Office located at 25 East Second Street on Saturday, September 25<sup>th</sup> from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The service is free and anonymous, no questions asked. You will be able to drive through the parking lot to drop off your old or un-used prescriptions.

### **CREATING A DOMESTIC-VIOLENCE-FATALITY STUDY PANEL WITH TEETH: EDITORIAL**

When a committee set up to reduce domestic-violence-related killings can't get judges, police and social service agencies to take its findings seriously, it's a sign the project is fatally flawed and needs new leadership. [More...](#)

### **LAW DIRECTOR: DIVERSION PROGRAM RIGHT FOR SOME OFFENDERS**

When many people think of court, they imagine a trial by jury and a sentence possibly stemming from a verdict. But the reality is a jury trial is extremely rare, and for the hundreds of people who face a criminal charge every year, there are other options. Particularly for misdemeanor crimes, one of those options might be diversion. [More...](#)

### **COURT PROGRAM HELPS FAMILIES**

The Trumbull County Family Dependency Treatment Court celebrated its first graduate last week. Jodi Milhoan, program facilitator, and Magistrate Deborah Marik of Trumbull County Family Court said the program works with parents who have had their children taken away or are in danger of losing their children because of their addiction. "We support them through their recovery," Milhoan said. [More...](#)

## FUNDING

### **APPLICATION DEADLINE: 4 P.M. WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 15, 2010**

Ohio Attorney General Richard Cordray announces a Request for Proposals (RFP) for the Community Small Grant Program, which will support nonprofit (501c3) organizations located in Ohio. Grants from \$2,000 to \$10,000 will be awarded for innovative projects that address local needs related to youth and families, the elderly, people with disabilities and others. These funds have been used in the past for a variety of projects, such as community holiday meals for families who are homeless, adult day services for senior citizens, summer camping and mentoring programs for youth, and outdoor rehabilitation programs for people with disabilities. The project period is for 12 months, and begins November 2010. A total of \$200,000 is being made available for this funding round. Funds are intended for specific projects rather than ongoing operational costs and must not supplant current project funds. Complete applications that include the cover sheet, brief program description, budget and budget narrative in the space provided must be submitted online at [AGOGrants@OhioAttorneyGeneral.gov](mailto:AGOGrants@OhioAttorneyGeneral.gov). Please use 12-point font and single space your responses. Awardees must be recognized as 501c3 organizations by the Internal Revenue Service, the Office of the Attorney General and the Ohio Secretary of State. All funding decisions are the sole discretion of the Ohio Attorney General. Questions about this opportunity should be sent to: [AGOGrants@OhioAttorneyGeneral.gov](mailto:AGOGrants@OhioAttorneyGeneral.gov) or go to <http://www.ohioattorneygeneral.gov/CommunitySmallGrant>

### **ALCOHOL ABUSE RESEARCH GRANTS**

**Deadline:** October 5, 2010

**Website:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAS-10-246.html>

The Department of Health and Human Services announces a program to develop strategies for treatment of young adults with alcohol use disorders - To support new research on the treatment of young adults (18-25 years of age) with alcohol use disorders. Eligibility is limited to institutions of higher education, nonprofits, small businesses, for-profits, state and tribal governments, U.S. territories and foreign organizations. There will be \$1.5 million awarded (multiple awards).

### **RESEARCH ON MENTAL HEALTH IN JUSTICE SETTINGS**

**Deadline:** October 30, 2010 (for letters of intent)

**Website:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-MH-11-060.html#SectionII>

The National Institutes of Health announces a program to conduct research to test the effectiveness of strategies for the delivery of evidence-based mental health treatments, services and suicide prevention in criminal (adult) or juvenile justice settings. Eligibility is limited to institutions of higher education, nonprofits, for-profits, small businesses, state, tribal and city governments, independent school districts, public housing authorities, faith based and community organizations. There will be \$3 million available for four to five awards.

### **OFFICE DEPOT COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT GRANT**

**Deadline:** November 15, 2010

**Website:** <http://www.officedepotfoundation.com/funding.asp>

The Office Depot Foundation announces a grant program for the priorities of serving, teaching and inspiring children, youth and families; supporting civic organizations and activities that serve community needs; and disaster relief. Nonprofits are eligible. Most grants average about \$1000 each.

