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Strengthening available resources to help immigrant victims



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We are celebrating...

**Rocio
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2006



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2009



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Brown**

2010



**Beth
Holloway**

2011



**Maria
Guelfi**

2012



**Mallory
Hagan**

2013



**Irvin
Waller**

2014



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Agenda

7:00 - 8:00 am	Registration
8:00 - 8:30 am	Continental Breakfast
8:30 - 9:00 am	Welcome One World Flag Parade Board Member Greetings
9:00 - 9:30 am	Marta Piñeiro - Guest Speaker
9:30 - 10:20 am	Round Table - Successful Women
10:20 - 10:30 am	Exhibit Break
10:30 - 11:30 am	Session 1: Workshops
11:30 - 11:40 am	Exhibit Break
11:40 - 12:20 pm	Mónica Ramírez - Keynote Speaker
12:20 - 2:20 pm	Lunch Greetings from Board President Mary Jordan - Keynote Speaker Candlelight Ceremony
2:20 - 2:30 pm	Exhibit Break
2:30 - 3:30 pm	Session 2: Workshops
3:30 - 4:00 pm	Networking / Closing

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Mary Jordan



Mary Jordan is a Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist for the Washington Post currently covering the 2016 presidential campaign. Based abroad for 14 years – in Tokyo, Mexico City and London – she has written articles from nearly 40 countries. She and her husband and colleague, Kevin Sullivan, won the 2003 Pulitzer Prize for international reporting for their series on the Mexican justice system. They were 2009 Pulitzer Prize finalists for a series of stories about discrimination against women around the world. They have written two books: The first, *The Prison Angel*, is the story about an American nun who transformed thousands of lives in Mexico. The second, is the Number #1 New York Times bestseller *Hope: A Memoir of Survival in Cleveland*, written with two women held captive in Cleveland for a decade. Jordan is a graduate of Georgetown University and earned a masters degree at Columbia University. She was awarded the Nieman Fellowship to study at Harvard, spent another year studying Spanish at Stanford University, and studied Irish poetry at Trinity College in Dublin. The daughter of Irish immigrants, she grew up in Cleveland, Ohio. She has taught journalism as an adjunct professor at Georgetown University. Jordan currently lives in Washington and has two children.

Mónica Ramírez

Mónica Ramírez has been a farmworker and immigrant rights activist for nearly two decades. She is a civil rights attorney, a skilled public speaker and an author. Mónica is also a nationally recognized subject matter expert on workplace sexual violence against farmworker and immigrant women. She is the founder of several major initiatives and projects, including Esperanza: The Immigrant Women's Legal Initiative of the Southern Poverty Law Center, The Bandana Project and Justice for Migrant Women.

Mónica earned a Bachelor of Arts in Communications from Loyola University Chicago, a Juris Doctor from The Ohio State University and a Masters in Public Administration from the Harvard Kennedy School. Mónica currently serves as the Director of Gender Equity and Advocacy at National Hispanic Leadership Agenda in Washington, D.C.



Marta Piñeiro-Núñez



Marta Piñeiro-Núñez is a well-known exceptional scientist with a high reputation as one of the best scientific minds in the Lilly Company. She grew up in A Coruña, Spain, with a large family. She holds a BS from Santiago de Compostela University, Spain, and a PhD from Indiana University. Currently she works as a director of Open Innovation Drug Discovery, Lilly Research Laboratories, Eli Lilly and Company. She believes that a good and strong working relationship leads to great results. As a leader, she focuses on understanding the unique value of each individual and helps them to achieve their full potential with excellence.

Session I (10:30 - 11:30 am)

Track 1

Educating Victims Service Leaders

Presenter: Mary Jo Lee, CEO, Alternative Inc.

"Failure to plan is planning to fail" is a quote often used in leadership workshops. Social service organizations are no exception to this rule. In order to have a successful organization, an agency needs to have various plans in place, including a strategic plan, resource development plan and diversity plan. To be an effective leader, one must be able to guide the organization through successfully developing and executing the plans. This workshop will focus on the skills needed to create and implement both a strategic and diversity plan to better serve immigrant victims. Attendees will leave the workshop with information as well as model documents.

Track 2

Determining Priorities for Public Action Against Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault

(Presenter: Christina Hale, Indiana State House Representative)

Domestic Violence and Sexual assault affects everyone whether it being directly or indirectly. Continuously it is the most underreported crime in America. It should be a national priority to end domestic violence and sexual assault once and for all. Although the work of organizations against domestic violence and sexual assault is important, it is not sufficient for the nature and extent of the problem it has become. Therefore, more active participation and more serious commitment from both Hoosiers and government representatives in collaboration with organizations is highly necessary. Public action along with the work of organizations could ensure the total eradication of domestic violence and sexual assault. There are many more plans that need to be implemented in order to achieve whole eradication. For these reasons, the workshop will focus on the priorities for public action against domestic violence and sexual abuse. It will also highlight the most recent measures given by the government to help victims and evaluate the effectiveness of the actions taken.

