

WORKSHOP LOCATION QUICK CHECK

Wednesday

2 - 5pm	* #@+	Salons D, E, F, G	Resnick: Risk Assessment/Child-Murder by Parents
7pm	*	Salons D, E, F, G	Earley: <u>Crazy</u>
9 pm		Atrium	Reception

Thursday

8:30 am - 10:00 am (1.5 hrs)

1. * Salon A **Berman:** App of Paradoxical Strategies
2. * # Salon E, F **Skeem:** Probation, MH, Mandated Tx
3. * @ Salon G **Goldyne:** Assess, Mgmt, Document Risk
4. *+ Salon B **Phenix:** Improving Expert Testimony Skills
5. * Salon D **Morrissey:** Forensic Assertive Comm. Tmt

10:15 am - 11:45 am (1.5 hrs)

1. * Salon B **Gurbuz:** Relapse Prevention for Offenders
2. * # Salon E, F **Skeem:** Psychopsthy, Probation and Tmt
3. * @+ Salon A **Silva:** Asperger's and Criminal Behavior
4. * Salon D **Meyer:** Review of New Laws and Court Cases
5. * Salon G **Entz:** MIOCR and Current Grant Status

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm (1.5 hrs)

1. * Salon E, F **Assandri:** Myths, Realities of For. MH Pop.
2. * # Salon G **Adams:** Reduce Sex Offender Recidivism
3. * @ Salon D **Sharps:** Cog, Aff Factors in Substance Abuse
4. *+ Salon A **McEnany:** LA Mental Health Court Turns 20
5. ! Salon B **Frost:** MIOCR Grant: Past, Present, Future

3:00 pm - 4:45 pm (1.5 hrs)

1. ! Salon B **Marquez:** Meth. and Forensic Settings
2. *# Salon G **Malinek:** Adv. Risk Assmt of SVPs
3. * @ Salon A **Mangiameli:** ID, Mgmt of Cog. Imp. Inmates
4. *+ Salon D **Sewani:** IST: Assessment and Treatment
5. * Salon E, F **Fay:** MIOCR Panel

Friday

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Wrap Up

*#@ Salons D, E, F, G **Petrila:** Emerging Issues in For. Services

* = MCEP/CEU. MCEP approved #FOR005-0067.

! = CEUonly. Not eligible for MCEP.

= Bd of Corrections approved courses: **Track 1** Cert # 0004-038744

@ = Bd of Corrections approved courses: **Track 2** Cert # 0004-038744

+ =POST. POST application is currently under review.

All Conference workshops (13 variable hrs) approved for CEUs for the following professions: Reg Nurse/LVN, Social Worker/MFT, Psych. Tech.

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1. Board of Corrections sign in sheet.
2. Board of Corrections evaluation form.
3. Training manager's name, phone, and mailing address.

Pick up your certificate of attendance at the registration table.

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Please make sure to sign in at each POST approved class you attend in order to receive credit.

Pick up your CEU certificate at the registration table.

CEU CERTIFICATE PICK UP HOURS

Wednesday Separate Pre-conference certificates will be handed out at the end of that presentation.

Thursday Please make arrangements with FMHAC to pick up your certificate if you are not able to pick it up on Friday.

Friday 12:00 - 1:00 pm
Registration Table
Main Lobby



Letter From the President

CONTINUING

Psychologist: up to 13 units, see courses marked MCEP. MCEPAA approved #FOR005-0067.

Please complete the following forms and turn them in at the registration table in exchange for your CEU certificate.

1. MCEP/CEU sign in/out form (duplicate copy form). One sign in/out form will be provided for the entire conference. Make sure to obtain the initials of the designated person at each workshop you attend. Make sure a member of the FMHAC Board signs this form. Maintain your copy.
2. Evaluation Form (white).

Pick up your CEU certificate at the registration table.

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2. Evaluation Form (white).

Pick up your CEU certificate at the registration table.

Welcome to the annual conference for the Forensic Mental Health Association of California. For over 30 years we have met as an association in annual conferences addressing issues important to us as professionals working in the field of forensic mental health. We have enjoyed the beautiful Monterey Coast, reconnected with friends and associates, made new friends, and we've shared our insights, ideas and perspectives on our field. Our gathering here is a good thing, as evidenced by our successful run of over 30 years.

