



Asha Forum Consultation for North America

Beyond Awareness: Empowering a Response

May 1-3, 2009, Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, California

Conference Schedule

(confirmed at this time, subject to change)

Friday, May 1: (6:00 – 10:00 pm, registration begins at 4:00 pm)

Plenary Session #1: **Rob Morris, Co-Founder and President, Love146**, “Building a Movement: What Is It Going to Take?”

Special Screening: “**Very Young Girls**”

Saturday, May 2: (8:30 am – 9:45 pm, late registration 8:00 am)

Plenary Session #2: **Dr. Sharon Cooper, National Board for National Center for Missing and Exploited Children** “How Many Ways Can I Hurt You?”

Breakout Sessions:

Online Grooming, Sharon Cooper, National Board for National Center for Missing and Exploited Children

How to Do Street Outreach, Frank Barnaba, Barnaba Institute

Innocence Lost: Child Predators, Rajiv Patel, Federal Bureau of Investigation

Making the Connection between Pornography, Prostitution and Trafficking, Melissa Farley, Prostitution Research and Education

Demand, Tania DoCarmo, U.S. Director of Development, Chab Dai Coalition

Getting to Know the Laws that Should be Protecting Our Children, Robert Flores

Approaches to Rehabilitation/Aftercare, Glenn Miles, Director of Prevention, Love146; Mark Crawford, Executive Director, The Garden of Hope; Tania DoCarmo, U.S. Director of Development, Chab Dai Coalition, Charlene Underhill Miller - Panel discussion facilitated by Kathy Maskell, U.S. Advocacy Director, Love146

Primary and Secondary Prevention Strategies with At Risk Children in Lower Socioeconomic Communities, Sandie Morgan, Vanguard Center for Women’s Studies Community Liaison and Orange County Human Trafficking Task Force Administrator

Identifying and Understanding the Sexually Abused Child, Vicky Didato, Child Sexual Abuse Institute of Ohio

Contemplative Prayer Stations

Career Luncheon for Students and Networking Luncheon for Church Task Forces

Dinner and Survivor Testimony (with special music by Steve Siler)

Plenary Session #3: **Lisa Thompson, Liaison for the Abolition of Sexual Trafficking, Salvation Army USA National Headquarters** “How We Got Here: A History of the Religious and Political Origins of Our Battle Against Child Sexual Exploitation”

Special Screening: “**Demand**”

Sunday, May 3: (9:00 am – 12:45 pm; Working Groups 2:00 pm)

Panel Discussion: **Empowered Advocacy – Mobilizing Congregations for Prevention, Intervention and Rehabilitation**, Lynn Brown, Love Justice Taskforce, Boise Vineyard; Nigel Morris, Compassion Ministries Director, Anaheim Vineyard; Cheryl Pittluck, Human Trafficking Taskforce, Anaheim Vineyard; Alicia Woodard, Vanguard Center for Women’s Studies Program Assistant; facilitated by Kathy Maskell, U.S. Advocacy Director, Love146

Plenary Session #4: **Dr. Beth Grant, Co-Founder and Co-Director, Project Rescue and FFAST Steering Committee Member** “Closing Challenge: When God Stood Up!”

Working Groups (by invitation): **Prevention Strategies for N. America, Demand, and Publishing Project: Tackling Common Questions**