

Special Training Seminar Announcement

Underage Drinking: Prevention and Intervention Principles for Community Corrections

When: Sunday, August 15, 2010

Where: Hilton Washington; 1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW; Washington, DC 20009

Time: 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

The American Probation and Parole Association (APPA) is pleased to announce it will be conducting a 1-day training seminar on Underage Drinking: Prevention and Intervention Principles for Community Corrections at the APPA Annual Training Institute in Washington, DC on **Sunday, August 15, 2010**.

With funding and support from the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP), APPA has partnered with the Pacific Institute for Research and Evaluation (PIRE) to develop a set of guiding principles, based on evidence-based practices, to assist community corrections professionals in responding more effectively to underage drinking offenders.

This goal of this training seminar is to assist community corrections professionals in defining and refining their role in addressing underage drinking offenders more effectively.

Specifically, participants will learn how to:

- Discuss the purpose of the Enforcing Underage Drinking Laws Program from a national, state, and local perspective.
- Discuss the effects of underage drinking on individuals and communities and the legal issues related to supervising underage drinking offenders.
- Explain the six principles for the community supervision of underage drinking offenders.
- Identify 4-8 practices that community supervision staff can implement to enhance their effectiveness with underage drinking offenders on their caseload.
- Describe how to enhance and/or engage in partnerships with other community agencies in prevention and intervention efforts around underage drinking.
- Discuss examples of community corrections agencies (e.g., pretrial, diversion, probation) that have implemented promising practices in addressing underage drinking offenders.

Although we hope you will choose to register for and attend the APPA Annual Training Institute in its entirety to take advantage of all the professional development opportunities, **you do not have to register to attend the APPA Annual Training Institute to attend this special training**

program. However, you will be subject to the \$35 intensive session fee. All intensive sessions are accredited through the APPA training accreditation committee and appropriate credit will be provided to all registered participants.

To register for and attend this special training seminar at the APPA Annual Training Institute, you can register online at http://www.appa-net.org/eweb/DynamicPage.aspx?webcode=IIIA_TI-Detail&Reg_evt_key=7752ef54-78f4-4263-a7d1-98a1468f2a4f&RegPath=IIIB_TSO-RegFormNoFee, or you can send an email to Kris Chappell at kchappel@csg.org and specify that you would like to sign up for Intensive Session #4: Underage Drinking: Prevention and Intervention Principles for Community Corrections.

Registration for this intensive training seminar is limited to 30 participants on a first-come, first-serve basis.

If you have questions or need more information about this seminar, contact Tracy G. Mullins, Deputy Director/Project Director, APPA, at tmullins@csg.org; or at 859-244-8215.