



*The Family Express: **TURNING PASSION INTO ACTION***
Supporting Children's Mental Health

ACMH Conference Highlights

Monday and Tuesday October 13 and 14, 2008

**Holiday Inn West,
Lansing, Michigan**

Hotel Reservations: 1-517-627-3211

(Conference Room Rate \$92.00 -

be sure to mention you are with ACMH)

*Parent Scholarships Available

*Early Bird Registration Rates

*Dinner, breakfast, and two lunches included

*Exhibits

*Award Winning Monday Evening Entertainment

KEYNOTE SESSIONS:

Bernie Travnikar, B.A., M.A.T., ED.D.

MONDAY - OCTOBER 13, 2008

“Signs Of The Times” – What Parents and Advocates Need to Know and Do!

Kimberly Eaton Hoagwood, Ph.D.

TUESDAY - OCTOBER 14, 2008

Families as Change Agents in Children's Mental Health: Research & Policy Implications

Award-Winning Entertainment,

ACMH is Pleased to welcome

Hip Hop Artists: The Figureheads

Workshops: Parenting Children Who Rage; Building & Maintaining a Relationship with Your School; and Juvenile Justice A time for Equality for Children with Mental Illness in Criminal Justice

Breakout Sessions: Successful Transitions to College for Students with Mental Health Challenges; Understanding the Needs of Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Youth; Facilitating Family Driven Processes: Training Therapists to Provide CAFAS Outcomes Feedback to Caregivers; Keeping Families Together: Exploring Placement of Youth in the Foster Care and Juvenile Justice System Solely to Obtain Mental Health Care Services; Practical Strategies for Developing Parent/Professional Partnerships; Mental Health Commission Update; The Role of Parents (Kinship, Foster care, & Adoptive) in Ensuring a Successful Transition to Adulthood for Youth Aging Out of the Foster Care System; Deciding When to Structure, When to Nurture—Becoming Your Own Best Expert; Diabetes 101—Self Care & Health Issues; and Family Voice—Moving Into Leadership

Listening Panel: A panel of state and community leaders will listen to parents/caregivers, and youth talk about issues important to them and their family.

For more information, contact the ACMH office at: 1-888-226-4543 or 517-372-4016

Or visit our website at: www.acmh-mi.org

Registration Form

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

DAYTIME PHONE: _____

Email Address: _____

Agency/Organization: _____

Please check the applicable choice:

Parent/Caregiver of child with mental health disorder

Youth Other

Registration Fee – includes lunch *Parent Scholarships Available*

(circle one) Before Oct 2 After Oct 2

Member **\$150** **\$175**

Non-member **\$190** **\$215**

For parents/caregivers of a child with a mental health disorder who are members of ACMH

Parent Member **\$75** **\$100**

Membership Dues (new or renewal)

Parent \$10.00 _____

Professional \$35.00 _____

Donation _____

Total Amount Enclosed _____

SPECIAL DIETARY/ACCOMMODATIONS NEEDS: _____

*****Continuing Education hours for Social Workers Pending*****

Do you wish to receive CEU's? yes no If yes, please provide SW License #: _____

Parent/Caregiver Scholarships

A limited number of scholarships are available for parents/caregivers of a child with special emotional, behavioral, or social needs. Please contact your local ACMH Family Advocate or the ACMH office at 1-888-226-4543 or 517-372-4016 for more information.

Payment must accompany registration form

Check, Money Order, Purchase Orders, Visa or Master Card Accepted.

Name as appears on card _____

Card No. _____ Expiration Date: _____

Signature: _____

Please make payment **payable to ACMH.**

Send payment & registration form to: **ACMH, 100 West Washtenaw, Suite 4, Lansing, Michigan 48933**

Questions? Call Toll Free 1-888-226-4543 or 517-372-4016