As fortune would have it, funding cuts over the years had a negative affect on our association. But times are changing, funding is increasing, and the time has come for us to expand our involvement in the field. **The most important asset that FMHAC has is the experience, expertise, and ideas of its members.** Your voice is an important voice to be added to the debates being held on forensic mental health issues. It is a very important time for you to become actively involved in the association. Here are several suggested ways you can become involved:

- Join the association each year.
- Recruit other professionals to join the association.
- Join a committee –
 1. Help to make the conference top notch in the conference committee,
 2. Help track legislation and craft association opinions on the public policy committee,
 3. Help address health issues among those we serve on our health committee,
 4. Suggest another committee to the board that you and others may believe to be important to field of forensic mental health.
- Join the speaker's bureau – make yourself a resource for constituents around the State.
- Submit a proposal for presentation at the conference.

As a board, we have decided it is time to reinvest resources into the association and increase our deliverables. In addition to running a great conference, we will be strengthening our communications to our members of current information on forensic mental health issues in California. We will also increase our involvement with other organizations around the state dealing with forensic mental health. Our primary investment will be the hiring of a full time Executive Director, to provide the manpower to carry out this charge. But we are also counting on you to fill a role with your involvement. Our executive director will be **Molly Willenbring**; please take a moment to get know her.

It is an exciting time for our association I look forward to working closely with you.

Kenneth A. Carabello, LCSW
President

REMINDERS

- Please wear your badges throughout the conference. This will be your entrance pass to all workshops and social events. Lost badges must be replaced at the FMHAC registration desk.
- Please take a moment to complete a conference **evaluation form**, even if you're not seeking CEUs. The Board of Directors and Planning Committee respond to the requests and suggestions offered.
- Remember to pick up your **Continuing Education Certificates**. The pick up times and locations are listed on page 13.
- Check out time at the Embassy Suites is 12:00 p.m.
- Please recycle the plastic name badge holders - return them to the FMHAC registration desk at the end of the conference.

John Petrila, JD, LLM Presenter Spotlight

John Petrila is a Professor and former Chair in the Department of Mental Health Law & Policy at the University of South Florida. He received his law degree and an advanced degree in mental health law from the University of Virginia School of Law. He was the first fellow in law and mental health at the University of Virginia and the first Director of Forensic Services in the Missouri Department of Mental Hygiene. He also served as General Counsel to the New York State Office of Mental Health. He is co-author of *Psychological Evaluations for the Courts* (3rd ed in press), considered the leading text on forensic assessment. He is a member of the MacArthur Foundation Research Network on Mandated Community Treatment, co-editor of *Behavioral Sciences and the Law*, and President of the International Association of Forensic Mental Health Services.

Read more about this presenter in the Presenter Biographies.



Open Access: for the patients, for the people

All too often, people who depend on public assistance are denied access to newer, safer, and more effective treatments for mental illness. This inability to obtain the treatment they need can trigger a pattern of deterioration — becoming unemployed, being hospitalized, imprisoned, and often ending up homeless. This destructive cycle is costly for taxpayers and devastating to the families of people with mental illness.

That's why Eli Lilly and Company continues to support open and unrestricted access to all available treatments for mental illness.

Scientific advances have resulted in medications that are effective in delaying relapse¹, provide more effective symptom control, have fewer side effects, and offer longer-term treatment than in the past.

Give them access to the treatments they need, and give them hope for taking their lives back.

¹ Fenton WS, Blyler CR, Heinssen RK. Determinants of medication compliance in schizophrenia: empirical and clinical findings. *Schizophr Bull.* 1997;234:637-651.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 17

Reminder: Room check out at the Embassy Suites is 12:00 pm

9 am - 12pm
MCEP/CEU
STC 1/STC 2
Salon D, E, F, G

EMERGING ISSUES IN FORENSIC SERVICES: LEGAL AND PRACTICAL IMPLICATIONS
John Petrilu, JD, LLM, Professor, University of South Florida



This presentation will focus on the importance of the integration of treatment with the assessment of risk and on the development of brief risk assessment tools. There will also be discussion of therapeutic courts, with a national perspective on significant issues emerging in this area, as well as an overview of recent developments in civil commitment law. The session will include a discussion of HIPAA and other confidentiality issues as they relate to forensic practice.



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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14

12:30 - 6:45 pm
Main Lobby

REGISTRATION

- Health Committee table
- Public Policy table
- Exhibitors

FMHAC
MERCHANDISE
FOR SALE!

