

**"Making a World of Difference . . .
While Making a Difference
in the World"**

2008 Annual Conference

Registration Form

For planning purposes please complete a separate form for each participant and return completed registration form and payment by **April 28, 2008.**

Name: _____

Affiliation: _____

Title/Position: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone (day): _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Please Note Special Needs:

- ☐ Sign Language Interpretation ☐ Vegetarian Diet
☐ Other (specify) _____

Fee: Make checks or money orders payable to **Parkland Health & Hospital System.** All fees include Continental Breakfast, Lunch, and CEUs.

Please check one:

☐ \$65 Early Registration (on or before April 28, 2008)

☐ \$75 Late/On-Site Registration

Note: Breakfast/Lunch may not be available for those who register on-site.

☐ \$50 Per Person for **Groups of 3 or More** from Same Organization (registration forms and payments for each person must be submitted together)

☐ \$30 Student Rate (include copy of student ID with registration and fee)

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Mail payments to : Diann Francis, COPC Resource Team
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**2008 Annual
Social Work
Conference**



Parkland
Health & Hospital System

Dallas, Texas

Presents



**Fellowship Dallas
9330 N. Central Expressway**

**May 21, 2008
8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

Conference Information

This full day conference is designed to enhance the participants' knowledge and skills needed to make a positive difference in the lives of who they serve. This conference will also challenge us to explore opportunities for continuing to make a difference in the communities we serve.

INFORMATION

Date

Wednesday, May 21, 2008

Time

8:00 am-4:00 pm

Place

Fellowship Dallas
9330 N. Central Expwy.
Dallas, TX
214-739-3881

Cost

\$65 Early Registration
(postmarked by 4/28/08)
\$75 Late Registration
(postmarked after 4/28/08)
\$50 Group Rate (see registration)
\$30 Student Rate (see registration)

**Continental Breakfast
and Lunch provided**

REFUND POLICY

Conference registration fee less \$10 will be refunded if cancellation is received no later than Monday, April 28, 2008.

CEUs

This conference is awarded a maximum of 0.5 CEUs/5 contact hours for Social Workers, LPCs and LMFTs including up to 3 contact hours that meet the requirement for Ethics/Professional Responsibility.

Conference Program

8:00 a.m. Check-In/Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m. Welcome

Diann Francis, MSW, LMSW
Social Work Manager- COPC
Parkland Health & Hospital System

8:45 a.m. Opening Plenary

*"Celebrating the Profession of Social Work:
Examining Our Strengths and Preserving the Profession"*
Sandra Lopez, LCSW, ACSW, DCSW
University of Houston Graduate College of Social Work

9:45 a.m. *Refreshment Break/
Exhibits/Resource Booths*

10:15 a.m. Workshop Sessions A

11:45 a.m. *Lunch/Exhibits*

1:15 p.m. Workshop Sessions B

2:45 p.m. *Break/Resource Booths*

3:00 p.m. Workshop Sessions C

4:00 p.m. Adjournment/Evaluations &
Certificates



Workshops

(workshops, presenters and schedule are subject to change)

SESSIONS A

*"Trauma and Children . . . What To Do If a Child is a
Witness to Crime"*

Karen Dumas, LPC
Victims Outreach - Dallas

"Stop the Madness: Addressing Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) in Health Care Settings"

Sherry Sheffield, LCSW
Texas A&M University at Commerce

*"The Ethics of Self-Care For the Mental Health
Professional"*

Ken Bateman, LMFT, Ed.D.
New Directions Counseling Center
Richardson, TX

SESSIONS B

*"My Teen Client is Pregnant, Now What?
Our Obligation, Options, and Intervention"*

Allison Whitehead, LCSW
Alleys House - Dallas

*"Government Budgetary Challenges and End-of-Life
Decisions: Coming Conflicts"*

Thomas Watts, Ph.D.
University of Texas at Arlington

"Advocacy: Our Ethical Responsibility"

Richard Hoefer, Ph.D.
University of Texas at Arlington

SESSIONS C

*"The Changing Face of the African American Family:
Implications for Treatment and Service"*

Shirley Wesley King, MSW, Ph.D.,
Southwest Behavioral Systems - Dallas

*"Help! My Client is Suicidal!: Assessment and
Intervention Basics"*

Jan Dumas, LCSW
Parkland Health & Hospital System

*"No Rest for the Weary: Caring for the Caregivers
of the Chronically Ill"*

Diane Mitschke, Ph.D.
University of Texas at Arlington