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505 N 5th Street
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CONFERENCE AGENDA

Day One

Thursday, July 20, 2017

- 7:30 a.m. **Registration Opens**
- 8:00 a.m. **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
- 9:00 a.m. **An Overview of Methamphetamine, Bath Salts, and Other Synthetic Drugs: The Relationship between Drug Use and Victimization**
Ron Deist, Resident Agent in Charge
Drug Enforcement Agency
Sioux Falls, SD
- 10:30 a.m. **BREAK**
- 10:45 a.m. **Understanding and Responding to the Needs of Drug Endangered Children**
Valaura Imus
BIA Victim Specialist
Phoenix, AZ
- 12:00 p.m. **LUNCH ON YOUR OWN**
- 1:30 p.m. **WORKSHOPS**
- Reclaiming What is Sacred:
Addressing Harm to Indigenous Elders and Developing a Tribal Response To Abuse in Later Life**
Juanita Davis
National Clearinghouse on Abuse
Later in Life
Denver, CO
- Reducing System Inflicted Trauma in Child Sexual Abuse Investigations Using a Reservation Based Child Advocacy Center**
Brandi Tonkel, Lead Forensic Interviewer
Rapid City, SD
- Behind Closed Doors: The Disclosure of Sexual Violence Among Teenage Victims in Tribal Communities**
Terry Friend, Forensic Consultant
Boston, MA
- Building Police Legitimacy, Community Trust, and Respect Through Enhanced Victim Services in Tribal Communities**
Cheryl "Renee" Bourque
BIA Victim Specialist
Bismarck, ND
- 3:00 p.m. **BREAK**
- 3:15 p.m. **WORKSHOPS REPEATED**

