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*The Greg and Mary Ann Renz Conference  
on Child Abuse and Neglect*

**Monday, April 19, and  
Tuesday, April 20, 2010**

**Wilderness Glacier Canyon Lodge  
and Conference Center  
45 Hillman Road  
Wisconsin Dells, Wis.**

**Keynote presentation by Brian Holmgren, JD,  
assistant district attorney general, Office of the  
District Attorney General, Nashville, Tenn.**

**Motivational presentation by David H. Perlman, JD,  
assistant attorney general, Wisconsin Department  
of Justice.**

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## Purpose

To improve prevention, treatment, investigation and prosecution of child abuse and neglect by providing knowledge and skills to address emerging issues, research questions and public policy changes in child welfare and child protection.

## Target audience

- Child abuse prevention personnel.
- Child care providers.
- Child care resource and referral personnel.
- Child Protective Services workers.
- Judicial personnel/ prosecutors.
- Law enforcement officials.
- Nurses.
- Physicians.
- Public health professionals.
- SANE nurses.
- School personnel.
- Social workers.
- Therapists and psychologists.

## Registration information and fees

### Register by April 5, 2010

- \$190 full conference (April 19 and April 20, 2010).
- \$110 single conference day.

### Register after April 5, 2010

- \$210 full conference (April 19 and April 20, 2010).
- \$120 single conference day.

## Continuing education credit

### Nursing

Children's Hospital and Health System is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Wisconsin Nurses Association Continuing Education Approval Program Committee, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

Nurses who successfully complete this activity will receive:

- Day 1 – 6.0 contact hours.
- Day 2 – 5.5 contact hours.
- Both days – 11.5 contact hours.

### Social Work

Children's Hospital and Health System, provider #1021, is approved as a provider for continuing education by The Association of Social Work Boards, 400 South Ridge Parkway, Suite B, Culpeper, VA 22701, aswb.org. ASWB Approval Period: 01-29-10 through 01-29-13. Social workers should contact their regulatory board to determine course approval.

By participating in this activity, social workers will receive:

- Day 1 – 7.3 social work clock hours.
- Day 2 – 6.6 social work clock hours.
- Both days – 13.9 social work clock hours.

Social workers must complete and turn in an evaluation form in order to complete this course. This conference is appropriate for social workers at all practice levels. Resolution of grievances will be handled

by the Social Work Continuing Education Committee. Please contact Educational Services at (414) 266-2209.

### Physician

The Medical College of Wisconsin is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

### Designation of credit

The Medical College of Wisconsin designates this educational activity for a maximum of 12.0 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)*<sup>™</sup>. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The Medical College of Wisconsin designates this activity for up to 12.0 hours APA credit and 12.0 contact hours of continuing education for allied health professionals and Illinois social workers.

### Psychologist

The Medical College of Wisconsin is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. The Medical College of Wisconsin maintains responsibility for this program and its content.

### Legal

Continuing Legal Credit for attorneys has been applied for.

### ADA statement

Children's Hospital and Health System fully intends to comply with the legal requirements of the Americans With Disabilities Act. If any participant is in need of accommodation, contact Ann Kulikowski at (608) 442-4181.

## General Information

### Cancellations

Full refunds will be granted upon notification by e-mail to [ann.kulikowski@cssw.org](mailto:ann.kulikowski@cssw.org) no later than Monday, April 5, 2010. Refunds after April 5 will be assessed a \$25 processing fee. No refunds will be given after Friday, April 16, 2010. Substitutes will be accepted until Friday, April 16, 2010. No-shows will be responsible for the full fee.

### Children

As a courtesy to our presenters and attendees, please do not bring children to conference workshops or keynote addresses.

### Exhibit space

Exhibit space is available. For more information, visit [preventchildabusewi.org](http://preventchildabusewi.org) or contact Ann Kulikowski at (608) 442-4181.

### Lodging

A block of rooms is being held at the reduced rate of \$70 per night until March 20, 2010, at the Wilderness Glacier Canyon Lodge and Conference Center in Wisconsin Dells, Wis. Be sure to mention the Together for Children Conference when registering to receive the reduced rate. Tax exempt organizations must provide their tax exempt identification number. For more information call (800) 867-9453 or visit [glacierycanyonlodge.com](http://glacierycanyonlodge.com).

