

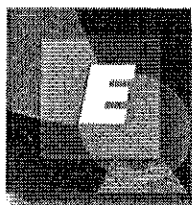


EQUAL JUSTICE FOR CHILDREN

SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA
APRIL 4-8, 2011

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INVESTIGATION AND PROSECUTION OF CHILD ABUSE



Equal Justice offers prosecutors, investigators and other allied child abuse professionals the necessary foundation to completely handle cases of child abuse. Increasing child abuse caseloads, rapid turnover of personnel, and the common practice of rotating prosecutors among assignments all lead to a need for high quality, affordable training in the basics of child abuse prosecution. For experienced prosecutors, this course gives an overview of the latest case law, defenses, and strategies for investigating and prosecuting child abusers.

The field of medicine and science evolves. The legal landscape shifts. Improvements in the field of forensic interviewing are carefully reviewed and revised based on an analysis of best practices. Advancements in technology cause for unique investigations and prosecutions. Participants will explore the linkages between child abuse, intimate partner violence and animal abuse. Medical presentations will focus on the cases we often struggle to investigate appropriately, such as fractures, child neglect, bites, and burns. *Equal Justice* leaves participants equipped with the skills to appropriately interview child victims and to investigate and prosecute cases of child abuse.

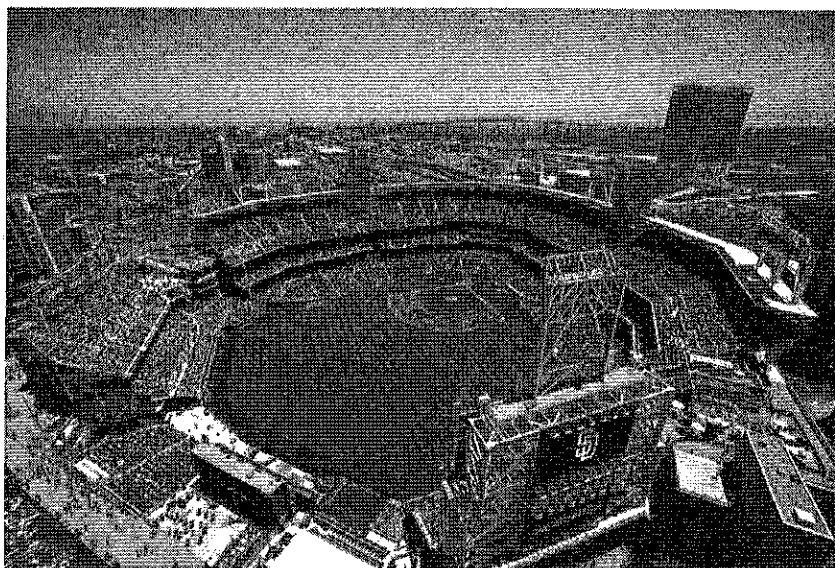
Equal Justice is being held in partnership with the National Family Justice Center Alliance (FJC). FJC is an organization dedicated to assisting professionals and survivors of domestic violence. The links between domestic violence and child abuse are inseverable. Professionals from the child abuse and domestic violence intervention and prevention fields will be able to network and cross-train while attending various shared sessions.

HOTEL INFORMATION

The Hilton San Diego Bayfront Hotel is San Diego's newest waterfront hotel located at 1 Park Boulevard San Diego, California. Inspired by the elements surrounding it, the Hilton San Diego Bayfront Hotel fuses the sun and the sea to offer unparalleled views of the San Diego Bay while offering convenience to downtown San Diego. All rooms are allergy-friendly, offering improved air quality.

