

Children's Advocacy Centers of Georgia and Kennesaw State University
Will join more than 900 organizations representing over 120 countries

In recognition of

WORLD DAY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CHILD ABUSE

NOVEMBER 19, 2009

NEW KEYNOTE SPEAKER



SAY WHAT YOU MEAN AND MEAN WHAT YOU SAY!

Saving Your Child from a Troubled World

Parents have it tough. Kids have it tough, too. And few people are in a better position to guide readers through these tough times than Judge Glenda Hatchett. As chief presiding judge of one of the largest juvenile court systems in the country, she gained a front-row perspective on the hot-button social issues of our time -- including drug and alcohol abuse, truancy, date rape, and school violence. As presiding judge on the hit television series Judge Hatchett, she continues to build bridges between parents and their lost, angry, and alienated teens. And, as a parent, she's turned her professional experiences to personal advantage, helping her own children navigate through some of the more difficult dilemmas facing young people today.

World Day for the Prevention of Child Abuse

About the Conference



JUDGE GLENDA HATCHETT

She's strong, contemporary and resolute. She's a realist, an idealist and a consummate professional. She's innovative, accomplished and skilled. She's Judge Glenda A. Hatchett and she knows the difference between achieving success and making a difference. A visionary who knows how to get results, Judge Glenda A. Hatchett is renowned in the legal community for her innovative courtroom style. Best known for her revolutionary "interventions," she is widely respected for her work with today's youth, work that establishes her as a leader in the justice system nationwide.

Judge Hatchett is also the author of the national bestseller, *Say What You Mean and Mean What You Say*, based on her extensive professional experiences as a jurist and her own personal experience as a mother of two boys. She also serves as national spokesperson for CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates), a non-profit volunteer organization that trains volunteers to represent abused and neglected children and help them navigate the court system.

When asked about her numerous accolades and awards, Judge Hatchett will always point out that her most important accomplishment is her ability to have a positive impact on the lives of troubled youth and their families. In her popular, award-winning, nationally syndicated television series *Judge Hatchett*, she defines a whole new approach to courtroom television, and continues to urge viewers to become mentors to at-risk youth in their communities.

MANDATED REPORTING – AN UPDATE

Having sex, knowingly or unknowingly, with an underage prostitute is child abuse, and legislation recently signed by the Governor ensures mandatory child abuse reporters must report victims of sexual exploitation in all cases – not just those instances where a “parent or caretaker” is suspected.

Until now, Georgia law has restricted mandatory reporting only to suspected cases of child abuse that involve “parents or caretakers.” Senate Bill 69, sponsored by Senator Renee Unterman, passed the Georgia House of Representatives on March 26 by a vote of 163-1. It requires mandatory reporters to report child abuse at the hands of any exploiter. Advocates working to stop the prostitution of children in Georgia say the broader language means clients – who typically aren't family members or caretakers of the victim – will now also be reported as child abusers. “

ENOUGH IS ENOUGH – INTERNET SAFETY

Enough Is Enough understands that Internet safety is a shared responsibility between the public, the Internet industry, and the legal community. Unfortunately, parents and other adults are ill-equipped, uninformed and often overwhelmed when it comes to Internet safety issues, and they need credible outside help.

Goals of the Program:

- Raise national public awareness of the harm of pornography, the threat of illegal pornography and sexual predation on the Internet, and the need for preventative safety measures;
- Motivate, empower and equip the parents, other child caregivers, and the general public through EIE awareness and training, to utilize safety measures;
- Establish an Internet child safety partnership network with industry, faith-based organizations, not-for-profit institutions and government agencies.

Who Should Attend

- The Community at-Large
- Division of Family and Children Services
- University Faculty and Students
- Children's Advocacy Center MDT Members
- Law Enforcement
- Prosecutors
- Social Workers
- Mental Health Professionals
- Medical Professionals
- Elected Officials
- Faith-Based Community Professionals

The Sponsors

- Children's Advocacy Centers of Georgia
- Kennesaw State University and the Department of Social Work and Human Services
- Southern Regional Children's Advocacy Center

Conference Lodging

The Holiday Inn Express Kennesaw continues to delight both business and leisure travelers. The combination of **extraordinary guest service**, outstanding **location** and richly appointed **decor** featuring the Italian marble lobby floor repeatedly get rave reviews from even the most seasoned traveler.

Located at the Barrett Parkway exit (#269 off of I-75), the Holiday Inn Express is superbly located to take full advantage of all that is going on in this busy area (for example, the hotel is adjacent to the huge Town Center Regional Mall which has approximately 175 stores).

Expressly For You!