2:00 pm - 5 pm

PRE-CONFERENCE

MCEP/CEU

RISK ASSESSMENT FOR SUICIDE AND VIOLENCE

STC 1/STC 2

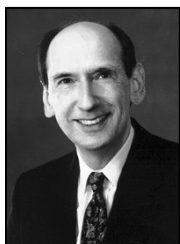
CHILD MURDER BY PARENTS AND INSANITY

POST

Phillip Resnick, MD, Director, Division of

Salons D, E, F, G

Forensic Psychiatry, Case Medical School;
Adjunct Professor, Case Law School



Dr. Resnick will present two topics: the first one will focus on improving clinical skills to assess suicide risk and predictors of violence. The second presentation will discuss types of child-murder and insanity defenses.

7:00 pm

FMHAC BUSINESS MEETING AND ELECTIONS

Salons D, E, F, G

All Association members are encouraged to attend. Non-members are welcome, but only current members may vote.

Board Vacancies

- President
- Vice President
- Treasurer

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Kenneth A. Carabello, LCSW, President, FMHAC

- Student Scholarships

AWARDS

- Christine M. West Service Award
- William T. Rossiter Award for Outstanding Achievement in Forensic Mental Health

4. MCEP/CEU
POST
Salon D

MENTALLY INCOMPETENT TO STAND TRIAL: ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT

Munir A. Sewani, PhD, Forensic Coordinator, Clinic Supervisor, San Bernardino County CONREP

The presentation will focus on assessment of mentally incompetent to stand trial and treatment of individuals who are adjudicated as incompetent to stand trial. The presentation will look at case law and statutes establishing criteria for incompetent to stand trial, current tests and standards used to assess incompetent to stand trial and procedures related to disposition and treatment of mentally incompetent to stand trial individuals.

5. MCEP/CEU
Salon E & F

PANEL: MIOCR GRANTS, PROGRAM REVIEW, EFFICIENCY, OUTCOMES AND FUTURE GOALS

Christina Entz, LCSW, Clinical Supervisor, Jail Mental Health Services, San Bernardino County Department of Behavioral Health

Joel Fay, PsyD, Psychologist, Police Officer, San Raphael Police Department

Lynda Frost, MA, Field Representative, Corrections Standards Authority

Debby Lucas, RNC, MSN, CCHP, Nursing Supervisor and Mental Health Liaison, San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department

Jo Robinson, MFT, Assistant Director/Director, San Francisco Jail Health Services/San Francisco Jail Psychiatric Services

The panel participants will review outcomes of previous two Mentally Ill offenders' crime reduction grants, highlighting both successes and barriers to achieving stated goals of the grants. The panelists will review outcomes of specific programs and discuss how they have used their previous experience in developing, implementing and monitoring the two previous grants when applying for the current grants. The thrust of the panel presentation is to review effectiveness and impact of previous and current grants for mentally ill offenders in reducing recidivism rate for individuals with mental illness who become part of the criminal justices system.

6:30 - 8:00 pm

RECEPTION

Sponsored by the American Association for Correctional and Forensic Psychology

10:00 am COFFEE BREAK**3:15 - 4:45 pm (1.5 CE hrs)**

1. CEU
Salon B
METHAMPHETAMINES AND FORENSIC SETTINGS: A LOOK AT THE ADDICTION AND IMPACT ON HEALTH RISKS
Mitch Marquez, LCSW, Program Dir., New Leaf Svs
Joyce Sutton, Retired, DMH/Vacaville Psych. Facility
This presentation is in conjunction with the FMHAC Health Committee and will present challenges within the methamphetamine epidemic, the addiction process and current treatments. It will present current demographics in forensic settings, hospitals, and particular target groups, and discuss the impact on health issues and high-risk behavior.
2. MCEP/CEU
STC 1
Salon G
ADVANCED RISK ASSESSMENT OF SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATORS
Hy Malinek, PsyD, Clinical/Forensic Psychologist, Private Practice
As the SVP law marks a decade, the controversies which surround the assessment and risk assessment of candidates for Civil Commitment, are far from over. This lecture will provide a clinical and court update and review the new developments and various controversies in this field. It is designed for individuals with working knowledge of the SVP law and the SVP criteria, as well as major court rulings regarding SVP.
3. MCEP/CEU
STC 2
Salon A
PRAGMATIC CONSIDERATIONS IN THE IDENTIFICATION AND MANAGEMENT OF THE COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED INMATE
Lyn J. Mangiameli, PhD, Psychologist/Neuropsych., San Mateo Correctional Health Services/CogniMetrix
Richard Hayward, PhD, Program Manager, San Mateo Correctional Health Services
Trisha Sanchez, MA, Captain/Divisional Commander, San Mateo Cty Sheriff's Office/ Maguire Corr. Facility
The panel will discuss the incidence of cognitive impairment within the offender population and ways cognitive impairment can undermine adaptation to incarceration as well as contribute to a revolving door of repeat incarcerations. Methods of cognitive assessment will be discussed in the context of the professional resources typically available to perform such evaluations. Management will focus on potential accommodations and simple compensatory strategies that are realistic for a correctional environment.

