National Counselors of the Deaf Association

“Making Connections and Understanding Diverse Intersections”

National Conference: June 18 – 21, 2008

Gallaudet University
Washington, DC

Keynote address:

Dr. Glenn Anderson

June 19th Pre-conference:

The National Institute for Multicultural Competence (NIMC – Tour)

“Multicultural Counseling Competencies & Social Justice in Counseling”

June 20th Conference Workshop topics:

- American School Counseling Association: National Model for Comprehensive School Counseling Programs
- Behavioral Strategies and Interventions
- Domestic Violence and Sexual Abuse
- Multicultural Counseling Techniques and Interventions
- Creative Arts and Play Therapy techniques and strategies

Presenters from:

- Gallaudet University
- Kansas School for the Deaf
- Kentucky School for the Deaf
- Pennsylvania School for the Deaf
- Private Practitioners
- Washington School for the Deaf
National Tour for Multicultural Competence and Social Justice

The national tour that is designed to promote multicultural competence and social justice. This national tour is being offered by the National Institute for Multicultural Competence (NIMC). The NIMC is comprised of a group of internationally-respected multicultural and social justice advocates who recognize that the fields of education and mental health professions are entering a new era. Among the factors that are contributing the emergence of this new era in the educational and mental health-care systems in the United States include:

- the new challenges that educators and mental health practitioners face as they deal with the rapid cultural-racial transformation of our citizenry and
- recent reports that describe the overall failure of our existing school and mental health-care systems to effectively and ethically meet the psychological needs of millions of persons from culturally and racially-different groups in our society.

Dr. Michael D'Andrea, a professor at the University of Hawaii and Executive Director of NIMC, is coordinating this national event. In commenting on the purpose of the tour, Dr. D'Andrea stated that "the tour provides a broad range of professional development training opportunities that are intentionally designed to promote administrators', faculty members', and students' level of multicultural competence and support their commitment for social justice." In detailing these goals in more specific terms, D'Andrea pointed out that the discussions and training workshops offered in the tour are aimed at assisting interested persons to:

- acquire a broad array of new professional competencies that will enable them to work more effectively, respectfully, and ethically in promoting the educational and psychological well-being of large numbers of persons from cultural-racial groups that historically have been marginalized in the past and
- develop new teaching and helping roles as social justice advocates.

D'Andrea stressed that "the fields of education, counseling, and psychology are presently confronted with a number of unprecedented challenges that need to be addressed if our nation's educational and mental health-care systems are to remain viable and relevant in the coming years.

Recognizing that these challenges demand revolutionary changes in the way educators, counselors, and psychologists are trained and conduct their work; universities have slowly begun to provide the kinds of professional development services that are necessary to assist administrators, educators, counselors and psychologists in becoming culturally-competent. While this progress is encouraging, multicultural and social justice counseling advocates agree that much more needs to be done to help educational and mental health professionals become better prepared to meet the unprecedented challenges they face in our contemporary society. The NIMC's national tour is specifically designed to serve these ends."
NCDA Conference Overview & Schedule

**Wednesday, June 18**
- Registration opens (5-7 p.m.- Conference center)
- Welcome and Opening Reception (6-9 pm- Ole Jim))
- *9 – 10:30 pm: Meeting of Thursday NIMC Tour Group Facilitators Only
  - Meeting will be at 101A Fowler Hall – Dept. of Counseling

**Thursday, June 19: 9 – 5 pm, Kellogg Conference Center 1st Floor**
- National Institute for Multicultural Competence (NIMC) Tour
- Dinner on your own
- *7 – 8:30 pm: Meeting of regional caucus facilitators for Organizational Workday
  - Meeting will be at 101 A Fowler Hall – Dept. of Counseling

**Friday, June 20: NCDA WORKSHOPS, 2nd Floor Conference Center**
- 9-10 am  Keynote Address: Dr. Glenn Anderson
- 10:15 – 12:15 : Concurrent Sessions I
- 12:15 – 1:15 Lunch (on your own/cafeteria)
- 1:30 – 3:30: Concurrent Sessions II
- 3:45-5:45: Concurrent Sessions III
  (Total of 15 workshops; 5 Workshops at each concurrent session)
- 7 – 10 pm: NCDA Banquet, Wild Zappers Performance, Acknowledgments

**Saturday June 21: NCDA “Organizational Workday” – Student Union Building (SUB)**
- 9 – 12 noon: Regional Caucuses (SAC rooms to be posted)
- 12 – 1 pm: Lunch (on your own/cafeteria)
- 1:15 – 5:15 pm: National Meeting – Multipurpose Room of SUB

