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October 21, 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	Nov. 17 – Worthington Doubletree Suites (5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.) *Please indicate which date you plan to attend in your RSVP.	Send your RSVP to: Kevin.Lottes@sc.ohio.gov
Probation Officers	October 28 *Please indicate which date you plan to attend in your RSVP.	Send your RSVP to: Charlsia.Brown@sc.ohio.gov

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

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.

[REGISTER NOW!](#)

2010 ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON SPECIALIZED DOCKETS MEETING DATES

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

January 28, 2011

April 15, 2011

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

February 7, 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](#).

CHILLICOTHE MUNICIPAL COURT 2011 BUDGET REQUESTS MORE FOR PSYCH EVALUATIONS

Better financing for court psychological evaluations was among the 2011 budget requests from the Chillicothe Municipal Court and Transit Department to come to the city council's Finance Committee on Tuesday. The municipal court is requesting \$12,000 in the budget for psychological evaluations, which court officials indicated has not been funded enough in previous years. Judge John Street said the court once got the evaluations completed free of charge but now is required to pay for them. [More...](#)

TRAINING PROGRAM CREATED TO ESTABLISH A VETERANS COURT

Judge Robert P. Milich of Youngstown Municipal Court and a Veterans' Treatment Court team have completed a training program in preparation for establishing a veteran's court here in January. The 10-member team, assigned the task of developing Veterans' Treatment Court in Youngstown, was one of the 10 groups from the United States in training in Buffalo, N.Y., in a program provided with the help of a grant from the U.S. Department of Justice, in collaboration with the National Drug Court Institute. Buffalo is the site of the first veterans' treatment court in the nation, established in 2008.

[More...](#)

FORMER ADDICTS GET BACK THEIR LIVES AND THEIR KIDS

Marissa Gentry celebrated the first day of the rest of her life with cake, candy corn and her two spirited, squirming children. Just a little more than a year ago, the 34-year-old East Side resident had been walking the streets, selling her body for alcohol and drugs, and trying to overdose on crack. Just six years before that, Franklin County Children Services had taken her three other children - forever. But yesterday afternoon, Gentry and five other women took back their lives as graduates of the Franklin County Family Drug Court, designed to help parents faced with permanently losing their children because of drug or alcohol addictions. [More...](#)

ENTREPRENEURSHIP LOOKED TO AS A WAY FORWARD FOR EX-INMATES

For nearly 10 years, Augustus Turner had a lot of time to ponder an American dream that he refused to believe was out of reach because of a big mistake and a permanent label. Turner was a prison inmate, hoping to run his own business after serving time for drug trafficking. He knew the odds weren't good. Although 97 percent of prisoners are eventually released, only 53 percent find work, and a far smaller share start their own businesses.

"What I learned from the streets is how to hustle," said Turner, 39. "You can dream. You can pray. It all starts there. But you have to actively make it happen." [More...](#)

FUNDING

COMMUNITY ORGANIZING GRANT CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

DEADLINE: September 1 – November 1

SUMMARY: The Catholic Campaign for Human Development's community organizing grants program is focused on supporting low-income led community organizations that bring individuals together and train them to identify and challenge policies and structures in their communities that perpetuate the cycle of poverty.

ELIGIBILITY: See full announcement – www.usccb.org/cchd/grants/criteria.shtml

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.

CONTINUUM OF CARE HOMELESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

DEADLINE: November 18, 2010

SUMMARY: The purpose of the CoC Homeless Assistance Programs is to reduce the incidence of homelessness in CoC communities by assisting homeless individuals and families move to self-sufficiency and permanent housing. CoCs that sustain current successful interventions and advance HUD's national goals will be scored higher

ELIGIBILITY: State and local governments, private nonprofits, Community Mental Health Centers that are public nonprofit organizations and others.

FULL ANNOUNCEMENT:

<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=58097>

AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION TO FUND RESEARCH GRANT PROGRAMS

Deadline: December 1, 2010

The American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (AFSP) will research grants to support studies that aim to increase understanding of the causes of suicide and factors related to suicide risk, or to test treatments and other interventions designed to prevent suicide. Investigators from all academic disciplines are eligible to apply, and both basic science and applied research projects will be considered. AFSP offers six types of research grants: 1) distinguished investigator grants of up to \$100,000 over two years; 2) standard research grants of up to \$75,000 over two years; 3) linked standard research grants for three or more sites of up to \$225,000 over two years; 4) young investigator grants of up to \$85,000 over two years; 5) postdoctoral research fellowships of up to \$100,000 over two years; and 6) pilot grants of up to \$30,000 over one or two years to provide seed money for new projects that have the potential to lead to subsequent larger investigations. For more information, click [here](#).