7:00 pm

CEU/MCEP
Salons D, E, F, G

**9:00 pm**

Atrium

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

CRAZY: A FATHER'S SEARCH THROUGH AMERICA'S MENTAL HEALTH MADNESS

Pete Earley, Journalist

Mr. Earley, a journalist for more than thirty years and author of several award winning non-fictions novels, has authored *Crazy*, telling a personal story of his son Mike. After Mike was diagnosed with mental illness, Mr. Earley and his family experienced the confusing and frustrating aspects of America's mental health system. His book is a story of his son, his family, the mental health system and the criminalization of mentally ill individuals in America.

RECEPTION

Wine and Hors d'Oeuvres

Book Signing

Pete Earley is signing copies of his book during the reception! Buy your copy of Crazy: A Father's Search Through America's Mental Health Madness from Barnes & Noble on-site. Barnes & Noble will donate a portion of the proceeds from the books that are sold to FMHAC so pick up your copy tonight!

From the Publisher

Pete Earley had no idea. He'd been a journalist for over thirty years, and the author of several award-winning books about crime and punishment and society. Yet he'd always been on the outside looking in. He had no idea what it was like to be on the inside looking out until his son, Mike, was declared mentally ill, and Earley was thrown headlong into the maze of contradictions, disparities, and catch-22s that is America's mental health system. The more Earley dug, the more he uncovered the bigger picture: Our nation's prisons have become our new mental hospitals. *Crazy* tells two stories. The first is his son's. The second describes what Earley learned during a yearlong investigation inside the Miami-Dade County jail, where he was given complete, unrestricted access. There, and in the surrounding community, he shadowed inmates and patients; interviewed correctional officers, public defenders, prosecutors, judges, mental-health professionals, and the police; talked with parents, siblings, and spouses; consulted historians, civil rights lawyers, and legislators. The result is both a remarkable piece of investigative journalism, and a wake-up call - a portrait that could serve as a snapshot of any community in America.

THURSDAY, MARCH 17

7:30 am - 9:30 pm REGISTRATION
Main Lobby



BREAK-OUT WORKSHOPS

8:30 - 10:00 am (1.5 CE hrs.)

1. MCEP/CEU
Salon A APPLICATION OF PARADOXICAL STRATEGIES
Steven Berman, PhD, Clinical Psychologist,
Patton State Hospital

Paradoxical interventions in a variety of forensic contexts are introduced, ranging from the treatment of paranoia, depression, delusions, hallucinations, characterological symptoms, interpersonal conflict, and violence against self and others. Paradoxical therapeutic styles are presented, such as when a negative therapeutic alliance and the delivery of mixed messages become more positive and direct. The exact dialogue of paradoxical strategizing will be presented and two recovery-based, forensically driven manuals for enhancing community readiness conclude the presentation.

2. MCEP/CEU
STC 1
Salon E & F PROBATION, MENTAL HEALTH AND MANDATED TREATMENT
Jennifer Skeem, PhD, Associate Professor, Dept.
of Psychology and Social Behavior, UC Irvine

The presentation will talk about probation outcomes for individuals with mental illness and how mental health caseload, as opposed to traditional probation practice, can improve probation success and efficacy. The presentation will highlight how a different relational approach by probation officers using problem solving strategies with mentally ill offenders may be more effective compared to a traditional threat based approach.

