Breaking New Ground: Issues Surrounding Intimate Partner Violence

Keynote Address

"Responding to Domestic Violence: Looking Back, Looking Forward"

Kris Billhardt, M.ED., ED.S. Director of Volunteers of America's *Home Free* program since 1994, has worked in the domestic violence movement for nearly three decades. Her accomplishments include development of a nationally recognized innovative program design, extensive training and technical assistance, and promotion of ethical communication policies and practices for use in human services settings. She served as an Executive on Multnomah County's Family Violence Coordinating Council for eight years, including two terms as its Chair, and was appointed to the Oregon Domestic and Sexual Violence Services Fund Advisory Council in 2002, currently serving as Vice Chair. She represents the domestic violence provider community as an ex-officio member of Oregon's Ending Homelessness Advisory Council.

Workshops and Conference Schedule

Workshop A:
The Impact of Instability on Survivors of Domestic Violence and Implications for Policy and Practice
Chiquita Rollins, Ph.D.

Workshop B:
Mindfulness Yoga and Trauma Interventions for Latina Victims and Their Families
Lucrecia Suarez, LCSW and Catherine Fixe, MSW

Workshop C:
Lover, Warrior, Magician, King: A New Look At Masculine Identity
Robert Crowell, MA.

Workshop D:
Domestic Abuse and the Struggles Women of Faith Face
Stacey Womack

Workshop E:
Hidden Right Before Your Eyes: Understanding, Screening for, and Intervening With Anger and Domestic Violence
Chris Huffine, Psy.D.

Workshop F:
Understanding Domestic Violence from a Victim/Survivor Perspective
Marci Nelson, M.S.

Workshop G:
BAM! Helping Boys Make Better Contact
Stephen Grant, LCSW
Howard Hiton, MS, LPC
Peter Mortola, Ph.D

Conference Schedule

Morning

8:00-9:00	Registration
9:00-10:00	Keynote Speaker
10:15-11:00	Workshop A
11:15-12:00	Workshop B
Or	Workshop C
12:00-1:00	Lunch

Afternoon

1:00-1:45	Workshop D
2:00-2:45	Workshop E
1:00-2:45	Workshop F
Or	Workshop G
3:00-4:00	Closing Remarks

This conference is intended to address practice interests for all practitioners working with issues of Intimate Partner Violence, such as persons working in law enforcement, nurses, social workers and mental health workers.

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