### Scholarships

A limited number of one- and two-day scholarships are available. Visit [preventchildabusewi.org](http://preventchildabusewi.org) for more information. Application deadline is Feb. 26, 2010.



# Day 1 – Monday, April 19, 2010

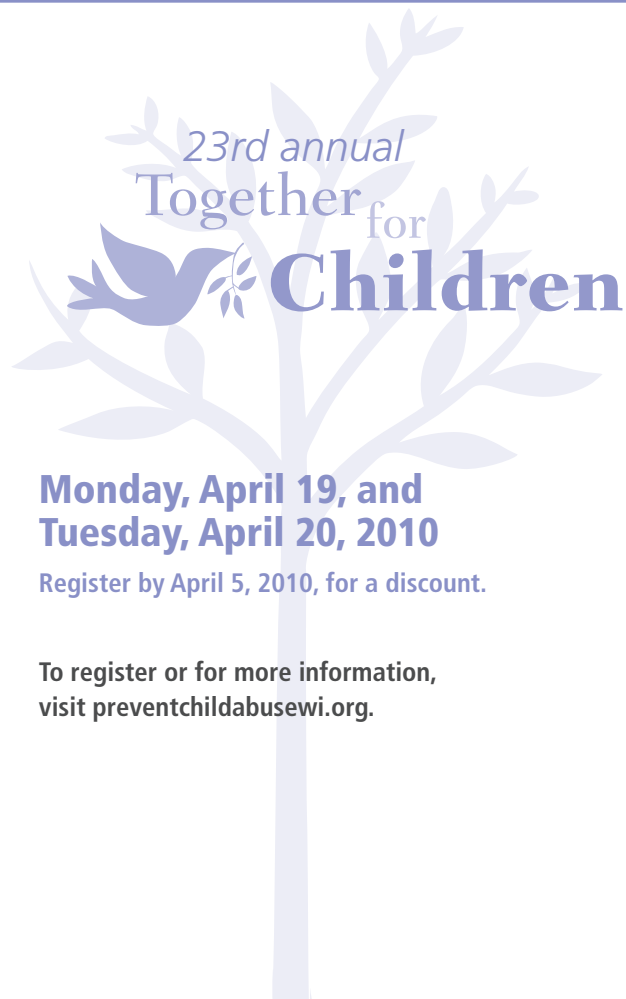
7:30 a.m.	Registration and continental breakfast					
8:30 a.m.	Opening comments: Tom Gazzana, corporate vice president, Children’s Hospital and Health System, president, Children’s Community Health Plan, interim president and CEO, Children’s Service Society of Wisconsin; Mary Kleman, Awareness to Action director, Children’s Service Society					
8:45 a.m.	<b>Critical Aspects in Investigation and Prosecution of Severe Head Trauma</b> Brian Holmgren, JD			Participants will be able to identify the appropriate response to the spectrum of challenges facing the investigation and prosecution of cases involving abusive head trauma.		
10:15 a.m.	Break					
10:30 a.m.	<b>Critical Aspects in Investigation and Prosecution of Severe Head Trauma</b> (continued)					
Noon	Lunch (provided)					
1 p.m.	Standout sessions					
	<b>Prevention</b>	<b>Assessment and Investigation</b>	<b>Medical</b>	<b>Leadership/Professional Development</b>	<b>Policy and Advocacy</b>	<b>Mental Health</b>
	<b>1 Darkness to Light</b> Mary Kleman, MSE Helen Kobussen, BA Participants will be able to recognize child sexual abuse and identify prevention strategies. <b>Part I</b>	<b>2 Medical and Legal Aspects of Child Pornography</b> Rita Kadamian, MS, FNP-BC Judy Guinn, MD Jason Rossel, JD Participants will be able to describe techniques used to investigate cases of alleged child pornography, as well as the role of the medical provider in assisting with the investigation and prosecution of these cases.	<b>3 Child Sexual Abuse</b> Kelly Hodges, MD Participants will be able to recognize the importance of the medical examination in the overall care of the child who has been sexually abused.	<b>4 Social Work Ethics and Boundaries in Child and Family Welfare Practice</b> Nicholas P. Smiar, PhD, ACSW, CISW Participants will be able to apply a decision-making framework to case examples of ethical issues and assess strategies for resolution. <b>Part I</b>	<b>5 Understanding and Utilizing Medical Information in the Investigation and Prosecution of Serious Physical Abuse in Child Homicide Cases</b> Brian Holmgren, JD Participants will be able to interpret injury patterns provided to law enforcement and CPS workers, coordinate scene investigation, interview the suspect and complete a scene re-enactment to determine if the findings are consistent with accidental or nonaccidental trauma in child physical abuse and homicide cases. <b>Part I</b>	<b>6 Treatment and Evaluation of Child Sexual Behavior Concerns</b> Timothy Wright, PsyD Participants will be able to apply principles of evaluation and treatment of children with sexual behavior concerns. <b>Part I</b>
2:30 p.m.	Break					
2:40 p.m.	Standout sessions					
	<b>Prevention</b>	<b>Assessment and Investigation</b>	<b>Medical</b>	<b>Leadership/Professional Development</b>	<b>Policy and Advocacy</b>	<b>Mental Health</b>
	<b>1 Darkness to Light</b> <b>Part II</b>	<b>2 Importance of Trauma-informed Care in the Assessment and Investigation of Child Abuse and Neglect</b> Elizabeth Hudson, LCSW Participants will be able to identify primary elements of a trauma-informed child welfare practice.	<b>3 Medical Noncompliance/ Neglect</b> Angela Rabbitt, DO Participants will be able to identify the levels of neglect, the difficulty in diagnosis, and describe the evaluation and treatment of suspected and confirmed cases.	<b>4 Social Work Ethics and Boundaries in Child and Family Welfare Practice</b> <b>Part II</b>	<b>5 Understanding and Utilizing Medical Information in the Investigation and Prosecution of Serious Physical Abuse in Child Homicide Cases</b> Brian Holmgren, JD <b>Part II</b>	<b>6 Treatment and Evaluation of Child Sexual Behavior Concerns</b> <b>Part II</b>
4:30 p.m.	Evaluation/conference adjourns					