At Holiday Inn Express - Town Center Mall

2485 George Busbee Parkway
Kennesaw, Georgia 30144

To make reservations, please call the toll free number **1-800-HOLIDAY** or call the hotel directly at **770-427-5210**.

THE DISCOUNTED RATE FOR THE ROOMS IN THIS BLOCK IS **\$115.00 PLUS TAX**

Children's Advocacy Centers
(Name of Block)

Please make your reservations by **November 12, 2009**. Reservations made after this deadline will not receive the discounted rate

Reservations may be canceled before 6:00 p.m. on date of arrival without a penalty

The Schedule

Conference Schedule At a Glance

November 19, 2009 - Thursday

8:30	a.m.	Registration and Book Sales
8:30	a.m.	Continental Breakfast and Mixer
9:30	a.m.	Opening Plenary Session
11:00	a.m.	Registration Closes
11:00 a.m.		Book Signing – Judge Glenda Hatchett
12:00	p.m.	Lunch on Your Own
1:00	p.m.	Mandated Reporter Training
2:45	pm	Enough Is Enough
4:15	p.m.	Conference Ends

Certificates of Attendance

Certificates of Attendance will be distributed.

**Kennesaw State University Center
3333 Busbee Drive
Kennesaw, Georgia 30144**

Directions to KSU Center

*If you are coming from South of Kennesaw
(Atlanta, Hartsfield Airport, Macon, etc. ...)*

1. Take **I-75 N** toward Marietta / Chattanooga.
2. Take the Chastain Rd Exit, **exit number 271**.
3. Turn RIGHT onto **Chastain Rd** NW.
4. Turn RIGHT onto **Busbee Dr** NW.
5. Turn RIGHT into the parking lot immediately past the KSU Center sign.

*If you are coming from North of Kennesaw
(Cartersville, Rome, Jasper, Chattanooga, etc. ...)*

1. Take **I-75 S**.
2. Take the Chastain Rd exit, **exit number 271**, toward I-575 N.
3. Turn LEFT onto **Chastain Rd** NW.
4. Move to your RIGHT hand lane on Chastain Rd.
5. Turn RIGHT onto **Busbee Dr** NW.
6. Turn RIGHT into the parking lot immediately past the KSU Center sign.

OR

1. Take I-575 S.
2. Take the Chastain Rd, **exit # 3**.
3. Turn RIGHT onto **Chastain Rd**.
4. Move to your left hand lane on **Chastain Rd**.
5. Turn LEFT onto **Busbee Dr**.
6. Turn RIGHT into the parking lot immediately past the KSU Center sign.

Directions from Holiday Inn Express to KSU Center

1. You are at **2485 George Busbee** Holiday Inn Express (make a RIGHT out of the parking lot)
2. Go Southeast on **Busbee Pkwy** NW
3. Turn RIGHT onto **Barrett Pkwy** NW (Ernest W. Barrett Pkwy)
4. Take **I-75 N** ramp on RIGHT
5. Take **Exit 271** (Chastain Road) on right
6. Continue onto **Chastain Road**
7. Turn RIGHT on **Busbee Dr**. NW
8. The **KSU Center** will be on the right
9. Turn RIGHT into parking lot immediately past the KSU Center sign

OR

1. You are at **2485 George Busbee Pkwy** NW **Holiday Inn Express** (make a LEFT out of the parking lot)
2. Continue on **George Busbee Parkway**
3. Turn LEFT onto **Busbee Dr**. NW
4. The **KSU Center** will be on the left – Turn LEFT into parking lot immediately past the KSU Center Sign

IMPORTANT DATES

Cut-Off Date for Hotel Room Block
Conference Rate
November 12, 2009

**Deadline for Registration
November 13, 2009**

Fax registration to:
404-250-3221

Or

Email to:
conference@cacga.org

For more information about the
conference visit the CACGA website at
www.cacga.org

**SEATING
IS LIMITED, SO REGISTER
EARLY**

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WORLD DAY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CHILD ABUSE 2009 REGISTRATION FORM

November 19, 2009 • Kennesaw, Georgia

3333 Busbee Drive

Note: This form may be duplicated. Please use one form per conference registrant.

*Indicates a required field.

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Activity

Activity Attending	Mark as applicable (x)
Opening Session – <i>Dominic Carter</i>	
Please reserve my copy of <i>Say What You Mean and Mean What You Say (payable on site)</i>	
Afternoon Session – <i>Mandated Reporting- An Update</i>	
Afternoon Session – <i>Enough is Enough – Internet Safety</i>	

Registration Fee

X Conference Registration Fee – Free of Charge

Registration fee includes continental breakfast and Certificate of Attendance

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November 13, 2009**