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Oregon Board of Licensed Social Workers Hosts Community Forums

Learn about and ask questions regarding new non-clinical licensing options, mandated licensure for those in clinical practice, and title protection for the title "social worker."

April 7th – Pendleton
May 5th - Eugene
May 12th - Portland
May 21st - Bend

Click [here](#) to view the flyer.

Spring Workshops

The Ethical Supervisor: Clinical Supervision & Ethics (April 16th, Portland)
Presented by Brad Pendergraft, LCSW

Dr. Reamer Ethics DVD Presentation & Discussion (April 23rd, Juliette's House - McMinnville)
Click [here](#) for more information about this event.

Afrocentric Approaches to Clinical Practice (April 30th, Portland)
Presented by Danette Burchill, LCSW and Andre Pruitt, LCSW

Legal Issues in Social Work (April 30th, Medford)
The Ethics of Documentation, Reporting & Board Complaints
Presented by Paul Cooney, Attorney at Law

LCSW Exam Preparation Workshop (May 1st, Portland)
Presented by Jody Swisher, LCSW

The Trauma Toolbox: Holistic Interventions in Psychotherapy (May 7th, Portland)
Presented by Susan Pease Banitt, LCSW

Situational Ethics, Personal Values, and Decision-Making (May 14th, Portland)
Presented by Ben Anderson-Nathe, Ph.D.

Legal Issues in Social Work (June 4th, Portland)
Session A: The Ethics of Documentation, Reporting & Board Complaints
Session B: Risk Management in the Digital Age
Presented by Paul Cooney and David Madigan, Attorneys at Law

For more information on these workshops and to register, click [here](#).

Save the Date: Friday, October 8th, 2010 Managing Difficult Ethical Dilemmas & Risks in Social Work

Presented by Dr. Frederic Reamer
Monarch Hotel & Conference Center
Clackamas, OR

Details coming soon!

Claudia Black's *Many Facets of Addiction* DVD Now Available

In this dynamic presentation, nationally renowned author Claudia Black addresses the many facets of addiction, including trauma, co-occurring disorders, multiple addictions, abandonment and family impairment. She also discusses critical treatment issues and offer a variety of intervening strategies for social workers and allied professionals.

Click [here](#) for ordering information.

Dr. Reamer's *Boundary Issues and Dual Relationships in Social Work* DVD

Order Now and Earn 6 Ethics CEs at Home

If you missed this outstanding presentation (filmed in Portland on March 2nd, 2007), now is your chance to watch it on DVD and earn 6 Ethics CEs in the comfort of your own home for only \$85 (plus shipping & handling).

Click [here](#) for ordering information.

Private Practice Handbook (2009 Edition) Now Available

NASW Oregon Chapter is pleased to release the 2009 edition of the Private Practice Handbook. This valuable resource provides a range of information to aid social workers in establishing a thriving private practice, from start to finish. It also comes with a CD that contains sample forms and additional resources. For ordering information and to view the table of contents, click [here](#).

NASW Committee, Council, and Networks

Upcoming Committee, Council and Network Events & Meetings

Aging Network Breakfast Forum (April 6th, 8:30am, Portland) - Click [here](#) to view the event details.

Events & Conference Planning Committee (April 8th, 5:15pm, Portland)

PR & Marketing Committee (April 12th, 10:00am, Portland)

Legislative Committee (April 14th, 5:45pm, Portland)

Finance Committee (April 29th, 5:30pm, Portland)

Ethics Committee (April 30th, 9:00am, Portland)

If you are interested in any of the above, please contact stacey@nasworegon.org for more information.

Opportunities to Get Involved

Click [here](#) for more information about our Committees and [here](#) for more information about our Practice Councils & Networks, which is a great way to get involved with the Chapter and meet other social workers. We are always looking for new members, and it's a great opportunity for networking and professional/leadership growth.

District Events & Announcements

Lane District Seeking Chair

The NASW Lane County District, which typically hosts monthly CE brown bag events in Eugene, is seeking a new Chair after June 30th. If you are interested in this opportunity, please contact Stacey at stacey@nasworegon.org or call 503-452-8420.

NASW would like to thank our outgoing chair, Erica Freeman Hernandez, for all of our efforts over the past four years!

Rogue Valley District

Monthly Meetings:

Second Wednesday of each month from 12-1:00pm at the Jackson County Library (Medford Branch), Carpenter Room, 205 S. Central, Medford. Bring Your Lunch.

Contact: Gretchen Thiel, gthiel@pdx.edu

Interested in Establishing an NASW District?

Establishing an NASW district in your area is a great way to promote local involvement for networking, educational events, and other activities. Contact stacey@nasworegon.org to find out more about how districts operate, ways that the Chapter office will support your efforts, and seed money to get you started.

Call for Newsletter Article Submissions

The National Association of Social Workers (NASW), Oregon Chapter is committed to providing relevant and timely products and resources in our quarterly newsletter to our practicing social work members. We are seeking authors to write articles on a range of topics of interest to our members, according to the following guidelines.

Articles must provide information that is useful, relevant, and of interest to social work practitioners from a diverse range of practice settings. Ideas for topics might include new practice modalities, new clinical research, case studies, or how social workers might address prominent social issues. We also seek contributions related to ethics and private practice.

Creative, evocative, and humorous yet thought-provoking content is appreciated. We prefer articles that provide comprehensive information in a succinct manner. This should include brief vibrant paragraphs, the avoidance of jargon and overly complicated terminology, clear

and concise sentences, and when necessary bulleted or listed items. In-text citations should be used, with no more than five references. Resource lists may be included.

Article length should be between 350 to 750 words. All articles must be submitted in a Microsoft Word document to stacey@nasworegon.org

Articles must be accompanied by the author's full name, highest degree and any licenses. An e-mail address for the author(s) must be provided for print with each article.

Articles are accepted on an ongoing basis.

The deadline for the summer 2010 issue is May 10th.

Call for Workshop Proposals

The NASW Oregon Chapter Events & Conference Planning Committee invites NASW members to submit proposals to present workshops sponsored by NASW Oregon Chapter.

Presentation topics must have a strong, broad-based appeal. NASW Oregon Chapter is especially interested in topics related to ethics, clinical supervision, and a range of clinical topics that integrates innovation and evidence-based practice, though we welcome all submissions. Presenters should have experience delivering workshops to a professional audience.

Please submit the following information:

1. Contact information.
2. Resume or CV.
3. Short biographical sketch (approximately 100 words).
4. A short description of your proposed workshop topic(s), learning objectives and length of each presentation.
5. Recent workshop presentations (please include the location/date/sponsor/audience).
6. References.
7. Ability to travel outside of Portland-metro area.

Send workshop proposals to: stacey@nasworegon.org.

Proposals will be received on an ongoing basis and reviewed by the NASW Oregon Chapter Events & Conference Planning Committee. Please note that NASW Oregon Chapter sponsors a small number of workshops each year.

Classified Ads

Click [here](#) to view a list of trainings.

Click [here](#) to view a list of rentals.

Click [here](#) to view current job openings (members only).

Advertising Opportunities

Click [here](#) to view advertising opportunities with NASW.



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