REDUCING EXPOSURE TO VIOLENCE IN UNDERSERVED COMMUNITIES

Deadline: Throughout 2010

Website: 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.1kLXJ8MQKrH/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

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

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

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.

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

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 Larence, at llarence@csswashtenaw.org

2011 NATIONAL SCHOOL-BASED HEALTH CARE CONVENTION, JUNE 26 – 29, 2011

Share your expertise, best practices, resources, and tools with school-based health professionals and those interested in and working around the intersection between health and education at the 2011 National School-Based Health Care Convention. The 2011 theme: *School-based health care and the community: A partnership that works* highlights our focus on collaborations between school-based health centers (SBHCs) and community schools. In addition, our location – Chicago – reflects this year's emphasis on the Midwest region.

Workshop tracks:

- Evaluation & Quality
- Mental Health
- Operations & Administration
- Policy & Advocacy
- Primary Care
- SBHCs 101
- Youth & Community Engagement

Priority will be given to workshops that incorporate a focus on community schools.

Deadline for abstract submission: October 29, 2010.

Visit www.nasbhc.org/abstracts for workshop guidelines, convention priorities, and online submission.

2011 NATIONAL COUNCIL ON MENTAL HEALTH AND ADDICTION CONFERENCE

We invite you to respond to the [Call for Presentations](#) for the 2011 National Council Conference, May 2-4, 2011 in San Diego, CA. To ensure that critical content areas are addressed and speaker quality is uniformly high, most presentations are by invitation only, but each year we accept a limited number of proposals. Submission deadline is November 1, 2010 with notification of selection by January 14, 2011. Presentations must inspire, demonstrate results, offer real-world applicability and include audience engagement strategies that facilitate a robust exchange of ideas.

Topic areas include:

- Addictions and Co-occurring Disorders
- Behavioral Health and Primary Care Bi-Directional Integration
- Board Governance
- Clinical Innovation, Scientific Advances, and Virtual Treatment Technologies
- Finance, Medicaid, Managed Markets, Parity and Payment Reform
- Forensics, Alternatives to Incarceration, Re-Entry and Risk Management Strategies
- Fundraising, Grantwriting, and Philanthropy
- Health Information Technology
- Healthcare Reform and the New Marketplace — Delivery System Redesign, Accountable Care Organizations and Medical Homes
- In My Own Words: Personal Stories of Recovery
- International: It's a Small World
- Leadership, Management, Workforce Recruitment and Retention
- Organizational Excellence, Change and Disruptive Innovations
- Practice Improvement, Outcomes, Dashboards and Benchmarking
- Recovery, Housing, Employment, and Peer Led Services and Organizations
- Social Media, Messaging, and Marketing
- Suicide Prevention
- Trauma-informed Care
- Veterans Services
- Wellness, Health Promotion, Prevention and Early Intervention

To review last year's conference curriculum, download the [Final Program](#). To see how 2010 speakers were rated, visit our [Speaker Zagat](#).

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, 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

COMMUNITY INFORMATION ABOUT SEX OFFENDERS

Date: Thursday, October 28, 2010

Time: 10:00 am until 12:00 pm

Location: Emergency Services Training Center, 2127 Jefferson Avenue, Toledo, Ohio

Cost: No Charge.

Presenter: Ohio Department Of Rehabilitation and Correction's Director of Sex Offender Services
David Berenson

For more information, please call Reentry Coalition Of Northwest Ohio at 419.242.9955

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

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

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

REVISED OHIO STANDARDS FOR BATTERERS INTERVENTION: HOLDING BATTERERS ACCOUNTABLE ACROSS SYSTEMS

Date: Friday, November 19, 2010 / 1:00 - 4:00 PM

Location: Gahanna Public Library, 31 Granville St., Gahanna, Ohio 43230 (just outside of Columbus)

Fee: \$0

Deadline: November 12, 2010 or until full

To register: www.odvn.org

With support of Batterers Intervention Committee (BIC) of Ohio Domestic Violence Network (ODVN), ODVN has just revised the Ohio Standards for Batterers Intervention. ODVN believes that batterers intervention programs (BIPS) must be a part of the coordinated community response to domestic violence that promotes safety for survivors, children, and the community. It is important that not only BIPs but also their community partners have a deeper understanding of the Standards for Batterers Intervention.

