

2016 Forensic Conference

# Meeting Current Ethical, Clinical and Public-Policy Challenges

Legal Update • Ethics Track • Consumer Panel

Nov. 3, 2016  
8:45 a.m.-5 p.m.

Registration  
fee: \$135

Registration  
deadline:  
Oct. 27, 6 p.m.

Embassy Suites  
Columbus — Dublin

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Joel Dvoskin, Ph.D., ABPP**

*"Violence and Mental Illness: Myth vs. Reality"*

## LOCATION DETAILS

Embassy Suites Columbus — Dublin

5100 Upper Metro Place • Dublin, Ohio 43017 • (614) 790-9000

Room rate is \$129 plus taxes • Room reservation deadline is Oct. 12

[Click for hotel reservation.](#)

## REGISTRATION

Online registration required

[Click to register.](#)



## PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services is pleased to sponsor the **2016 Annual Forensic Conference: Meeting Current Ethical, Clinical, and Public-Policy Challenges**. This one-day conference is designed for a broad range of professionals who work with people who have mental illness and are involved in the justice system.

This year's conference will feature Joel Dvoskin, Ph.D., ABPP, who will deliver the keynote address titled "Violence and Mental Illness: Myth vs. Reality." Dr. Dvoskin is a national expert on the topic of violence risk assessment and a Diplomate in Forensic Psychology. He will also lead an interactive workshop on violence risk management planning for people being discharged from hospitals to the community. More information about Dr. Dvoskin is available on his [website](#).

The conference will offer the popular Legal Update plenary session, as well as a number of workshops. These will include a Consumer Panel, Ethics for Forensic Clinicians, Malingering in Forensic Evaluations, an Introduction to Ohio's Forensic System, Innovative Treatment for Forensic Patients, Details of Forensic Monitoring and a successful Forensic Housing program. There will also be workshops that feature judges, attorneys and mental health experts who will discuss various aspects of challenging forensic case scenarios.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION

Application for all relevant continuing education credits will be made, and will include application for ethics credits for those workshops that cover ethics-related topics. More information regarding continuing education will be posted when available.

## REGISTRATION

The fee for the conference is \$135. A student rate of \$50 is available for post-doctoral psychology or psychiatric residents and graduate students in psychology, law, social work, counseling and nursing. Proof of current student status will need to be submitted. Registration must be completed [online](#). Payment may be made by credit card, check, purchase order or ISTV. Those who use a purchase order will be invoiced. **The registration deadline is Oct. 27, 2016 at 6 p.m.**

Registration and badge pick-up will start at 7:45 a.m. and opening remarks will begin at 8:45 a.m. The conference will end at 5 p.m. To be eligible for full credit for CEs, participants must attend from 8:45 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## CONFERENCE LOCATION

The conference will be held at the Embassy Suites Columbus — Dublin hotel, 5100 Upper Metro Place, Dublin, Ohio, 43017; telephone: (614) 790-9000. Conference room rates of \$129 will be available for Nov. 2 and 3. The deadline to reserve hotels rooms is Oct.12, 2016. Please visit the [hotel website](#) to make room reservations.

## CANCELLATION POLICY

Requests for cancellation received before 10 a.m. on Oct. 27, 2016, will receive a full refund minus any processing fees incurred (not to exceed \$15). No refunds will be issued after this date. If you are unable to attend, you may transfer your registration to a colleague by contacting the conference organizer at (513) 869-4014.

## CONFERENCE VIDEO/PHOTOGRAPHY CONSENT

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## QUESTIONS?

For more information about registration, contact Dr. Jenny O'Donnell at [conferenceinfo@forpsycheval.org](mailto:conferenceinfo@forpsycheval.org). For general conference information, contact Dr. Bob Baker at [Robert.Baker@mha.ohio.gov](mailto:Robert.Baker@mha.ohio.gov).