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4TH ANNUAL SAFE & TOGETHER MODEL SYMPOSIUM

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND CHILDREN

OCTOBER 12-14, 2016

WYNDHAM GRAND BONNET CREEK IN ORLANDO, FLORIDA

Registration Open

This year's Symposium will offer:

- Stories from those who have been exposed to domestic violence as children.
- Consultation support and expertise from experienced Subject Matter Experts and co-located advocates.
- International speakers working in the field of children exposed to domestic violence.
- Introduction to Responsible Fatherhood programming across the country
- Structured Decision Making strategies for case planning.
- Support for anyone facilitating Family Team Meetings.
- Examples of evaluation methods used to study the Model's impact in case practice.
- **Refresher trainings** to enhance skills on interviewing perpetrators, assessing the impact on children and mapping the perpetrator patterns for case decision-making.
- **Safe & Together Champions** sharing their stories and Experience

Sessions already on the program:

- *Giving Children and Families Wings* by Ruby White Starr, Casa de Esperanza\
- *Strengthening the Child Protection Response to DV: Insights from 5 case studies across Australia* by Dr. Cathy Humphreys, University of Melbourne
- Adult Children Exposed to Domestic Violence (ACE-DV) Leadership Forum Panel, a project of the National Resource Center on Domestic Violence (NRCDV)
- *Ordinary Magic: Resilience across a lifespan* by Casey Keene, NRCDV
- Working with Fathers Who Have Used Violence: Considering strategies that support victim/child safety by Dr. Johnny Rice II, Vera Institute of Justice
- *Enhanced Advocacy* - a full day pre-symposium workshop for advocates working with child welfare involved cases or co-located advocates
- *Interviewing Perpetrators* - a full day pre-symposium workshop on child-centered interviews with domestic violence perpetrators

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