Track 3

Recovering Emotional and Mental Conditions of Victims

(Presenters: Anny Maslowski, Licensed Mental Health Counselor, Maslowski Mental Health LLC)

Experiencing abuse or an attack can lead to serious mental health problems, including post-traumatic stress disorder, depression, and anxiety. Emotionally, domestic violence also has effects on the woman's self-esteem, self-concept, and self-worth. Children who have witnessed domestic violence are also at risk of emotional and mental health problems that affect their normal functioning. The objective of the workshop is to provide the audience with an overview of the different emotional and mental health effects of victims, whether it is women and/or the children living in homes where there is violence. In addition, there will be overview of ways for a woman to recover from the trauma and to lead them into a path of healing.



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Track 1

Addressing Domestic Violence as a Public Health Problem
(Presenter: Laura McCloskey PhD, Professor, Indiana University)

Throughout the years domestic violence has been recognized as a serious crime, but only recently has it been acknowledged by community leaders as a critical public health problem. Health is a state of complete physical, mental and social well-being and not merely the absence of disease. Therefore, due to the impact of domestic violence in the life of the victim the categorization of it as a public health problem and its implementation should be a governmental priority. Some of the health problems associated with domestic violence are substance abuse, STDs, pelvic pain, gastrointestinal illnesses, depression, and many more. Within this workshop, participants will learn about the relationship between domestic violence and public health. In addition, participants will also learn how social providers are able to claim more government assistance and resources for their programs in order to help the vulnerable and underserved populations.

Track 2

Providing Culturally Competent Services to Reduce Disparities"
(Presenter: Una Hartzell-Baird, Executive Language Strategist, LUNA)

As the immigrant and refugee populations grow and add to the diversity of our state, providing culturally and linguistically competent services becomes much more complex. The lack of participation of organizations incorporating culturally and linguistically competent services through their programs, results in services disparities. That is why it is crucial for organizations to develop the necessary attitudes, behaviors, skills, and knowledge to better serve immigrant and refugee populations in culturally and linguistically competent ways. In this workshop participants will learn how to identify cultural competence needs and take advantage of language services as a bridging resource. Initiate thoughtful conversation and planning for providers who have had limited to no experience successfully integrating services for limited English proficient and Deaf and Hard of Hearing individuals. At the conclusion of the workshop participants will be able to identify deficiencies in training, know how to connect with interpreting resources in the community, and feel more at ease when working with culturally diverse clients.

Track 3

Helping Survivors Overcome Financial Obstacles on Their Path to Recovery
(Presenter: Linda Baechle, CEO, YWCA North Central Indiana)

Immigrant survivors in an abusive relationship may experience physical, emotional and financial abuse. While the emotional tie to the abuser and societal norms may keep the survivor stuck in the relationship for a long time, it is often the financial reality of life on her own that sends her home when she has broken away. In this workshop participants will learn strategies to recognize the signs of a financially abusive relationship; how the victims can stay safe when they leave and emotionally and financially abusive relationship; the financial impact of separation, divorce and child support; and resources for survivors.



General Information

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Special Needs

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Attendance *Please select (x) the events that you will be attending (limited seating available per room)*

Morning Sessions (choose one)

Track 1: Educating Victims Service Leaders _____
 Track 2: Priorities for Public Action Against Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault _____
 Track 3: Recovering Emotional and Mental Condition of Victims _____

Afternoon Sessions (choose one)

Track 1: Addressing Domestic Violence as a Public Health Problem _____
 Track 2: Providing Culturally Competent Services to Reduce Disparities _____
 Track 3: Helping Survivors Overcome Financial Obstacles on Their Path to Recovery _____

Fees

All day Conference..... \$ 80.00
 Student (w / ID)..... \$ 40.00
 Group Table (includes 10 registrations)..... \$700.00
 I want to make a donation \$ _____ .00
 Total Payment \$ _____ .00

Who Should Attend? Any professional providing services related to domestic and sexual violence. Including but not limited to victim advocate, health and mental care, law enforcement, court staff, private investigator, attorney, department of corrections, social work, child welfare services, foster care, school educator or administrator, higher education, and anyone interested in related issues.

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Special Needs

Electrical outlets _____ (\$30.00 each)

Other _____

Fees

Not for profit..... \$150.00

All other.....\$250.00

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*** Exhibitor fees include: luncheon admittance (1) | 6ft. table (1) | chair (1) | wastebasket (1)

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