** Bring your “homework” and Gift Bags**
### NCDA Workshop Presentations

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<td>Kendra Smith</td>
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<td>2. Play Therapy</td>
<td>Alexis Greeves</td>
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<td>3. Seeing a Deaf Child’s World</td>
<td>Beth Betman, MSW</td>
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<td>Kurt Metz, Ph.D.</td>
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<td>students who are D/HH:</td>
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<td>Barbara Snapp</td>
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<td>students</td>
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<td>6. ASCA Construction at PSD:</td>
<td>Lisa Santommen-Hellberg</td>
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<td>M.A., Director of Student Development Team</td>
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<td>Tanya Brown- M.A., NCC, LPC</td>
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<td>8. On the Fence: Access for the Next generation of Deaf/</td>
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<td>Patti Heenan</td>
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| 11. Positive School-Wide Behavior Support | Jennifer Hampton  
Psy. S- School Psychologist | Kansas  
School for the Deaf |
| 12. Mean Girls | Maureen Behrens, M.A.  
School Counselor | WSD |
| 13. The Ethics of Doing Business as Usual: Rethinking Our Practices, Reframing Our Roles | Melanie Thornton | Univ Ark |
| 14. Building Culturally Responsive Community Partnerships | Julia Petersen  
M.A. MH Therapist | Children’s Hospital - Seattle |
| 15. “Deaf Plus”- A Parent’s Story and Perspectives on What is needed from helping Professionals | Nancy Eddy- parent of deaf daughter with multiple disabilities; parent advocate | Northern CA  
Bay Area |
Registration Form

I. Registration

Name:_________________________________________________________

Preferred Name for Badge:______________________________________

Check if member of NCDA ____yes ____no

Street Address____________________________________________________

City____________________________ State_______ Zip Code:_______

Current Employer/School/Organization:_________________________________

Current Position:___________________________________________________

Daytime Phone (      )_______________  Evening Phone (     )_______________

E-Mail ___________________________   Fax #:__________________________

Pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, do you require specific aids or
services? (      ) yes       (      ) no

If yes, please describe specific service below (audio, visual, mobile, sign language interpreting, close
vision interpreting, etc.)

_________________________________________________________________

_________________________________________________________________

II. Sign up for NCDA Membership & Save on Conference Registration!

NCDA Membership: $20

Please make check payable to: NCDA
Send check to: Cheryl Wu, NCDA Co-President
Address: c/o Dept. of Counseling, FH #107, Gallaudet University
          800 Florida Ave. NE, Washington, DC 20002
III. Continuing Education Units (not yet finalized)
(NBCC, APA, ???)

Cost: ____________                  Subtotal: ____________

IV. NCDA Conference and Exposition Rates

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* Full registration includes: conference costs, Wednesday Welcome & Opening Reception, Pre-Conference NIMC Tour (June 19th), Breakfast and Lunch on Thursday (6/19), Exhibits

* Friday night banquet ticket is an additional $30.00

Subtotal ______

Conference Meals included: check food preference

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* Registration does NOT include these meals:
  - Thursday dinner, Friday lunch and banquet, Saturday breakfast and lunch

Note: 2nd floor of the Cafeteria (Red room) will be reserved for NCDA conference participants on Friday and Saturday meals.
Cafeteria meals approximate fees: Breakfast = $6.00; Lunch = $8.00

V. 1-Day Registrations available (same rate for NCDA members and non-members)

1-Day registration (Thursday or Friday) $100 (indicate day) ________

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VI. Rooms

A. Kellogg Conference Room Reservations:
   $119/night plus $17.25 tax - single or double room = $136.25
   Make your reservations and payment through this link:

B. Dorm Rooms:

   Single room: includes bedsheets and blanket; private bathroom-
   $72/night

   Double room: includes bedsheets and blanket; private bathroom-
   $36/night

   Check room preference:
   Single room: ______
   Double room: ______

   *If applicable, indicate Roommate's full name:_____________________
   If you do not have a roommate, one will be assigned.

   Check nights of stayover:
   Wednesday, June 18th:___________
   Thursday, June 19th:_____________
   Friday, June 20th:_______________

   Subtotal:___________

   TOTAL PAYMENT:_______________________
VII. Saturday NCDA “Organizational Workday” participation

** Please check if you plan to stay for the organizational workday on Saturday, June 21st.

_____ Yes, I will attend ______ No, I will not attend

Payment Method: Full payment must be made for registration to be processed.
Payments will only be accepted by credit card. You will receive an electronic registration confirmation statement.

Credit Card #: ________________________________

Exp. Date: ________________________________

CVC Code: (last 3 digits) _______________

Cardholder's Name: ________________________________

Phone: ( ) ______________________ Date: ____________

** Conference Exhibitors and Sponsors:
If you want to have an exhibitor’s booth and/or sponsor any part of the conference, please contact
Ms. Barbara Snapp, Coordinator of Exhibitors and Sponsorships at: Barb.Snapp@adelphia.net or Barb.Snapp@KSD.kyschools.us

Sponsorships needed for the following:

- Wednesday Welcome & Reception
- Thursday NIMC Tour Meals (breakfast/lunch)
- Friday Workshop Breaks (am/pm)
- Friday Banquet
- Friday Banquet Entertainment