In this BIP regional training, participants will learn about what's new in the Standards, including a section on working with marginalized communities, such as immigrant/ refugee, lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ), women and others. The participants will also have an opportunity to explore how to apply the Standards. Questions? Contact Dona at donap@odvn.org or 800-934-9840 ext. 228.

ETHICS FOR SOCIAL WORKERS & COUNSELORS

Date: November 29, 2010 & March 30, 2011

Location: Youngstown, Ohio

Right or Wrong? Good or bad? Helpful or hurtful? These are questions we must answer in order to determine rules of conduct. Rules of conduct then define our professional and ethical behavior. This workshop will address the ethical issues that practitioners face in their every day work.

Objectives:

- 1) To gain understanding of professional behavior,
- 2) To increase knowledge of the code of ethics,
- 3) To make the practitioner aware of situations that can arise during the course of providing services to clients.

Presenter: Karen Vadino, MSW, LPCC, OCPSII

http://www.ontasc.com/on_tasc_registration.pdf

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

Dates: November 30 – December 2, 2010

Location: The Greater Columbus Convention Center

SAVE THE DATE: HOW DID YOU SLEEP LAST NIGHT? – A Sleep Out for Mental Illness

Date: May 10, 2011 – 4:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Location: Ohio Statehouse

Join NAMI Ohio for the Sleep Out for Mental Illness to call our lawmakers' attention to the impact of their funding decisions.

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/category.php?id=29.

WEBINAR – IMPACT OF TRAUMA ON WOMEN AND GIRLS ACROSS THE LIFESPAN

Date: November 2 at 12p.m. EST.

Register Now: <https://services.choruscall.com/links/womenshealth.html>

The impact of violence, abuse, neglect, disaster, war, and other harmful experiences continues long after the traumatic event has ended. Exposure to trauma is a pervasive issue that has significantly impacted the health and well-being of millions of Americans and nearly everyone seeking services in the public health and social services systems. Understanding how trauma affects the emotional, behavioral, cognitive, social, and physical functioning of the people we care for can improve our services. All health and social service providers are welcome, including medical care providers, dentists, social workers, teachers, mental health workers, substance use disorder treatment providers, corrections officers, and community program staff, to name a few. Session 1: Women, Girls and Trauma: A Gender Responsive Approach - Dr. Stephanie Covington Ph.D., L.C.S.W., will open this important series.

SAVE THE DATE WEBINAR: IMPROVING OUTCOMES AND ENDING HOMELESSNESS

Date: Wednesday, November 3, 2010 - 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Eastern

On this call, we will discuss ways that behavioral health services providers and housing providers can work together to effectively serve people who have mental illnesses, addictions and histories of homelessness. Too often behavioral health providers have difficulty connecting their clients to housing resources and housing agencies are unaware of the mental health and substance use treatment providers in their community. By working together in partnership, community behavioral health and housing providers can meet their shared goal of helping people with mental illnesses to maintain stable housing and move toward recovery. Presenters will provide background on housing resources targeted to homeless populations and give examples of how housing and behavioral health services providers can partner successfully. Registration information and meeting materials will be available at www.csh.org/hottopics and www.thenationalcouncil.org soon.

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>

2010 JOINT MEETING ON ADOLESCENT TREATMENT EFFECTIVENESS (JMATE)

Date: December 14-16, 2010

Location: Baltimore, MD

The overarching theme for JMATE 2010 is "*Synergy Envisioned ~ Action Inspired.*" The purpose of this theme is to continue to promote synergistic working relationship among researchers, policymakers, youth/families, program planners, and service providers and to inspire action to improve the health and well being of youth and families. Utilizing the most cutting edge research, JMATE 2010 will serve

as a platform for service providers and researchers to work in concert with youth/families/communities; juvenile justice; education; and child welfare.

<http://www.jmate.org/jmate2010/>

J O B O P E N I N G S

NAMI OHIO EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OPENING

NAMI Ohio is currently recruiting for the position of Executive Director. All applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 4, 2010. All interested applicants should go to http://www.namiohio.org/article/now_hiring_new_president for complete information.

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<http://www.sconet.state.oh.us/Employment/>

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