

Don't miss the 3rd Annual Conference

Working Together to Educate Families

Saturday, May 3, 2008

Paetzhold Education Centre at Vancouver General Hospital

On Saturday, May 3, 2008, families are invited to come spend the day to hear a variety of educational presentations on serious mental illnesses, concurrent disorders, psychosocial rehabilitation and support for families and consumers. The conference will be held in the new Paetzhold Education Centre at Vancouver General Hospital. The cost is \$25 for individuals and \$30 for families.

More information is available from Jessica Smits at 604-247-1884.

People can **register** at familyconference3@yahoo.com

Conference Schedule

8:00	9:00	Registration: includes sign up for afternoon breakout sessions
9:00	9:15	Welcome
9:15	10:00	Dr. Mary Jansen, psychologist & consultant to Vancouver Coastal Health

The Role of Psychosocial Rehabilitation in Recovery

10:00	10:15	Q and A with Dr. Jansen
10:15	10:45	BREAK
10:45	11:00	Dr. Michael Krausz MD, PhD, FRPC Professor, Chair in Addiction Research, UBC, and St. Paul's Hospital

The Treatment and Prevention of Concurrent Disorders

11:30	11:45	Q and A with Dr. Krausz
11:45	12:45	Family Panel Understanding the Family Experience
12:45	2:00	LUNCH
2:00	3:00	Concurrent Sessions (A) A1 - PSR Rehab Opportunities in the Fraser Health Angela Lui A2 - Managing Concurrent Disorders - panel on range of services A3 - Working with the police and Mental Health Emergency Services
3:00	3:15	BREAK
3:15	4:15	Concurrent Sessions (B) B1 - Rehabilitation Programs - a panel of service providers B2 - Supports for Families - a panel of service providers B3 - Sharing Our Success Stories - presentation from OT's Ann Webborn and Tom Heah including DVDs of consumer panels
4:15	5:00	Closing comments and evaluations