

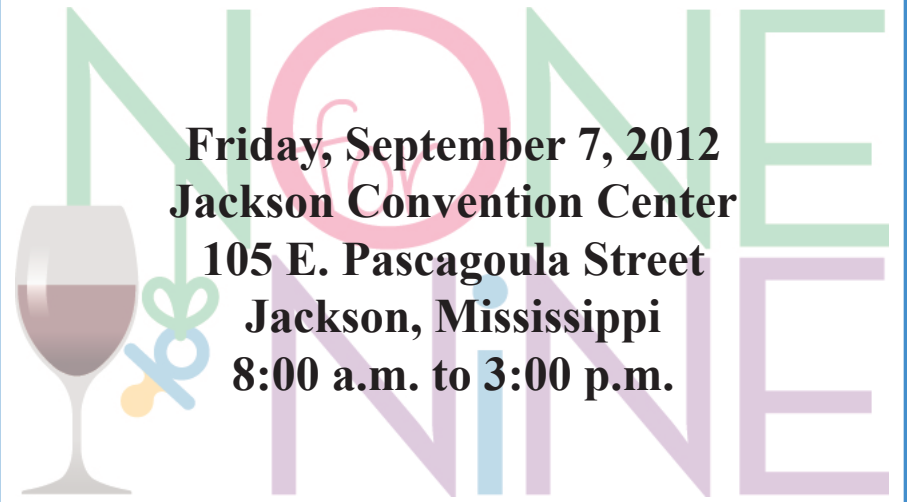
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**9th Annual
Fetal Alcohol Spectrum
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FASD...Let's Get Visible!



**Friday, September 7, 2012
Jackson Convention Center
105 E. Pascagoula Street
Jackson, Mississippi
8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

**Fetal Alcohol Spectrum
Disorders (FASD) is an
umbrella term describing
the range of effects that can
occur in an individual whose
mother drank alcohol while
pregnant.**

The intended audience includes birth parents, foster/adoptive parents, teachers, mental health professionals, private children services providers, professionals who work with juveniles, MDHS staff, school counselors, Head Start staff, MDRS staff, Peer Support Specialists, MDOE staff, and anyone who provides services to children and youth.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

The Mississippi Department of Mental Health, Division of Professional Development is sponsoring the continuing education portion of this conference. For continuing education information, please visit www.dmh.state.ms.us.

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Mississippi is part of a growing national system of states and organizations that are working individually and together to prevent FASD through education, advocacy, and increased public awareness. We've invited Jerome Romero from New Mexico as our guest to share many of the components of the FASD prevention program he has been instrumental in implementing in New Mexico. Jerome will challenge us to "ramp up" our FASD prevention efforts to Get Visible here in Mississippi!

We will also have a presentation from members of Mississippi's two newly-formed FASD Mississippi Network for Birth Mothers who will share with us their personal experiences.

Finally, we've asked our Mississippi National Prevention Network (NPN) staff here at DMH to bring us up to date on NPN activities in Mississippi and how they reflect the national prevention perspective.

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DRAFT AGENDA

8:00 a.m.	Registration/Breakfast/Coffee
9:00 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions
9:15 a.m.	Preventing FASD By Making It Visible: Jerome Romero
10:30 a.m.	Break
10:45 a.m.	Preventing FASD By Making It Visible: Jerome Romero
12:00 p.m.	Lunch (provided) and 2012 FAS Day Presentation
1:00 p.m.	Mississippi National Prevention Network
2:00 p.m.	Mississippi Network for Birth Mothers
3:00 p.m.	Adjourn

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REGISTRATION FORM

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To register on-line or to download the brochure, please visit
www.dmh.ms.gov and click on Upcoming Events.

If you are not able to register on-line using the link above, the Registration Form is also available on the DMH website at www.dmh.ms.gov under Online Documents. Fax the completed form to 601-576-4040.

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There is not an official conference hotel for the Symposium. If you need assistance locating lodging in Jackson and/or information on ADA accommodations, please contact:

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