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## >>> 2016 Problem Gambling Conference – March 3-4

Time is running short to register for the 2016 Ohio Problem Gambling Conference March 3-4 at the Doubletree Columbus-Worthington. Focusing on the theme of "Community Readiness," this year's conference brings together national and local experts on topics including Cortisol and the Brain by Frank Kros, JD, MSW. Registration closes on Feb. 26. The full conference is just \$75 and an optional three hours of Ethics by John Ellis, LISW-S, LICDC-CS, is available on Friday afternoon for \$35. The full conference offers 9.75 of CEs, RCHs, NCGC plus 3 hours for Ethics. Click [HERE](#) to register.

## >>> 2016 Ohio Recovery Housing Conference – April 18-19

[Ohio Recovery Housing](#) will host its 2016 conference "Building Community" April 18-19 at the Crowne Plaza North Columbus. Featured topics include: fair housing, risk management, recovery plans, quality standards, trauma-informed care, supported employment, family engagement, staffing, case management, among others. Click [HERE](#) to register. If you have questions regarding the conference, please contact Stephanie Pellitt at [stephanie@ohiorecoveryhousing.org](mailto:stephanie@ohiorecoveryhousing.org).

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2.23.16 | *CNN* [Medical doctors, mental health professionals finally talking](#)

2.22.16 | *Psychiatry Advisor* [Children with Chronic Headaches at Higher Risk of Mental illness](#)

2.22.16 | *Toledo Blade* [Ohioans rally against heroin abuse](#)

2.22.16 | *Columbus Dispatch* [Suicides in nursing homes hard to track, prevent](#)

2.21.16 | *Mansfield News-Journal* [Opiate problem, Medicaid expansion fuel UMADAOP growth](#)

2.21.16 | *Columbus Dispatch* [Teens, experts say Ohio schools should teach suicide prevention](#)

2.17.16 | *WHIO-TV* [New heroin court program offering hope](#)

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