



**Missouri Office of Prosecution Services,  
Missouri Children's Division,  
&  
Mid-States Organized Crime Information Center**  
present

***Beyond Protocols:***  
**Responding to Child Abuse in a Multi-Disciplinary Setting**  
***August 3, 2021***

at

Mid-States Organized Crime Information Center  
2255 West Sunset St  
Springfield, MO 65807

See page 2 for required COVID-19 &  
Other Security Accommodations

**8:00 to 9:20 AM The Ins & Outs of CA/N**

- *Cari Pointer*, Program Specialist, *Missouri Department of Social Services*, Children's Division, Central Office

**9:30 to 10:50 AM Team Investigations: Achieving Corroboration**

- *Catherine Vannier*, Special Victims Resource Prosecutor, *Missouri Office of Prosecution Services*
- *Meghan Woolery*, Child Abuse Resource Prosecutor, *Missouri Office of Prosecution Services*

**11:00 AM to 12:00 PM Small Group Breakout Session**

**Physical Abuse Case Review & Response**

*Participants will break into small groups to review a case scenario*

*Small group representatives will be asked to present to the full session on :*

- 1) *When to call in the Team*
- 2) *Suggestions for collecting additional evidence*
- 3) *Resources & safety planning for the victim & non offending caregivers*
- 4) *Prevention of victim recantation*
- 5) *Charging decisions & prosecutorial case strategies*

**12:00 to 1:00 PM Lunch (On Your Own)**

**1:00 to 2:50 PM Multi-Disciplinary Team Excellence: Changing the World for Our Children**

- *Cari Pointer*, Program Specialist, *Missouri Department of Social Services*, Children's Division, Central Office
- *Catherine Vannier*, Special Victims Resource Prosecutor, *Missouri Office of Prosecution Services*
- *Meghan Woolery*, Child Abuse Resource Prosecutor, *Missouri Office of Prosecution Services*

**3:00 to 5:00 PM Small Group Breakout Session**

**Sexual Abuse Case Review & Response**

*Participants will break into small groups to review a case scenario*

*Small group representatives will be asked to present to the full session on :*

- 1) *When to call in the Team*
- 2) *Suggestions for collecting additional evidence*
- 3) *Resources & safety planning for the victim & non offending caregivers*
- 4) *Prevention of victim recantation*
- 5) *Charging decisions & prosecutorial case strategies*

This training will be CLE, POST and 210 certified for  
8 hours continuing education credit.

POST hours as follows:

Legal Studies, 3 hours, Interpersonal Studies, 3 hours, Technical Studies, 2 hours.\*

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Attendees who are not vaccinated are required to wear a face mask at all times while present in the training facility.

***Free of charge to Prosecutors, Law Enforcement, Victim Advocates, Prosecution Office Staff, Children's Division, Department of Mental Health, Adult Protective Services, Juvenile Office Staff, Probation and Parole, Health Professionals and Children's Advocacy Center Staff. Other Similar Allied Professionals must obtain prior approval for attendance from Conference Organizers.***

***TO REGISTER***

Please **copy and paste** the following link into your browser:

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=q5eaeneab&oeidk=a07e3nseqae1c23d4>

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