### **REDUCING EXPOSURE TO VIOLENCE IN UNDERSERVED COMMUNITIES**

**Deadline:** Throughout 2010

**Website:** [http://www.rwjf.org/files/applications/cfp/overview\\_lfp\\_peacefulpathways2010.pdf](http://www.rwjf.org/files/applications/cfp/overview_lfp_peacefulpathways2010.pdf)

The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Local Funding Partnerships is seeking nominations from diversity-focused funders for projects to reduce violence in traditionally underserved communities that are defined by race, ethnicity, tribe, gender, sexual identity or rural/frontier location. The

Foundation is open to nonprofits, but shows a preference for diversity-focused groups. There will be eight matching grants of \$50,000 to \$200,000. Proposals may be submitted at any time throughout 2010 and will be reviewed on the following dates: September 1, 2010 and January 5, 2011.

### **BUILD-A-BEAR WORKSHOP GIVING PROGRAMS TO FUND CHILDREN'S HEALTH & WELLNESS; APPLICATION DEADLINE VARIES**

Build-A-Bear Workshop, Inc. awards Children's Health & Wellness Champ-A-Champion Fur Kids grants twice annually to provide direct support for children in the areas of health and wellness. Grantees include childhood disease research foundations, child safety organizations, and organizations that serve children with special needs. Application deadlines are at the end of April, July, and October. Grant applications can be submitted through the Build-A-Bear Workshop Bear Hugs Foundation at <http://www.buildabear.com/aboutus/community/grants>. Organizations seeking unrestricted support for children are also encouraged to apply for grants through the nonprofit Build-A-Bear Workshop Foundation. The foundation reviews grant applications on a rolling basis. Grants range between \$1,000 and \$10,000 each.

### **HUMAN AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Website:** [www.macfound.org/site/c.lkLXJ8MQKrH/b.938141/k.FEFC/Domestic\\_Grantmaking](http://www.macfound.org/site/c.lkLXJ8MQKrH/b.938141/k.FEFC/Domestic_Grantmaking)

The Chicago-based John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation's Program on Human and Community Development will focus its grant-making strategies on community change and juvenile justice. The Juvenile Justice effort maintains a national scope and promotes an effective juvenile justice system that is linked to relevant agencies, is acknowledged to play a critical role in the community and is held accountable for public safety as well as the rehabilitation of young offenders. Grant award funding levels vary. Eligible applicants for the Juvenile Justice program include a variety of organizations in the United States.

### **PUBLIC WELFARE FOUNDATION GRANTS**

**Deadline:** Open and rolling

**Website:** [www.publicwelfare.org](http://www.publicwelfare.org)

The Public Welfare Foundation (PWF) offers \$1.5 million in grants for its Criminal Justice Program competition. Funds promote a fair and humane criminal justice system and violence prevention that includes alternatives to incarceration, effective legal representation and the reintegration of offenders as productive citizens. Proposals are welcomed from a wide range of organizations and can include both governmental and independent advocacy groups.

### **MCCORMICK TRIBUNE FOUNDATION COMMUNITIES PROGRAM GRANTS**

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Website:** [www.mccormicktribune.org/programs.aspx](http://www.mccormicktribune.org/programs.aspx)

The McCormick Tribune Foundation Communities Program supports efforts to stimulate local philanthropy and improve community life through collaborative partnerships in communities nationwide. The foundation helps to support projects that address basic human needs, children and youth at risk, and community strengthening efforts.

### **SAMHSA CONFERENCE GRANTS**

**Website:** [http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/conference/PA\\_06\\_001\\_Conference.aspx](http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/conference/PA_06_001_Conference.aspx)

**Description:** The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) accepts applications twice a year for Knowledge Dissemination Conference Grants to support sharing information on best practices and the integration of that knowledge into real world practice.

