

**17TH
ANNUAL
ILLINOIS
ASSOCIATION
OF
STUDENT
ASSISTANCE
PROFESSIONALS
CONFERENCE**

February 18 and 19, 2010
at

**The Hilton Springfield
Springfield, Illinois**

***Student Assistance ...
The
Caring
Supportive
Interventions
of your School!***

WHO SHOULD ATTEND OUR CONFERENCE

Student Assistance Coordinators

Student Assistance Core Team Members

Safe and Drug Free Schools Coordinators

Administrators **Teachers **Counselors

Social Workers ** Prevention Specialists

Substance Abuse Treatment Counselors

Law Enforcement Officials

Student Personnel Services Staff

WHY WAS THE ILLINOIS ASSOCIATION OF STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROFESSIONALS FORMED?

The Illinois Association of Student Assistance Professionals (IASAP) was formed in November 1990, in recognition of the need for the promotion of the field of Student Assistance and advocacy for Student Assistance Professionals. A group of professionals representing upstate, central and down state geographic areas responded to the challenge of developing an organization to address these needs. IASAP is the result. IASAP is committed to promoting the field of Student Assistance, assisting in developing the resources and skills of the professionals working in this field, and expanding the network of Student Assistance Professionals.

▪ THE ILLINOIS ASSOCIATION OF STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROFESSIONALS PROVIDES?

- Networking with Student Assistance professionals throughout the state of Illinois.
- Information about Student Assistance Programs in Illinois and throughout the U.S.
- Advocacy for Student Assistance Programs and professionals at the legislative level.
- A unified voice for state directives concerning Student Assistance.
- Newsletters covering information and legislative activity regarding Student Assistance mailed throughout the year.
- A statement of Ethical Standards for the Student Assistance Program Process.
- Voting privileges for the election of Governing Board positions.
- A process for the certification of Student Assistance Professionals.
- State-wide Membership Directory.
- Annual state-wide conference.

EARLY REGISTRATION on WEDNESDAY EVENING from 7:30-9PM

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2010

8:00 - 9:00 AM	Continental Breakfast
8:00 – 5:00	Registration / Exhibits Open
9:00 – 9:30 AM	Opening Session <i>Welcome:</i> Betty Cress and Brenda Hill, IASAP Co-Presidents <i>Presentation of Awards</i> IASAP General Membership Meeting:
9:45 - 11:15 AM	Workshops - Session I
11:30 - 12:15	Luncheon
12:30 - 2:00 PM	Workshops - Session II
2:15 - 3:45 PM	Workshops - Session III
4:00 – 5:00 PM	<i>Featured Speaker: Christopher Kennedy Lawford, “Symptoms of Withdrawal”</i>
5:00 – 5:30 PM	<i>Book Signing session</i>

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2009

7:15- 8:00 AM	Breakfast Buffet
7:30- 9:30 AM	Registration // Exhibits Open
8:15- 9:45 AM	Workshop Session IV
10:00-11:30 AM	Workshop Session V
11:30 AM	Conference ends. Evaluation/Certificate distribution

CONFERENCE FEES (Includes IASAP membership through February 2011)

Registration fees received BEFORE February 3rd = \$165.00

Fees received AFTER February 10th & On Site Registration = \$185.00

ONE Day only = \$ 90.00

There will be NO refunds after February 10th

REGISTRATION INCLUDES

- ◇ Resource Binder including Conference program and Information on all presentations
- ◇ Admission to all presentations and access to all exhibits
- ◇ Continental breakfast & Lunch on Thursday and Breakfast Buffet on Friday
- ◇ All refreshments

ROOM INFORMATION FOR THE HILTON SPRINGFIELD

700 East Adams
Springfield, IL 62703
1-217-789-1530

Ask for the Conference participant special room rate when registering:
Room rate is \$105 plus tax which includes parking with in and out access.
(Parking pass included **ONLY** if you are registered at the Hilton)

Hilton website to register is

<http://www.hilton.com/en/hi/groups/personalized/SPFSHHF-STA-20100216/index.jhtml>.