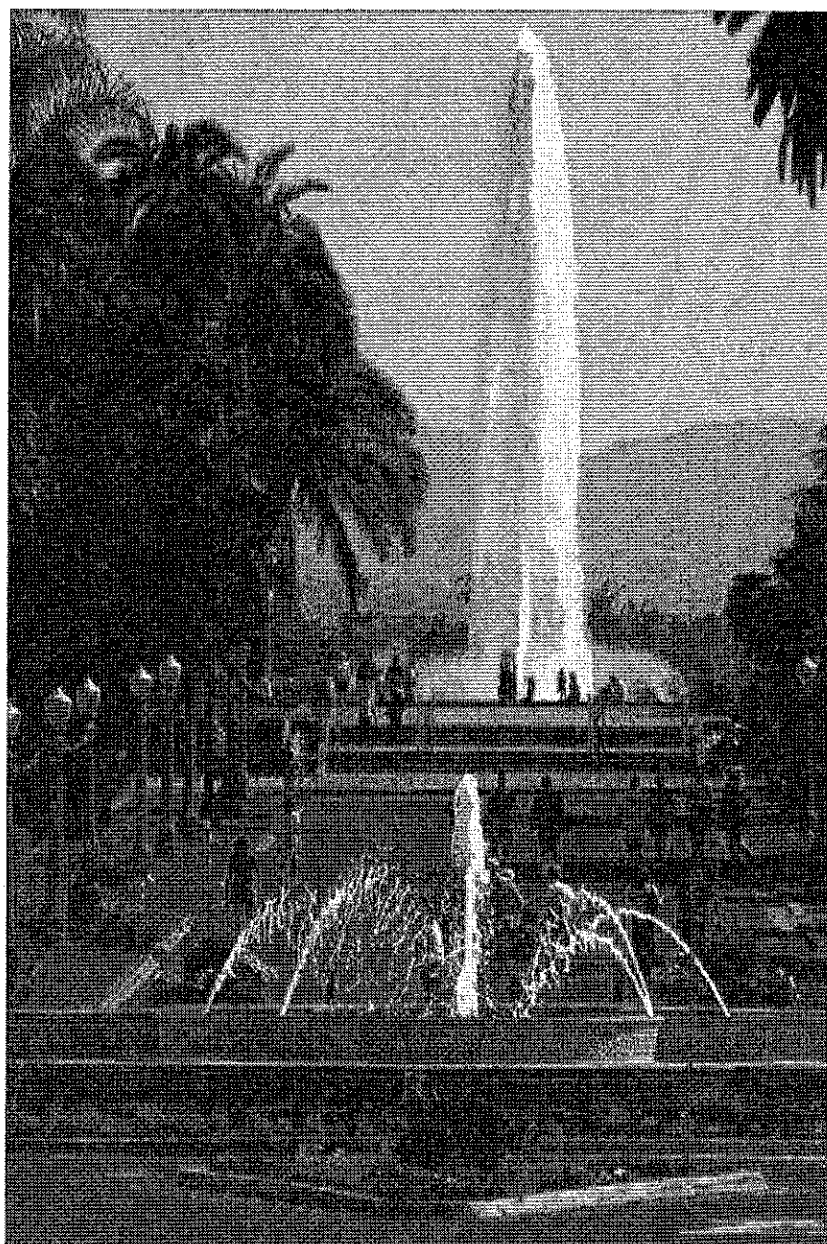
RESERVATIONS

Participants are responsible for making and paying for their own travel and lodging arrangements. A special room rate of \$169 (plus tax) is in effect for the conference. Call 619.564.3333 before March 4, 2011 and refer to NDAA's *Equal Justice* conference. For assistance with travel, including airfare and car rental, call Hamilton Xpress Travel at 708.372.3780.



*PETCO Park,
home of the San
Diego Padres, is a
short walk from the
Hilton San Diego
Bayfront Hotel.*

*Balboa Park
Fountain, lower left,
is a San Diego
landmark.*



Please Note: NDAA assumes no responsibility for air and/or land transportation arrangements. NDAA cannot accept responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to strikes, illness, cancellation of flights or other causes.

SAN DIEGO BAYFRONT

San Diego Bayfront offers the beautiful views of the bay while offering the convenience of downtown. San Diego Padres' PETCO Park is within walking distance; just in time for the first home game! The vibrant Gaslamp Quarter boasts world class shopping and dining, and is only a few blocks away.

TRANSPORTATION

The San Diego International Airport is only 3 miles from the Hilton San Diego Bayfront. Taxi service is available from the airport to the hotel and can cost approximately \$18. Super Shuttle is also available for \$8 per person each way. Please make your reservations with Super Shuttle in advance. The San Diego International Airport is a busy airport, so please allow yourself at least an hour and a half for check-in and security procedures.

AGENDA OVERVIEW

EQUAL JUSTICE FOR CHILDREN INVESTIGATION AND PROSECUTION OF CHILD ABUSE

REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST, EACH DAY AT 7:00 A.M.

