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Improving Restitution Management in Community Corrections

Special Training Seminar

The American Probation and Parole Association (APPA), through funds provided by the Office for Victims of Crime (OVC), will be offering a 1-day special training seminar on improving the management of restitution as a pre-session during the APPA Winter Institute in Myrtle Beach, SC.

Training Date: Sunday, February 8, 2009

Training Time: 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Training Location: Kingston Plantation (room to be announced)

Training Goal: The goal of this training program is to provide community corrections and court services agencies and personnel with information on strategies they can implement to improve enforcement and collection of restitution and improve their ability to communicate with victims of crime about restitution issues.

Learning Objectives: Specifically, by the conclusion of this training seminar participants will be able to:

- Recognize the value of their role in monitoring, enforcing, and/or collecting restitution for crime victims.
- Demonstrate effective communication skills when talking with crime victims about restitution issues.
- Identify new strategies and graduated responses (sanctions and incentives) for increasing enforcement and collection of restitution.
- Develop a plan for implementing new strategies and graduated responses for enforcement and collection of restitution.

Faculty:

Julie Begona, Private Consultant (AZ) Tracy G. Mullins, Sr. Research Associate, American Probation and Parole Association (KY)

Registration Information:

This special training is available at no additional cost to registered participants of the APPA Winter Institute. *Registration is limited to 30 persons on a first-come, first-served basis.*

To register for this special training seminar, check the box next to the Improving Restitution Management in Communication Corrections Training Seminar on the <u>APPA Winter Institute Registration Form</u>. <u>Click here to access registration information for the APPA Winter Institute</u>.

Questions about this special training program should be directed to:

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