

**The
Wichita/Sedgwick
County Hoarding
Task Force**

A conference you won't want to miss...Picking up where we left off last year!

Who should attend:

- Social workers
- Nurses
- Mental Health Professions
- Emergency Responders
- Animal Control
- Code Enforcement
- Service Coordinators, Apartment Managers
- Spouses, siblings, children, friends and other relatives
- Professional Organizers
- Anyone interested in learning more about the behavior..

OBJECTIVES

- **To obtain knowledge on Task Forces on Hoarding—what works what doesn't.**
- **To obtain knowledge on the legalities of hoarding.**
- **To obtain knowledge on animal hoarding.**
- **To obtain knowledge on how to help clients.**
- **What is new in research.**



Central Plains Area Agency on Aging
Butler, Harvey & Sedgwick Counties

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**Wichita/ Sedgwick
County Hoarding
Taskforce Presents...**

**“Saving, Collecting or
Hoarding?”
Steps to
Understanding
Hoarding Conference
April 4, 2008**

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Saving, Collecting, or Hoarding?
Steps to Understanding

Wichita Marriott
9100 Corporate Hills Drive
Wichita, Kansas 67207

REGISTRATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Organization: _____

Please include registration fee of \$50.00 per person, payable to the Central Plains Area Agency on Aging.

**Registration Deadline:
March 14, 2008**

- Registration will not be accepted without payment.
- Fee includes training, printed materials, certificate of attendance, continental breakfast, lunch and refreshments

No refunds for cancellations, although substitutions may be made.

For further information and/or accommodations, please contact:

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Renae M. Reinardy, Psy.D.

Received her Bachelor's degree in psychology at North Dakota State University, Master's degree at the American School of Professional Psychology, Washington DC and Doctorate at Argosy University, Washington, D.C. campus. She completed her doctoral internship at Springfield Hospital Center and Chase Brexton Health Clinic. Dr. Reinardy is the founder and president of the Lakeside Center for Behavioral Change, P.C. in Minnetonka, MN.

Dr. Reinardy specializes in the treatment of obsessive-compulsive disorder, compulsive hoarding, trichotillomania, and related conditions. She has been an adjunct professor at the doctoral level and has presented numerous times at national conferences and at local meetings and trainings. Dr. Reinardy has been interviewed on *Good Morning America* and had her treatment techniques featured on *Dateline NBC*.

Christiana Bratiotis, MSW, LCSW

Christiana is a fourth year doctoral student at Boston University in the interdisciplinary program in social work and sociology. Christiana earned both her Bachelor's of Arts in Social Psychology and her Master's Degree in Social Work at the University of Nevada, Reno.

Since arriving at Boston University, Christiana has focused her research and clinical work on adults with compulsive hoarding. Christiana authored a computer-based social work training titled "Compulsive Hoarding In Older Adults". Currently, Christiana is writing a book with her mentors Drs. Gail Steketee and Randy Frost. The book will be published by Oxford University Press and is focused on providing a variety of human service professions with information for practice regarding compulsive hoarding.

In June of 2006, Christiana was awarded a one year pre-dissertation fellowship from the Charles H. Farnsworth Trust of Boston, MA in order to study community responses to public cases of compulsive hoarding. Christiana's dissertation research focuses on the formation and operation of multi-disciplinary task forces as a way that communities are currently responding to the ever-increasing number and severity of public hoarding cases.

AGENDA:

7:45 a.m. Registration/Breakfast

8:30 am. *Compulsive Hoarding An Overview—Dr Renae Reinardy*

- How Can I help my Clients?
- Pathway to change
- What to do and how to do it!

11:30 a.m. Lunch

12:30 p.m. *Community Responses to Hoarding -Christiana Bratiotis— Boston University*

2:00 p.m. Breakout Sessions

- Animal Hoarding
- Legal
- Task Forces

3:00 p.m. Break

3:15 p.m. Repeat breakout sessions

4:15 p.m. Wrap-up and evaluation

For overnight accommodations at the Wichita Marriott a special rate of \$80 has been arranged for conference attendees. Reservations may be made by calling the hotel directly at 316-651-0333, calling Marriott's Reservation Center at 1-800-228-9290, or by the Web <http://marriott.com/ictwe?groupCode=cpacpaa&app=resvlink>

All reservations must be made no later than March 20, 2008.