MONDAY

Welcome

Plenary Sessions:

- Investigating Child Physical & Sexual Abuse
- Dynamics of Child Victimization
- Linguistics & Interview Children & Adolescents
- Tips for Testifying
- Preparing Kids for Court

TUESDAY

Morning Tracks by Discipline:

Track 1: Trial & Prosecution Strategies
Track 2: Investigation
Track 3: Advocacy

Afternoon Plenary Sessions with FJC:

- Teen Dating Violence
- Child Trauma

**Optional Tour of San Diego FJC*

WEDNESDAY

Morning Plenary Sessions with FJC:

- The Link®
- Vicarious Trauma

Afternoon Tracks by Discipline:

Track 1: Trial & Prosecution Strategies
Track 2: Investigation
Track 3: Forensic Interviewing
Track 4: Sexual Assault Investigations

THURSDAY

Morning Tracks by Discipline:

Track 1: Trial & Prosecution Strategies
Track 2: Investigation
Track 3: Advocacy

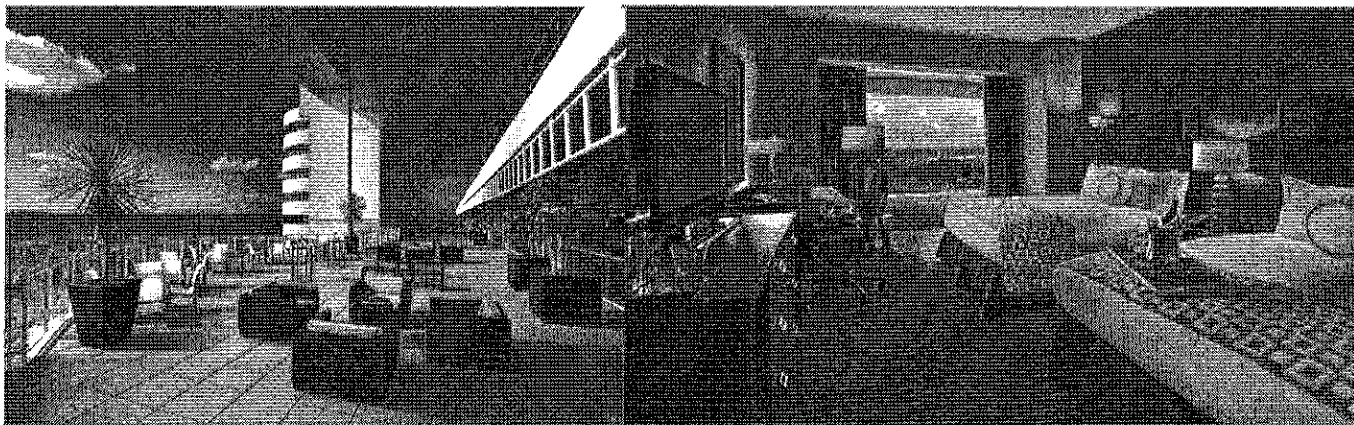
Afternoon Plenary Session:

- Medical Evidence of Child Abuse, Maltreatment & Neglect

FRIDAY

Plenary Sessions:

- Accomplice Liability
- Sex Offender Management



CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Registration deadline date is March 4, 2011. Please note—priority will be given to individuals who were wait-listed for NCPA's summer 2010 conferences. Apply early to ensure your registration can be accommodated. For quick registration, please visit our website at www.ndaa.org. A very limited number of scholarships covering the registration fee are available. Please contact Mary Ahan at MAhan@ndaa.org.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

Full Name _____

Preferred Name _____

Job Title _____

Jurisdiction/Organization _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Physical Address (if different from mailing address) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____

E-mail Address _____

(Course information will be sent via e-mail.)

Are you registered as a team? _____

Number of people in team: _____

List names of team members: _____

Emergency Contact Information: _____

How did you hear about *Equal Justice*? _____

REGISTRATION FEE:

Early Bird Special: Now until January 31st

- ☐ Individual Registration — \$300
- ☐ Team of 3 or more — \$250 each person

Regular Registration: From February 1 – March 4

- ☐ Individual Registration — \$350
- ☐ Team of 3 or more — \$300 each person

Late Registration: From March 5 – March 25

- ☐ Individual Registration — \$450
- ☐ Team of 3 or more — \$400 each person

You may register online at www.ndaa.org, by mail, or by fax.

Payment Method: Check enclosed (*payable to NDAA*). Include all team member names and NCPA Equal Justice in the Subject Line.

Credit Card (VISA or MasterCard)

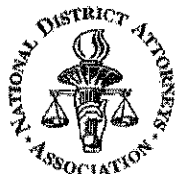
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Please Mail or Fax completed forms to:

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Thank you for your registration.



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If you require special assistance because of a disability, please notify us in writing.