### **OFFICE DEPOT TAKING CARE OF KIDS AND SCHOOLS GRANTS**

**Website:** [www.community.officedepot.com/local.asp](http://www.community.officedepot.com/local.asp).

**Description:** Office Depot supports local nonprofit organizations that directly affect the health, education and welfare of children. Office Depot is accepting applications for its Taking Care of Kids & Schools Grants Program. Funds should be used to directly provide services.

## **WOMEN'S MENTAL HEALTH IN PREGNANCY AND THE POSTPARTUM PERIOD**

**Website:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-07-081.html>

**Description:** This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) solicits research project grant applications on the topic of women's mental health in relation to pregnancy and the postpartum period.

## **REDUCTION AND PREVENTION OF SUICIDALITY**

**Website:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-07-079.html>

**Description:** The purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to invite grant applications for research that will reduce the burden of suicidality (deaths, attempts, and ideation).

## **EFFECTIVENESS, PRACTICE, AND IMPLEMENTATION IN THE CENTER FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES' COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES SERVICE SITES.**

**Website:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-07-091.html>

**Description:** The National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH), National Institutes of Health (NIH), invites research grant applications on services delivered to children, adolescents, and their families through the Center for Mental Health Services' (CMHS) Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children and Their Families Program initiative (hereafter referred to as the "Children's Services Program").

## **ALLSTATE FOUNDATION LAUNCHES NEW DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROGRAM**

**NEW WEBSITE:** <http://www.econempowerment.org/>

**Description:** The Allstate Foundation is taking a stand. It provides resources and programs that support survivors of domestic abuse and their advocates – by addressing the issues of financial security and economic empowerment.

## **CALL FOR PAPERS & ARTICLES**

### **OJJDP INVITES MANUSCRIPTS FOR UPCOMING JOURNAL OF JUVENILE JUSTICE**

The Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) will launch its new online, peer-reviewed journal, the "[Journal of Juvenile Justice](#)," at the [annual meeting](#) of the Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences, which will be held March 1-5, 2011, in Toronto, Canada.

Authors are invited to submit manuscripts for consideration for publication in the first two issues of the journal scheduled for release in 2011. Proposed articles may address a broad spectrum of juvenile justice-related issues, such as delinquency prevention, intervention and treatment, and juvenile victimization. Readers are anticipated to include researchers, clinicians, practitioners, administrators, policy analysts, educators, and students.

Resources: To access instructions for authors and other relevant information, visit [mc.manuscriptcentral.com/jojj/](http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/jojj/). Questions may be e-mailed to Monica Robbers, Ph.D., Managing Editor, Journal of Juvenile Justice, at [mrobbers@csrincorporated.com](mailto:mrobbers@csrincorporated.com).

### **INTERSTATE COMMISSION FOR JUVENILES INVITES COMMENTS ON PROPOSED RULES**

The [Interstate Commission for Juveniles](#) has issued a request for public comment on proposed rules relevant to the implementation of the Interstate Compact on Juveniles, including rules addressing juvenile sex offenders being sent across state lines and probable cause hearings in receiving states for juveniles who are subject to retaking for violation of conditions of supervision that may result in a revocation in sending states. The Interstate Compact for Juveniles (ICJ) is a multistate agreement that provides the procedural means to regulate the movement across state lines of juveniles who are under court supervision. Written comments should be submitted to:

Ashley Lippert, Executive Director  
Interstate Commission for Juveniles  
2760 Research Park Drive  
Lexington, KY 40511  
[alippert@csg.org](mailto:alippert@csg.org) (e-mail)  
859-244-8029 (office)  
859-244-8001 (fax)

The deadline for sending comments is September 13, 2010, the date of a public hearing scheduled for San Antonio, TX.

