



Celebrate the 5th Annual WORLD ELDER ABUSE AWARENESS DAY

*Show the world you care by
wearing something purple
to the Conference!*

Purpose

For many of us seeing an older couple evokes a sense of continuity, stability and caring. However, for many domestic partners, the relationship is fraught with verbal, psychological, emotional and even physical abuse, much to our shock and amazement. This conference will introduce participants to the complex dynamics of domestic violence between partners in later life, and the specific challenges associated with domestic violence in later life both across settings and across cultures. Elder abuse advocates must become aware of intimate partner violence in later life in order to enhance safety and improve the well being of older victims.

Learning Objectives

This conference is designed to provide participants with an opportunity to:

1. Understand the indicators and dynamics of intimate partner violence in later life.
2. Understand the barriers to reporting in general and across cultures.
3. Understand the role of first responders, health care professionals and others who intervene in intimate partner violence in later life.
4. Learn about resources and strategies to employ that will enhance victim safety and improve quality of life.
5. Discuss Ohio laws and legal remedies for victims of intimate partner violence in later life.

**This conference
is for you!**

Adult Protective Services Workers
Social Workers • Nurses • Ombudsmen
Attorneys • Law Enforcement • Witness Advocates
Nursing Home Administrators • Municipal Building Inspectors

**Early
Registration
by June 2nd**

Consortium Against Adult Abuse

Western Reserve Area Agency on Aging
925 Euclid Avenue, Suite 600
Cleveland, Ohio 44115

Shattered Images

Intimate Partnership: Domestic
Violence in Later Life Across Settings

**FRIDAY JUNE 10, 2011
8:00am to 4:30pm**

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Elder Abuse/Domestic Violence Round Table

Corporate College East *A Division of Cuyahoga Community College*
4400 Richmond Road, Warrensville Heights, OH 44128

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About the Speaker

Bonnie Brandl, MSW is the Director of the National Clearinghouse on Abuse in Later Life; a project of the Wisconsin Coalition Against Domestic Violence. Ms. Brandl has worked with battered women for more than 24 years. She co-authored the book, *Elder Abuse Detection and Intervention: A Collaborative Approach*, and her numerous published articles and manual on abuse in later life have been distributed throughout the country. For more than a decade, she has presented at national, regional, statewide and local conferences on domestic violence and elder abuse. She has a master's in social work from the University of Wisconsin – Madison and lives with her family near Boulder, Colorado.



“By working collaboratively, we can enhance the safety and quality of life of older victims.” – Ms. Bonnie Brandl

Professional Credit

SOCIAL WORKERS

Western Reserve Area Agency on Aging (WRAAA) has applied for 5 hours of continuing education credits for social workers that may also be applied toward nursing licensure requirements. WRAAA is an approved provider of the Ohio Social Worker Board.

LEGAL CREDIT/CLE + CME HOURS

The Legal Aid Society of Cleveland, Ohio has submitted this conference for the approval of 5 hours of Ohio CLE credit. The University Hospital EMS Institute has submitted this conference for approval of CME credits.



Directions

From the West

I-480 East toward I-271 North to Harvard Road exit. Turn left onto Harvard Road. Turn left onto Richmond Road and pass Cuyahoga Community College's Eastern Campus. Entrance to Corporate College is on the right.

From the South

I-271 North to Harvard Road exit. Turn left onto Harvard Road. Turn left onto Richmond Road and pass Cuyahoga Community College's Eastern Campus. Entrance to Corporate College is on the right.

From the North

I-271 South to exit OH-175/Richmond Road exit. Corporate College is across the street from the exit ramp.

