The Center for Public Service Psychiatry of Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic Presents:

Beyond the Bars: Reducing the Impact of Incarceration on Children and Families (MD27)

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OVERVIEW:
This conference will present programs and proposals intended to help children and families cope more effectively with the challenges posed by incarceration of a family member. There is widespread agreement that incarceration of a family member poses serious challenges to children’s personal growth and socialization. The stability of families and communities are likewise challenged, often aggravating vulnerabilities accumulated over generations.

Plenary speakers and panelists will describe the programs, skills and knowledge that they use to help children and families cope with these problems. They represent community advocates, corrections and judiciary staff, government officials, and behavioral health professionals who have developed programs specifically dedicated to supporting incarcerated individuals, and their children and families. They also include diverse individuals with lived experience, including children and prior inmates who will describe the difficulties they experienced and resources they needed or found most valuable. The program will provide extensive opportunity for audience interaction. Resource tables will be available for programs and providers to present information and to meet with attendees.

TARGET AUDIENCE:
The conference is intended for all stakeholders of the behavioral health and correctional systems. Behavioral health stakeholders include, but are not limited to: administrators, advocates, case coordinators, case managers, community members and community organizations, behavioral health and substance use consumers or service users, nurses, peer professionals and other peer workers, psychiatrists and other physicians, psychologists and all other providers.

Correctional system stakeholders include, but are not limited to: people with lived experience as inmates of jails and prisons; individuals, family members, and residents of all affected communities; advocates, police, corrections and probation staff, and judges or other law professionals; policy makers and public health professionals, government leaders, and other professionals and providers concerned with problems and improvements of the correctional system.

OBJECTIVES: At the completion of the program, participants should be able to:

- Describe programs focusing on family and child support, parenting skills and empowerment of children
- Describe the views, experience and recommendations of people with lived experience as inmates or family members
- Network, partner and advocate with community and system-based stakeholders
- Identify written and online resources to assist in education and in making referrals for at risk individuals and families.

PLENARY SPEAKERS:

- Hon. Kim Berkeley Clark, Allegheny County Court of Common Pleas, Family Division
- Anna E. Hollis, Executive Director, Amachi Pittsburgh
- Kevin Jordan, CEO, Adaptive Behavioral Services
- Amy Kroll, Administrator, Re-Entry Services, Allegheny County Jail
PANEL OVERVIEWS:

There will be four panels during the conference:

- **COMMUNITY ADVOCACY**: This panel focuses on solutions developed by citizens and community organizations of Allegheny and Beaver Counties. The panel highlights Amachi Pittsburgh’s focus on teaching children with lived experience to serve as mentors for other children and families at risk. Panelists will describe community-based efforts to offer parenting skills, child and family support, and school-based efforts to identify at-risk children.

- **CORRECTIONAL SYSTEM**: Panelists will overview the challenges of incarceration and efforts to facilitate family wellbeing during periods of incarceration. They will present system-based efforts to evolve principles and practices that prepare inmates for re-entry and enhance capacity for reintegration through programs that offer parenting skills, opportunity for family visitation and individual counseling.

- **BEHAVIORAL HEALTH**: This panel will address the diverse and profound vulnerabilities that complicate the adjustments required of inmates and their families. Panelists will describe their approaches to the historical and ongoing challenges related to incarceration, including employment, education, trauma, racism, and other vulnerabilities contributing to social exclusion.

- **GOVERNMENT**: The focus of this panel will be efforts to establish policies and judiciary practices that support children and families separated by incarceration. Panelists will describe local, statewide, and national efforts to develop policies and judiciary practices that reduce the likelihood of foster placement, loss of parental rights, and systemic fueling of a ‘pipeline’ to crime and imprisonment for children.
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REGISTRATION INFORMATION:
Tuition: $25.00 (does not include continuing education or continuing medical credits)

Continuing Education Credits/Continuing Medical Education Credits ($30) - Participants can complete a continuing education credit application and pay $30 at the registration table at the event. Certificates will be sent via e-mail once the online evaluation is complete. Payment can be made via credit card or check.

A limited number of scholarships are available upon request. Scholarship requests should be directed to Mary Herschk at herschkmg@upmc.edu or 412-647-4860.

Tuition Includes:
- All registration and conference materials
- Coffee and pastry 8-8:30 am
- Lunch 12:15-1:15 pm

Please register by May 4, 2018. Reservation requests received after May 4, 2018 will be honored on a space-available basis. Please contact Nancy Mundy at mundynl@upmc.edu.

Full Tuition must accompany the form. A $10 administrative fee will be deducted from all refunds for cancellations. No refunds can be issued after May 4, 2018.

Instructions for registering and paying with a credit card at

To register:
1. Click on this link: https://upmc.asapconnected.com/CourseDetail.aspx?Courseld=170926
2. Scroll to the end of the program
3. Click on “Register Now” (in the box immediately below the green band)
4. When "Beyond the Bars: Reducing the Impact of Incarceration on Children and Families" comes up, click on 'checkout'. Think of this as 'continue'.
5. Register as a new registrant, or sign in if you already have an account (username is your e-mail).
6. If there is a code for your fee, please put the code in and hit 'apply to total'.
7. Pay with your credit card.
8. Complete transaction and print your receipt

If you have questions about registration, please contact Nancy Mundy at mundynl@upmc.edu.

Participation by all individuals is encouraged. Advance notification of any special needs will help us provide better service. Please notify us of your needs at least two weeks in advance of the program by calling Nancy Mundy at 412.204.9090.
CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT:

Continuing Education Applications and Certificates: Application for continuing education and continuing medical education certificates will be completed at the conference. Certificates are $30, payable at time of application.

Physicians
The University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine designates this live activity for a maximum of 6.25 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Physician Assistants
This activity is approved for 6.25 AAPA Category 1 Credits. PAs should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation.

Psychologists
Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic is approved by the American Psychological Association to offer continuing education for psychologists. Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic maintains responsibility for this program and its content. This program is being offered for 6.25 continuing education credits.

Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselors/Certified Co-Occurring Disorders Professionals: CADC/CCDP
The Office of Education and Regional Programming, Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic is certified by the Pennsylvania Certification Board (PCB) to provide Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor (CADC) and Certified Co-occurring Disorders Professional (CCDP) continuing education credits. This program is being offered for 6.25 continuing education credits.

Counselors
Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic has been approved by NBCC as an Approved Continuing Education Provider, ACEP No. 5059. Programs that do not qualify for NBCC credit are clearly identified. Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic is solely responsible for all aspects of this program. This program is being offered for 6.25 continuing education hours.

Licensed/Clinical Social Workers, Licensed Professional Counselors, Licensed Marriage and Family Therapists: LSW/LCSW/LPC/LMFT
This program is offered for 6.0 hours of social work continuing education through co-sponsorship of the University of Pittsburgh’s School of Social Work, a Council on Social Work Education-accredited school and, therefore, a PA pre-approved provider of social work continuing education. These credit hours satisfy requirements for LSW/LCSW, LPC and LMFT biennial license renewal. For information on social work continuing education call (412) 624-3711.

Other Healthcare Professionals
Nurses and other health care professionals are awarded 0.625 Continuing Education Units (CEU's). One CEU is equal to 10 contact hours. Nurses: For attending this program you will receive a Certificate of Attendance confirming 6.25 hours of continuing education. These hours may be considered eligible for completing the 30 hours of continuing education required for biannual nursing re-licensure in Pennsylvania. Peer Specialists: This program fulfills requirements for Certified Peer Specialist continuing education.