

Act One - STEP UP! Protect Kids Vermont

Bring a team including, but not limited to: Administrators, school counselors, nurses, student assistance professionals, health educators, PBIS coordinators, social workers, classroom teachers

Date: Friday Nov. 11, 2011

When: 8:30 a.m. to noon

Who: Administrators, school counselors, nurses, student assistance professionals, health educators, PBIS coordinators, & parents

Location: LAPDA, 250 Main Street, Montpelier, Vermont

Register online at: <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/VPFCQ2P>

Deadline for registration: Friday, Nov. 4th, 2011

Register early since space is limited

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Cost: There is NO CHARGE for attending this workshop.

Workshop Description

During this three hour work session, we will:

- Clarify ACT ONE
- Review Commit to Kids
- Identify and address concerns of implementation
- Identify community/statewide organizations and how they can support implementation of ACT ONE
- Develop recommendations for next steps to bring back to your school

About the Presenters:

Donna McAllister is the Health Education Consultant for the Vermont Department of Education. A classroom teacher for 35 years in both health and family and consumer sciences, she has experience teaching middle through high school students. She is a graduate of Montclair State College with a BA in Home Economics and holds a Masters in Education from Southern New Hampshire University. Presently she is a Co-Chair of the Sexual Violence Prevention Task Force.

Priscilla White is the Child Victim Treatment Director and Co-Director of the Vermont Center for Prevention and Treatment of Sexual Abuse. She graduated from Johnson State College with a BA in Political Science and Secondary Education. She was the Prevention Educator/Outreach Coordinator for O.U.R. House of Central Vermont before stepping into the Executive Director position. O.U.R. House was Vermont's first of nine Children's Advocacy Centers. Priscilla worked closely with many community organizations within Washington County advocating for children and the prevention of child sexual abuse. She has worked for the Department for Children and Families for 4 years.