#### **NADCP CONFERENCE**

**Dates:** July 17-20, 2011

**Location:** Washington, DC - Gaylord National Resort and Convention Center in National Harbor

The annual NADCP Conference is so valuable and educational because the field takes extreme pride in offering its experience to better Drug Courts, DWI Courts, Mental Health Courts and other Problem-Solving Courts around the nation and abroad. Let's make sure next year's conference in National Harbor continues this tradition. **The deadline for next year's Call for Papers is September 24, 2010**

**You MUST submit your abstract electronically. Click here to submit your abstract.**

#### **SPECIAL ISSUE OF *VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN* ON CONTEMPORARY PERSPECTIVES ON BATTERED WOMEN'S USE OF NON-FATAL FORCE IN INTIMATE HETEROSEXUAL RELATIONSHIPS: A CONTEXTUAL APPROACH**

*Violence Against Women* is seeking manuscripts for a special issue on contemporary perspectives regarding battered women's use of non-fatal force in their intimate heterosexual relationships.

Submissions from a variety of disciplines are encouraged including, but not limited to: social work, psychology, philosophy, cultural studies, sociology, law, anthropology, and criminology. Submissions may be empirically based (but do not need to be), and themes may include (but are not limited to): domestic violence, women in prison, criminalization of women's behavior, probation experiences, legal system strategies, and/or historical as well as cross-cultural analyses. Manuscripts that include innovative strategies in work with women from communities of color and other marginalized groups are of particular interest.

**Submission Deadline:** January 7, 2011

Manuscripts should not exceed 30 double-space pages, including tables, references, and notes.

Authors should email their manuscripts to: Lisa Young Larance, at [llarance@csswashtenaw.org](mailto:llarance@csswashtenaw.org)

## OHIO TRAININGS

### OHIO JUSTICE ALLIANCE FOR COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS 24TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE - BUILDING FOR SUCCESS: FROM ARREST TO REENTRY

**When:** September 30 from 7:30a.m. to 5:15p.m and October 1 from 8a.m. to noon.

**Where:** Crowne Plaza Columbus North Hotel, 6500 Doubletree Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

The two-day conference will cover several practices proven by research to produce better outcomes and reduce criminal risk in the community corrections population for both adults & juveniles. Participants will learn about treatment models for dual diagnosis, crisis intervention, reentry programming, motivational interviewing and effective practices in community supervision, and substance abuse screening and referral to treatment.

There is a fee associated with this conference. For more information, click [here](#) or contact Cheryl Taylor at 740.420.6444 or [tctaylor@mac.com](mailto:tctaylor@mac.com).

### FREE GRANT WRITING SEMINARS

OCJS is hosting several free Grant Writing Seminars in 2010. The trainings provide an overview of identifying grant sources, analyzing program objectives, creating a budget, seeking letters of support, and proposal writing. Federal and state grants available to criminal justice professionals will be discussed. Attendees will also receive the OCJS publication, *Grant Writing: Identifying and Applying for Funding in a Competitive Market*.

Trainings will take place on the following dates: Tuesday, September 28; Tuesday, November 30; and Tuesday, December 21.

All trainings will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the Ohio Department of Public Safety's Motorcycle Classroom, located at 1970 W. Broad St., Columbus, on the first floor.

To download and print a training registration form, visit:

[http://publicsafety.ohio.gov/links/ocjs\\_TrainingForm.pdf](http://publicsafety.ohio.gov/links/ocjs_TrainingForm.pdf)

### GENERATION RX: A COMMUNITY RESPONSE TO PRESCRIPTION DRUG ABUSE

**Date:** September 14, 2010

**Location:** WOSU@COSI, Columbus, Ohio

**Time:** 10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Check-in will begin at 9:00 a.m.

This event is **FREE** and open to all high school/college students and concerned members of your community!

To register for this event and view the agenda, [click here](#). Deadline for registration is September 3rd. Parking at COSI is \$5 per car. Free lunch, certificates of attendance and CEUs/RCHs provided for all registered participants.

Questions? Please contact Kristen Frederick at [KFrederick@DrugFreeActionAlliance.org](mailto:KFrederick@DrugFreeActionAlliance.org) or Marcie Seidel at [MSeidel@DrugFreeActionAlliance.org](mailto:MSeidel@DrugFreeActionAlliance.org)

### OSU DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHIATRY GRAND ROUNDS

Supported by the OSU Stress, Trauma and Resilience (STAR) Program

**September 15, 2010**

*The Neurobiology of Eating Disorders: Clinical Applications*

Dr. Laura Hill, PHD

Dr. Walter H. Kaye, MD

All of these grand round sessions are **free** and open to the public. They are all scheduled from 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. and will take place on the OSU Medical Center Campus in the Room 170 Auditorium of the Davis Heart

and Lung Research Institute, 473 W. 12th Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43210. 1 CME hour is awarded for each presentation.