## Day 2 – Tuesday, April 20, 2010 (schedule continues on the next page)

7:30 a.m.	Registration/continental breakfast		
8 a.m.	Opening comments: Mark Lyday, director, Child Advocacy and Protection Services, Children's Hospital and Health System		
8:10 a.m.	<b>Managing Stress at Work</b> Lisa Hajek, LMFT Participants will be able to identify and implement simple techniques for stress reduction and relaxation.		
	<b>Prevention</b>	<b>Assessment and Investigation</b>	<b>Medical</b>
8:30 a.m.	<b>1A Trends in Child Abuse Prevention: Lessons Learned/Challenges Ahead</b> Deborah Daro, PhD Participants will identify the historical role and promising prevention strategies in child abuse as well as challenges in expanding and replicating community prevention efforts by exploring learning partnerships.	<b>2A Safe, Simple, Smart Guidelines for Minimal Facts Interviewing</b> Lori Kornblum, JD Karla Lehmann Erik Pritzl, MSSW, APSW Sara Schumacher, MSSW, CAPSW Participants will be able to communicate with children who are disclosing abuse and neglect in a manner that supports the child while ensuring the information is sufficient for making a report to investigative agencies. <b>Begins at 8 a.m.</b> <b>Part I</b>	<b>3A Collaboration in Child Sexual Abuse: SANEs and CACs</b> Barbara Campbell, RN, SANE-A Rita Kadamian, MS, FNP-BC Participants will be able to distinguish the roles of SANE's nurses and CAC's medical providers and identify strategies to collaborate in child sexual abuse cases.
10 a.m.	Break		
	<b>Prevention</b>	<b>Assessment and Investigation</b>	<b>Medical</b>
10:30 a.m.	<b>1B Key Markers of Quality Home Visiting Programs</b> Deborah Daro, PhD Audrey Laszewski, MS Participants will be able to identify key components of quality data collection and demonstrate how to use data to move their home visitation program forward.	<b>2B Safe, Simple, Smart Guidelines for Minimal Facts Interviewing</b> <b>Part II</b>	<b>3B Child Abuse Mimics: How to Tell the Difference</b> Judy Guinn, MD Participants will be able to recognize differences between injuries caused by child abuse and physical findings caused by other medical conditions.
Noon	Lunch (provided)		
12:45 p.m.	<b>Dealing with the Challenges and Reaping the Rewards in Handling Child Abuse Cases</b> David H. Perlman, JD Participants will learn to recognize the pressures and rewards of handling child abuse cases.		
1:45 p.m.	Break		
	<b>Prevention</b>	<b>Assessment and Investigation</b>	<b>Medical</b>
2 p.m.	<b>1C A New Attitude Toward Fatherhood</b> Gary Van Lankvelt, MS Paul Vidas, MS-E Participants will be able to describe the Dads Unlimited Program of Parent Connection in the Fox Valley and identify potential program tools to replicate in other settings.	<b>2C Surviving Court: How to Testify with Confidence and Competence</b> David W. Thompson, PhD, ABPP Participants will be able to identify three strategies for effective preparation for court testimony and recognize cross-examination techniques they are likely to encounter when testifying.	<b>3C Co-sleeping, SIDS, and the Medico-legal Investigation of Infant Deaths</b> Christopher Happy, MD Vivian Jackson, MS Amy Michalak, MS, D-ABMDI Participants will be able to identify risk factors for co-sleeping, SIDS and key prevention strategies and reconstruct a scene investigation.
3:30 p.m.	Evaluation/conference adjourns		