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IASAP CONFERENCE FEATURED SPEAKER
Thursday, February 18, 2010

4:00 – 5:00 PM *Christopher Kennedy Lawford*
5:00 – 5:30 PM *Book Signing session*

FEATURED SPEAKER



CHRISTOPHER KENNEDY LAWFORD, “Symptoms of Withdrawal”

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Thursday Workshops

Session I 9:45 – 11:15 AM

- A. Eating Disorders & Obesity: Exposing the Storm Within (All/All)-- Rachel Quast**
- B. Methods for the Mad-ness (All/All)--Charla Waxman**
- C. Positive Sobriety & Meditation: expanding on the mind-body connection (I/HS)-- Jennifer Taylor**
- D. SAP 101 (B/All)-- Patricia Berry**
- E. Understanding Self-Injury (All/All)-- Denise Styer, Psy.D**

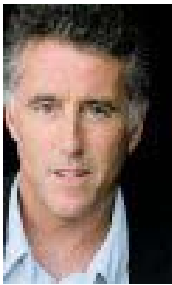
Session II 12:30 – 2:00 PM

- A. **Bipolar Disorder in Adolescents** (All/MS/HS)-- Suzanne Walker
- B. **Eating Disorders & Obesity: Exposing the Storm Within** (All/All)-- Rachel Quast
- C. **Current Drug Trends** (All/MS/HS)— Joe Beliveau
- D. **“My Life is a Mess and You Want Me to Focus on What?”** (All/All)-- Patricia Berry
- E. **Prevention 101** (B/All)-- Maureen O Hara

Session III 2:15 – 3:45 PM

- A. **Blending SAP and RTI in High Schools** (All/HS)-- Patricia Berry, Diane Busch, Roslyn Lessem, Don Mitckess, and John Schwaller
- B. **Pharmacology of Drugs of Abuse** (All/All)-- Lisa Bloom
- C. **Facilitating and Managing Support Groups in Schools.** (B/I/MS/HS)-- Charla Waxman
- D. **Jason Foundation Suicide Prevention Awareness** (All/All)—Tom Demarco

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Friday Workshops

Session IV 8:15 -- 9:45 AM

- A. **Adolescent Alcohol Use and Abuse: The Physical and Social Ramifications.** (All/All)-- William C. Watson, M.D.
- B. **Adolescent Counter Cultures** (All/HS)-- Charla Waxman
- C. **Internet Safety, Online Predators, Cyberbullying, and Social Network Sites** (B/All)-- Detective Sergeant David Vucich
- D. **The Downers Grove South High School Transfer Program: A Systematic Approach.** (All/MS/HS)-
- Diana Benoist, Mary Ellen Cantillon, Barry Jacobson and Jenneine Rowley
- E. **Why Try? Effective Dropout prevention** (All/All)—Hans Magleby

Session V 10:00 -- 11:30 AM

- A. **Gangs from the Inside Out** (All)-- Charla Waxman
- B. **Internet Safety, Online Predators, Cyberbullying, and Social Network Sites** (B/All)-- Detective Sergeant David Vucich
- C. **Intervention Techniques 101** (B/All)-- Maureen O Hara
- D. **Prescription Drugs: "Hidden in Full View"** (All/All)-- Claudia Evenson
- E. **Working with Parents** (All/All)-- Suzanne Walker

Workshops Sessions are coded as follows: Professional level / School level

*Professional level: **Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced or All** and*

*School level: **Elementary, Middle School, High School or All***

Visit our web site at www.iasap.org

**FILL OUT THIS REGISTRATION FORM FOR
EACH PARTICIPANT AND
MAIL WITH A CHECK MADE OUT TO IASAP TO:**

Glenwood Middle School
Attn: Erin Lowry
595 Chatham Rd Chatham, IL 62629
Phone: 217-483-2481 ext. 235

(DEADLINE IS February 10 or until filled)
Your registration information will be put in the IASAP membership directory.

Name _____

Organization / School _____

Position _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

County _____ Phone _____

FAX _____

EMAIL _____

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- \$35 for membership renewal ONLY (not attending Conference)

**Please indicate the letter of the workshops you will probably attend
so we can assign appropriate sized meeting rooms based on your requests.**

YOUR WORKSHOP SESSION CHOICES:

I

II

III

IV

V

Thursday's luncheon, please indicate:

_____ I will be eating lunch at the conference. _____ I will be going out for lunch.

_____ I request a Vegetarian lunch.

Continuing Education Units are available through the Illinois Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Professional Certification Association (IAODAPCA), for Social Workers through the Illinois Department of Professional Regulation, SAP Certification credit from IASAP and ISBE CPDUs

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