**THE MARGARET CLARK MORGAN FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES THE UPCOMING MORGAN FORUM ON *ADVANCING THE RECOVERY CULTURE***

**Date:** Monday September 20, 2010

**Time:** 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Forum:** *Advancing the Recovery Culture*

**Location:** The Conference Center at Northeastern Ohio Universities Colleges of Medicine and Pharmacy (NEOUCOM/P)

**Sponsor groups:** The Margaret Clark Morgan Foundation

Register online at [http://www.mcmfdn.org/Forum\\_Advancing\\_Recovery\\_Culture.html](http://www.mcmfdn.org/Forum_Advancing_Recovery_Culture.html)

**THE DULUTH MODEL TRAINING: THE LATEST APPROACH IN WORKING WITH MEN WHO BATTER**

**Date:** September 22, 23, & 24, 2010 (**Must attend all three days**)

**Location:** Mid-Ohio Foodbank, Grove City (Columbus), Ohio

**Who Should Attend?:**

This training is most appropriate for those who work directly with male perpetrators of domestic violence in batterers intervention programs (BIPs). BIP supervisors, victim advocates collaborating with BIPs, BIP monitors, and others interested are welcome to participate.

**About the Training:**

This is a comprehensive training for BIPs on working with men who batter using the Duluth Model. Many people worldwide claim to be using or teaching the Duluth Model approach. However, one must recognize that the Duluth Model is an ever-evolving philosophy and practice based on the expertise of the actual work to end battering in Duluth, Minnesota. In this training, participants will be able to learn the latest and most effective components of the model based on the 30-year experience of the Domestic Abuse Intervention Project.

**To Register:**

Click here - <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/XTZ2H5G>

Or go to [www.odvn.org](http://www.odvn.org).

The space is limited - if you are interested, please register SOON.

If you have any questions, please contact Reiko at [reikoo@odvn.org](mailto:reikoo@odvn.org).

**MULTIETHNIC ADVOCATES FOR CULTURAL COMPETENCE STATEWIDE TRAINING CONFERENCE AND ANNUAL MEETING**

**THE CULTURAL MOSAIC OF LATINOS IN OHIO: CARE, COMMITMENT AND COMPETENCE**

**Date:** September 23-24, 2010

**Location:** Doubletree Hotel, Worthington/Columbus, 175 Hutchinson Avenue, Columbus, OH 43235

Please download the [conference registration brochure](#) or register [online](#).

**CREATING SAFE AND CARING SCHOOLS**

**Date:** Tuesday, September 28, 2010

**Location:** Youngstown, OH

Social and emotional learning (SEL) refers to knowledge, habits, skills and ideas that are at the heart of a child's success in school, but also in life. Many of the elements important to social and emotional learning are also key to preventing high-risk behaviors, and supporting the positive experiences that young people need to be healthy, caring, competent and responsible adults. SEL provides a

framework to help school communities develop safe, caring learning environments and coordinate school-based prevention efforts. For more information on how to register, contact: [ontasc@aol.com](mailto:ontasc@aol.com)

### **SUSTAINING EVIDENCE-BASED PRACTICES: THE NEXT TEN YEARS 2010 CONFERENCE**

**Dates:** October 12, 13 & 14, 2010

**Location:** Greater Columbus Convention Center, Columbus, Ohio

Evidence-based practices and other strategies for enhancing services and outcomes for people diagnosed with mental illness or co-occurring mental illness and substance use disorders.