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8:30 a.m.	<b>4A Secondary Trauma from a Supervisor's Standpoint: How Do We Help People Take Care of Themselves?</b> Mary V. Hess, PhD Participants will be able to identify secondary trauma among employees and respond supportively in ways that facilitate communication and problem solving.	<b>5A Non-Caregiver Abuse: The Impact in Wisconsin and How to Deal With It</b> Therese Durkin, JD Connie Klick, MSW Participants will be able to identify the legal parameters and policy standards for non-caregiver abuse reports and apply child welfare and law enforcement resources effectively to protect children.	<b>6A Treatment for Trauma in Children and Adolescents</b> Nora R. Cord, MA, LPC Lisa Hajek, LMFT Participants will be able to distinguish appropriate trauma diagnosis and treatments for children and adolescents.
10 a.m.	Break		
	<b>Prevention</b>	<b>Leadership/Professional Development</b>	<b>Mental Health</b>
10:30 a.m.	<b>4B The Changing Nonprofit Field: How to Align with Partners and How to Sustain in a Difficult Economy</b> Melanie Schmidt, BA Participants will be able to recognize the continuum of collaborative opportunities and identify means to reframe the conversation with stakeholders.	<b>5B Legislation: How Can We Help?</b> Paula Roberts, MBA Participants will be able to navigate through the legislative process and advocate on issues in a positive, meaningful and constructive way.	<b>6B Employing Parent-Child Interaction Therapy to Build Healthy Families</b> Heidi Storm, PhD Anita O'Connor, LCSW Participants will be able to identify parent-child interaction therapy techniques and their use in clinical practice with abused children and their families.
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2 p.m.	<b>4C Leadership Begins from Within: Reflective Supervision and Relationship-based Work</b> Paulette Snodgrass, RN Participants will be able to outline reflective supervision and relationship-based leadership fundamentals.	<b>5C Reporting Requirements for Sexually Active Adolescents</b> Nic Dibble, LSSW, CISW Participants will be able to identify and apply the legal requirements in Wisconsin law related to the mandatory reporting of sexually active adolescents.	<b>6C Trauma-Informed Care: Visible Results for Invisible Illnesses and Populations</b> Ramel L. Smith, PhD Sheri L. Johnson, PhD Participants will be able to recognize trauma in various populations and discover best practices, research and testimonials on how to provide competent, responsible and thorough trauma care.
3:30 p.m.	Evaluation/conference adjourns		



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