Conference Agenda | June 10, 2011

8:00am **Tradeshow** | Room 130

8:00am **Registration**

9:00am **Opening Remarks** | Room 126

Lin S. Santilli, M.P.A., L.S.W., Chair, CAAA; Cuyahoga County Department of Senior & Adult Services, Adult Protective Services

9:15am **Featured Speaker**

Bonnie Brandl, MSW, Director of National Clearing House on Abuse in Later Life (NCALL)
Shattered Images: Intimate Partnership Domestic Violence in Later Life Across Settings

10:30am **Break**

10:45am **Bonnie Brandl**, MSW, Director of National Clearing House on Abuse in Later Life (NCALL) -continued

12:00pm **Lunch**

12:30pm **Annual Meeting & Award Presentation**

Bernardine Brooks, M.P.A., L.S.W., First Vice Chair, CAAA; Iris Project, Neighboring
Ronald Hill, M.A., Chief Executive Officer, Western Reserve Area Agency on Aging

1:15pm **Concurrent Workshops**

WORKSHOP A

Working With Immigrant Victims of Abuse

Allison Arsouzy, MSW/LSW Candidate, Asian Services in Action Inc. Domestic Violence Program, Coordinator of the NALI Project

S. Eunice Park, JD, MPA Immigration Legal Services Program Coordinator, Domestic Violence Program

Amanda Ruiviejo Pastor, Masters Degree in Studies & Intervention in Domestic Violence, Domestic Violence Center, Latino Outreach Project Coordinator

Svetlana Schreiber, Esq., President of Svetlana Schreiber & Associates CLPA

WORKSHOP B

How to identify symptoms of Domestic Violence

Diane Daiber, R.N., B.S.N., SANE-A, SANE- P, Coordinator of SANE Program for Hillcrest Hospital, a Cleveland Clinic Hospital

WORKSHOP C

Ohio Domestic Violence Law: *Serving Victims Seeking Justice*

Timothy P. Boehnlein, MA, Domestic Violence Center, Director of Community Projects

WORKSHOP D

Cuyahoga County's Proposed Family Justice Center: *What Does It Mean for Victims of Later Life Intimate Partner Violence?*

Bernadine Brooks, M.P.A., LSW – Moderator, Coordinator of Lake County IRIS Project

Linda Dooley Johaneck, L.L.S.W. Executive Director, Domestic Violence Center

Alexandria Ruden, JD – Legal Aid Society of Cleveland

Janet Kronenberg, JD – Manager, Cuyahoga County Witness/Victim Service Center

Sylvia Pla-Raith, MA, L.S.W. Chief of Adult Protective Services, Cuyahoga County Department of Senior and Adult Services

2:30 pm

Break

2:45 pm

Concurrent Workshops Repeat | A-D

4:00 pm

Evaluations & Closing

Registration Form

Please print and complete all items

NAME _____

AGENCY _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY / STATE / ZIP / COUNTY _____

PHONE NUMBER _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

Please Check One

Social Work/RN Legal CLE CME Credit Certificate of Attendance

Box Lunch Selection

Shaved Roast Beef Smoked Turkey Breast Portobello Mushroom

Registration Fee

\$80.00 General (*before June 2, 2011*) \$90.00 General (*after June 2, 2011*)

\$35.00 Student and/or Retiree

Amount Enclosed: _____

Bill Me later: _____ (*purchase order required*)

No refunds after June 2, 2011, although substitutions are allowed.

Fees include contact hours, continental breakfast, lunch and conference materials. Please make check payable to the Consortium Against Adult Abuse (CAAA). Registration forms may be submitted via mail or fax to:

Consortium Against Adult Abuse
c/o Western Reserve Area Agency on Aging
925 Euclid Avenue, Suite 600
Cleveland, OH 44115
Tel: 216.621.8010
Fax: 216.621.9262

Workshop Selection Please list session preferences by indication “1” through “4” in each category (“1” reflects first choice and “4” the last). We will try to accommodate your preferences as space allows.

1:15pm Session

- ___ A. Working With Immigrant Victims of Abuse
___ B. How to identify symptoms of Domestic Violence
___ C. Ohio Domestic Violence Law
___ D. Cuyahoga County's Proposed Family Justice Center

2:45pm Session

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Additional questions about conference details or lodging options please call Martie McParland at 216.621.0303 or by email at caaapsa10a@gmail.com.

Take advantage of the early bird special and register before June 2, 2011! Early registration ends June 2 at 5 pm.