<http://www.centerforebp.case.edu/news/detail.html?articleID=144>

### **JUDICIAL COLLEGE PRESENTS: MENTALLY ILL YOUTH IN THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM**

**Date:** October 13 - 14, 2010

**Location:** Columbus, Ohio

**Audience:** for Juvenile Court Personnel only

To receive a copy of the brochure and enrollment form, contact [Patti.Reid@sc.ohio.gov](mailto:Patti.Reid@sc.ohio.gov)

### **JUDICIAL COLLEGE PRESENTS: PROBATION OFFICER SAFETY – BASIC DEFENSIVE TACTICS**

**Date:** November 4, 2010

**Location:** OPOTA – London, Ohio

To receive a copy of the brochure and enrollment form, contact [Patti.Reid@sc.ohio.gov](mailto:Patti.Reid@sc.ohio.gov)

### **JUDICIAL COLLEGE PRESENTS: ADVANCED DEFENSIVE TACTICS**

**Date:** November 5, 2010

**Location:** OPOTA – London, Ohio

To receive a copy of the brochure and enrollment form, contact [Patti.Reid@sc.ohio.gov](mailto:Patti.Reid@sc.ohio.gov)

### **FAMILY ENGAGEMENT AND JUVENILE JUSTICE ROUNDTABLES**

**Dates & Locations:** November 10 – Columbus

**Register Now – Space is limited!**

The Supreme Court of Ohio Specialized Dockets Section, Ohio Department of Youth Services, and the Global Issues Resource Center at Cuyahoga Community College have partnered to host two roundtables during 2010. Who should attend: All juvenile justice practitioners and their partners. CEUs, Social Work, Counselor credits, and RCH are available. Psychology credits are being explored.

To request a registration brochure, contact Global Issues Resource Center at 216.987.2224 or

[Shawn.McElroy@tri-c.edu](mailto:Shawn.McElroy@tri-c.edu)

### **SAVE THE DATE: MAPPING THE FUTURE: 2010 OHIO HOUSING CONFERENCE**

**Dates:** November 30 – December 2, 2010

**Location:** The Greater Columbus Convention Center

## NATIONAL TRAININGS

### ONLINE COURSES TRAIN JUVENILE JUSTICE MANAGERS

The [National Juvenile Court Services Association](#) has designed an online training curriculum to train juvenile justice managers. Sponsored by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, the Professional Juvenile Justice Manager (PJMM) certificate program includes [a series of online courses](#). Students will spend two weeks on each course, working on basic lecture material, specialized readings, and self-assessment questions.

The program is designed to train staff and to provide certification for supervisors currently in the field. Those who successfully complete the program will receive certification from the American Probation and Parole Association. Resources: To access a list of PJMM courses and register online, visit [www.njcsacertification.org/course/ca\\_tegory.php?id=29](http://www.njcsacertification.org/course/ca_tegory.php?id=29).

### THE MOMENT OF CHANGE INTERVENTION

**Dates:** September 27-30, 2010

**Location:** Palm Beach, FL

<http://www.foundationsrecoverynetwork.com/events/moment-of-change-2010/index.htm>

### SYMPOSIUM TO ADDRESS BROAD ARRAY OF JUVENILE JUSTICE ISSUES

**Date:** October 10-13, 2010

**Location:** San Antonio, TX

The National Partnership for Juvenile Services will hold its symposium [Representing America's Youth: Addressing the Juvenile Justice Paradox](#).

To obtain further information about the symposium, including a registration form, visit [www.npjs.org/symposium.php](http://www.npjs.org/symposium.php).

Questions should be addressed to Michael Jones at [npjs@me.com](mailto:npjs@me.com) or 859-333-4209

### THE 15TH ANNUAL BISC-MI FALL 2010 CONFERENCE

**Date:** November 4 - 5, 2010

**Location:** Pontiac, Michigan

**Conference Website:** <http://www.biscmi.org/wshh/>

**Registration:** <http://www.regonline.com/builder/site/Default.aspx?eventid=868651>

## RESEARCH & RESOURCES

### BJA LAUNCHES GRANT WRITING AND MANAGEMENT ACADEMY

The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) is pleased to announce the launch of a new online training program—the [BJA Grant Writing and Management Academy](#). The Academy is designed to assist criminal justice practitioners and state, local, and tribal jurisdictions, including community and faith-based organizations, through the grant-writing process and project management activities.

## JOB OPENINGS

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