Grandparents As Parents

8th Annual Conference
Co-hosted with California State University Northridge
Department of Social Work
Saturday, October 17, 2009
Registration: 8:00 am to 8:45 am
Conference: 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Empowering Relatives:
Strengthening Inter-Generational Bonds

Special Keynote Speaker
Andrew Bridge, JD
Director, Child Welfare Initiative

Featuring informative workshops with topics scheduled to include:

• Grief Issues for Children & Caregivers
• KinGap
• Drugs - Signs and Symptoms
• IEP - Special Education
• Government Benefits
• Gangs
• Wills and Living Trusts
• Families of Adult Offenders
• Mental Health Issues
• Navigating the ‘System’
• Understanding Generational Issues
• Working with your Social Worker
• Age Appropriate Expectations
• And More...

Conference Location:
California State University Northridge - University Student Union - Northridge Center Room
1811 Nordhoff Street, Northridge, CA 91330
Go to Information Booth in parking lot G-4 on Zelzah Ave., between Nordhoff St. and Lassen St.

See attached registration form for details
This conference is intended to help sensitize professionals to the issues, needs and concerns of relative caregivers. Furthermore, to provide caregivers with resources to successfully raise their relative children, and to be aware of policies and problems that impact their families.

The fee for professionals is $50.00 per person. LCSW’s and MFT’s can earn up to 6 CEU credits. The conference is FREE to relative caregivers and students.

Lunch will be included. Free parking with pre-registration only.

Limited child-care is available at a nearby facility. Pre-registration and a refundable deposit are required by September 28, 2009.

**REGISTER BY 9/28/09** – Mail this completed registration form and fee (if applicable) to GAP (make checks payable to Grandparents as Parents):

GAP/Madelyn Gordon  
22048 Sherman Way, #217  
Canoga Park, CA 91303

Or FAX form to 818-264-0882

Name: ____________________________________  Address: ____________________________________

Telephone: ___________________________  ___________________________

Workshop Interests: ___________________________  ___________________________

Circle one:  Student or Caregiver (no charge) • Professional ($50)

Credit Card (Circle One):  Visa  Mastercard  AmExpress  Account #:________________________

Name and address appearing on the card: ________________________________________________

Signature: ___________________________  Date: ___________________________

Limited Childcare for ages 3 – 12 • Pre-registration is a must

For childcare, please fill out the information below and send it with a deposit of $15 per child, which will be refunded on the day of the conference. If you do not receive a childcare confirmation within one week of registration, please call 818-264-0880 to confirm. 24-hour cancellation required.

Number of children: ___________________________

Child Name(s) / Ages: ___________________________

Phone: ___________________________

Total Amount Enclosed: ___________________________

For volunteer, donation and corporate sponsorship opportunities, please contact Madelyn Gordon at 818.264.0880 or by email at madelyn@grandparentsaspasparents.org.

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