Friday, October 28, 2016

8 a.m. (Registration)  8:30 a.m.-4:45 p.m. (Program)  4:45-6 p.m. (Reception)
Continental Breakfast & Lunch Provided

Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association
Conference Center
Two Pershing Square, 2300 Main Street, Suite 100
Kansas City MO 64108

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19th Annual Domestic Violence and Children Interdisciplinary Conference

Sponsored by KCMBF, the KCMBA Family and the Law Section, Jackson County Safe Family Coalition, the Missouri Lawyer Trust Account Foundation and Children’s Mercy Hospital.

LOCATION: KCMBA, Two Pershing Square, 2300 Main Street, Ste. 100, Kansas City, MO 64108

TITLE: Protecting Our Families: Understanding the Link Between Domestic Violence & Human Trafficking

REGISTRATION: 8 AM PROGRAM: 8:30 AM-4:45 PM RECEPTION: 4:45-6 PM
See next page for detailed Conference schedule.

8.4 CLE hours approved in Missouri and Kansas, CEU credits pending, sponsored by Children’s Mercy Hospital & Clinics, GAL credit pending (does not qualify for 8-hour GAL training).

FEES: No Charge With Pre-Registration. $25 Fee for Pre-Registrants who do not attend.

DESCRIPTION: Protecting Our Families: Understanding the Link Between Domestic Violence & Human Trafficking. This year’s conference focuses on the intersection of domestic violence, child abuse, and human trafficking. Morning speakers will address the basics of human trafficking; its intersection with domestic violence and child abuse and providing a trauma-informed response; and methods for identifying human trafficking in the healthcare, social services, and courtroom setting. Afternoon speakers will address the investigation and prosecution of human trafficking and local resources available to survivors.

REGISTRATION:
There is no charge to register. However, you are required to pre-register. Registrants who do not cancel 24 hours prior to the start of the Conference will be charged $25.00 to cover the cost of the conference.

CLE hours available at no additional charge.

The Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association is located at Two Pershing Square, 2300 Main Street, Suite 100, Kansas City, MO 64108. Parking is free to all participants. Parking can be accessed upon entering the circle drive off of Main Street.

If you have special needs that will require assistance, please contact Kelly Dillman at least two weeks prior to the conference. The phone number is (816) 474-4322 or e-mail kdillman@kcmbf.org.

Special Thanks to Our Interdisciplinary Conference Sponsor:
Missouri Lawyer Trust Account Foundation
8—8:30 AM   REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST

8:30—9:45 AM   Topic:   An Overview of Human Trafficking Law & Policy
Speaker:   Kursten Phelps, Managing Attorney, Tahirih Justice Center, Washington, D.C.
Description:   Ms. Phelps will provide an overview of national and local human trafficking law and policy, helping attendees to understand the legal definition of trafficking and the legal system’s response.

9:45—10 AM   BREAK

10—11 AM   Topic:   The Intersection of Domestic Violence, Child Abuse and Human Trafficking: Providing a Trauma-Informed Response
Speaker:   Pam Hamilton, LCSW, Training Specialist, Cornerstones of Care
Description:   A discussion of how traffickers and intimate-partner abusers can be one in the same, how domestic violence can serve as a push or pull force into trafficking, and the dynamics of power and control, and tools for providing a trauma-informed response.

11 AM—12 PM   Topic:   Identifying and Responding to Trafficking: A Healthcare, Social Services and Legal Response
Speakers:   Jennifer Pierce, MD, Child Abuse Pediatrics Fellow, Children’s Mercy Hospital, and member of CMH Human Trafficking Work Group
Sarah Evans-Simpson, RN, The University of Kansas Hospital Emergency Department
Pam Hamilton, LCSW, Training Specialist, Cornerstones of Care
Kursten Phelps, Managing Attorney, Tahirih Justice Center, Washington, D.C.
Katie Cronin, Pro Bono Manager, Stinson Leonard Street LLP
Description:   A discussion on tools for identifying and responding to trafficking victims in the healthcare, social services and legal setting.

12—12:45 PM   LUNCH

12:45—1:30 PM   Topic:   A Survivor Turned Advocate: A Story of Trafficking, its Intersection with the Healthcare and Legal System, and Barriers Experienced by Survivors and Advocates
Speaker:   Kristen Tebow, Human Trafficking Program Coordinator, Willow Domestic Violence Program
1:30—3:30 PM  
**Topic:** The Investigation and Prosecution of Human Trafficking  
**Speakers:** Mark Fox, Homeland Security Investigations  
Heath Janke, FBI  
Teresa Moore, US Attorneys Office, Western District of MO  
**Description:** Speakers will track a potential human trafficking case from a tip, to an investigation, all the way to prosecution. Speakers will emphasize the ways in which social and other digital media have changed the sex crimes landscape, from its use in recruiting victims to its use as evidence for prosecuting both traffickers and johns.

3:30—3:45 PM  
BREAK

3:45—4:45 PM  
**Topic:** Treatment and Resources for Survivors of Human Trafficking  
**Speakers:**  
Medical  
Jennifer Pierce, MD, Child Abuse Pediatrics Fellow, Children’s Mercy Hospital, member of CMH Human Trafficking Work Group  
Andrew Park, DO, MPH, The University of Kansas Hospital Emergency Department  
**Legal**  
Cynthia Cordes, Attorney and Director, Human Trafficking Pro Bono Legal Clinic, Husch Blackwell  
Hon. Courtney Wachal, Kansas City Municipal Court  
**Social Services**  
Kris Wade, The Justice Project of Kansas City  
Kristen Tebow, Human Trafficking Program Coordinator, Willow Domestic Violent Program  
**Description:** Speakers will discuss the extraordinary need for immediate and long-term healthcare, legal services, and social services to assist trafficking survivors on a pathway to physical and emotional well-being and economic security.

4:45—6 PM  
RECEPTION