3. MCEP/CEU
STC 2
Salon D

COGNITIVE AND AFFECTIVE FACTORS IN SUBSTANCE ABUSE BEHAVIOR: IMPLICATIONS FOR FORENSIC CONTEXT AND TREATMENT

Matthew J. Sharps, PhD, Professor, Department of Psychology, California State University, Fresno

Recent research in psychology and neuroscience can be used by mental health professionals to further their understanding of the cognitive and affective processes associated with substance abuse. These behaviors are increasingly important in forensic contexts, and an understanding of the processes which promote and maintain substance abuse can be enormously useful for clients and clinicians. This presentation will provide relevant information to mental health professionals on the importance of these processes in direct application.

4. MCEP/CEU
POST
Salon A

THE LA COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH COURT PROGRAM TURNS 20: A RETROSPECTIVE AND PROSPECTIVE PROGRAM ANALYSIS

Suzan S. McEnany, PsyD, Clinical Psychologist, LA County Department of Mental Health
Alisa Dunn, LCSW, Program Head, LA County Department of Mental Health
Priscilla Moore, RN, Senior RN Counselor, LA County Department of Mental Health

The presentation will provide an overview of the Los Angeles County Mental Health Court Program, one of the first in the nation at the 20-year mark. The presentation will examine outcome data, compare different mental health court models and examine why LA County's program has been so successful. Additionally, the presenters will discuss where the program is heading and new innovations for the next 20 years.

5. CEU
Salon B

MIOCR GRANT: PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE

Lynda Frost, MA, Field Representative, Corrections Standards Authority

This presentation will provide information on strategies to reduce the criminalization of persons with mental illness.

11:45 pm LUNCH

1:30 - 3:00 pm (1.5 CE hrs)

1. MCEP/CEU THE MYTHS AND REALITIES OF WORKING WITH THE FORENSIC MENTAL HEALTH POPULATION
Salon E & F
Maurizio Assandri, PhD, Clinical Therapist II, San Bernardino/Riverside Conditional Release Program
Sylvia Handian, PsyD, Clinical Therapist I, San Bernardino/Riverside Conditional Release Program

Many new clinicians enter the field of forensic mental health with misconceptions regarding working with the forensic population. This session will address some of these myths associated with mental health treatment of these clients as well as some of the reasons for these myths, including the romanticization of the field by the media and the preparation provided in graduate school. This session will also address the realities of working with this population on a daily basis.
2. MCEP/CEU TREATING AFFECT DYSREGULATION AND SHAME TO REDUCE SEX OFFENDER RECIDIVISM
STC 1
Salon G
Jay Adams, PhD, Retired, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation

There is a growing consensus that Relapse Prevention alone is not sufficient to prevent recidivism among some sex offenders. Marques et al. (1999) concluded that lack of motivation and insufficient commitment to abstinence were primary factors contributing to re-offense. In contrast, this presentation will argue that persisting problems with affect regulation, impulse control, and emotional lability play a prominent role in recidivism but have been largely ignored. The etiology of affect dysregulation will be explained, and treatment approaches for decreasing affect dysregulation and maintaining abstinence will be discussed. In addition, research on the relationship between shame and lack of empathy will be presented, along with some trauma-based treatment approaches designed to foster victim empathy.

3. MCEP/CEU ASSESSING, MANAGING AND DOCUMENTING SUICIDE AND VIOLENCE RISK
STC 2
Salon G
Adam Goldyne, MD, Asst. Clinical Professor, Dept. of Psychiatry, School of Medicine, UCSF
This presentation will address ways to assess risk and what actions to take based on level of risk. It will also look at when to assess for risk for dangerousness, necessary steps in gathering information, including what sources to use to collect necessary information, and important information about patient, appearance, diagnosis, mood, affect, thought content and confidentiality.
4. MCEP/CEU IMPROVING YOUR EXPERT TESTIMONY SKILLS
POST
Salon B
Amy Phenix, PhD, Senior Training Consultant, CA Department of Mental Health
Cameron Page, JD, Deputy District Attorney, San Bernardino County District Attorneys Office
This presentation will address ways to improve your expert testimony skills. Among the subjects to be discussed: Making your presentation more understandable and effective, common pitfalls in giving testimony and how to avoid them, effective deposition testimony, dealing with cross-examination, neutralizing attacks by opposing counsel.
5. MCEP/CEU FORENSIC COMMUNITY TREATMENT FOR PERSONS WITH SEVERE MENTAL ILLNESS INVOLVED WITH THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM
Salon D
Joseph P. Morrissey, PhD, Deputy Director for Research, Professor of Health Policy and Administration, Univ. of N. Carolina, Chapel Hill
Gary S. Cuddeback, PhD, MSW, MPH Research Asst. Professor, Professor, School of Social Work, University of N. Carolina, Chapel Hill
Over the last several years, Forensic Assertive Community Treatment (FACT) teams have been developed to address the needs of persons with serious mental illness involved with the criminal justice system. Despite the widespread endorsement and implementation of FACT, however, little is known about the factors that facilitate and inhibit the provision of services to persons with serious mental illness who are involved with the criminal justice system and the evidence base that FACT is effective with respect to preventing or reducing recidivism for criminally-justice involved persons with mental illness is underdeveloped. This presentation will address both of these issues.

