

Please Join Us!

Texas Woman's University Presents:
"Child Welfare Services: Frontier of Change for the
Child, Family and Community"

Conference Overview

Friday,
October 26, 2018
8:00 AM to 4:30 PM

Location:
Texas Woman's University
MCL Bldg. Auditorium 101
Corner of Bell & College

Breakfast
&
Snacks
Provided

Our Conference will focus on "Child Welfare Services: Frontier of Change for the Child, Family and Community". Senator Royce West is known for his extensive work with children and families. Since being first elected to the Texas State Senate in 1992, he has been named by Texas Monthly as one of the 25 most powerful people in Texas politics. He has been appointed and served on a number of committees –Supreme Court of Texas permanent Judicial Commission for Children, Youth and Families; Education Commission, created the Texas Juvenile Crime Prevention Center, increased funding for at-risk youth programs, passed legislation that created Kinship care program, etc. He will share his overview of Child Welfare Services as "Frontiers of Change".

Our conference will also include Kristene Blakstone, Associate Commissioner for Child Protective Services. She will elaborate on community based programs serving youth and families.

A panel of foster alumni will provide candid information regarding their experiences in the foster care system.

Other training sessions will focus on legislative updates, human trafficking and breaking down barriers/stereotypes.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Conference Sessions &
Training Hours FREE!

.6 CEU for Social Workers,
6 LPC, 6 MFT,
6 Contact Hours

\$19.29 Lunch (Optional)

Parking Available with Permit
(MUST REGISTER TO RECEIVE PERMIT)

To Register online please visit:
www.twu.edu/ce

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Who Should Attend?

- *Child Protective Services Staff
- *CASA
- *Foster and Adoptive Parents
- *Juvenile/Adult Probation Officers
- *Mental Health Professionals
- *Educators
- *Community Child Advocates
- *Faculty/Students in Social Work related fields.

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<i>Time</i>	<i>Scheduled Event</i>
8:00 AM — 8:30 AM	Registration, Network, Breakfast –Texas Woman’s University MCL –Multipurpose Classroom and Laboratory Building, Auditorium 101
8:30 AM — 9:30 AM	Keynote Address: Senator Royce West
9:30 AM — 10:30 AM	Kristene Blackstone, Associate Commissioner for Child Protective Services
10:30 AM — 10:45 AM	<i>Break</i>
10:45 AM — 12:00 PM	Foster Youth Panel
12:00 PM — 1:00 PM	<i>Lunch -Student Union, Texas Woman’s University</i>
1:15 PM — 2:30 PM	<i>Select a Session to Attend</i> “Legislative Updates” Dimple Patel, MCL 101 “Freeing Youth from Human Trafficking” Reighley Carlson, CFO 202 “Breaking Down Barriers/Stereotypes/Myths of Race/LGBTQ” Tanya Rollins, CFO 203
2:30 PM — 2:45 PM	<i>Break</i>
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4:15 PM — 4:30 PM	Wrap Up, Evaluation, Certificates of Continuing Education -to be e-mailed

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