10:00 am COFFEE BREAK**10:15 - 11:45 am (1.5 CE hrs)**

1. MCEP/CEU
Salon B
RELAPSE PREVENTION FOR OFFENDERS
Gamze Gurbuz, PhD, Psychologist, Metropolitan STATE HOSPITAL
Carl Viesti, PhD
Relapse Prevention is a cognitive-behavioral model that provides strategies for developing self control techniques to address a number of different problem behaviors. It is an evidence-based approach that has proven useful in a number of different settings and with a number of different populations. A workbook will be provided that contains both a facilitator's manual and a participant's manual.
2. MCEP/CEU
STC 1
Salon E & F
REFRAMING INDIVIDUALS WITH PSYCHOPATHY AS HIGH RISK (NOT HOPELESS) CASES
Jennifer Skeem, PhD, Associate Professor, Dept. of Psychology & Social Behavior, UC Irvine
The presentation will address issues raised by PCL-R research in reference to diagnosis and the notion that the psychopathic traits are inalterably dangerous. The presentation will address the notion that impulsive anti-social lifestyle is more strongly associated with violence than core traits of psychopathy. One of the main goals of the presentation is to bring forth research that shows that there is hope for treating individuals diagnosed as psychopaths.
3. MCEP/CEU
STC 2/POST
Salon A
THE ASSESSMENT OF PERSONS WITH ASPERGER'S DISORDER IN ASSOCIATION WITH CRIMINAL BEHAVIOR
J. Arturo Silva, MD, Private Practice
This presentation will focus on the assessment of Asperger's Disorder and other forms of higher functioning Autism associated with criminal-legal difficulties. An overview of the diagnostic criteria for Asperger's Disorder and models that explain the nature of autism will be reviewed. Cases involving sexual problems and/or aggression will be presented in order to highlight relevant issues. The literature on Asperger's Disorder and criminality and potentially therapeutic interventions will be discussed.

4. MCEP/CEU
Salon D
WHAT HAVE THEY DONE TO US NOW? A REVIEW OF NEW LAWS AND COURT CASES AFFECTING FORENSIC MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
David Meyer, JD, Clinical Professor and Research Scholar, Institute of Psychiatry, Law and Behavioral Science, USC
The presentation will look at current appellate court cases and changes in statutes that effect practice and treatment of mentally ill individuals. Impact on forensic service providers will be reviewed. Usually, changes in statutes and appellate decisions address issues related to assessment, treatment, medication and voluntary and involuntary treatment of mentally ill in correction institutions, state mental health hospitals and judicial evaluations.
5. MCEP/CEU
Salon G
MIO PROGRAM PRESENTATION AND CURRENT GRANT STATUS
Christina Entz, LCSW, Clinical Supervisor, Jail Mental Health Services, San Bernardino County Dept. of Behavioral Health
Debby Lucas, RNC, MSN, CCHP, Nursing Supervisor and Mental Health Liaison, San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department
The session will discuss the impact of the Passages Program. The Passages Program was a part of the Mentally Ill Offender Crime Reduction II (MIOCR II) Grant and was a collaborative effort of the Sheriff's Department, Department of Behavioral Health, and the Probation Departments of San Bernardino County. The presenters will discuss the impact of the program in regards to cost savings and decreasing recidivism in the San Bernardino County Jails.

**RECEPTION WITH
AACFP**

**American Association
for Correctional and
Forensic Psychology**

Join us tonight at a
reception sponsored by the American Association
for Correctional and Forensic Psychology

5:00 –7:00 pm
Room to be announced