



Suicide Prevention Legislative Institute Achieving Change Through Action

Washington Plaza Hotel, 10 Thomas Circle, NW, 20005

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25 TH		LOCATION
7:00 am -END OF CONFERENCE	Staff Office Area	LINCOLN
9:00 am – 3:00 pm	SPAN USA Board of Directors Meeting (MEMBERS ONLY)	FRANKLIN
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26 TH		
7:00 am - 2/27	LIFEKEEPER MEMORY QUILT DISPLAY	SENATE – RUSSELL ROTUNDA
7:00 – 8:45 am	Registration	WASHINGTON FOYER
7:00 - 8:45 am	Breakfast at Hotel	WASHINGTON FOYER
8:45 – 9:00 am	Welcome Jerry Reed, PhD, MSW, Executive Director SPAN USA	WASHINGTON
9:00 - 9:45 am	Suicide Prevention 101 Jason H Padgett, MPA, SPAN USA Field Development Coordinator	WASHINGTON
9:45 – 10:00 am	It Takes a Community Jerry Reed, PhD, MSW, SPAN USA Executive Director	WASHINGTON
10:00 - 10:15 am	BREAK	
10:15 – 11:45 am	Doing What Works: The National Strategy Working at the Community Level – A portion of the SPRC Strategic Planning for Suicide Prevention program (Module 4) Katherine Wootten, MPH, SPRC Prevention Specialist Gayle Jaffe, MSW, MPH, SPRC Prevention Specialist	WASHINGTON
Noon-1:30 pm	Awards Luncheon Speaker: Gary Bass, PhD, Executive Director of OMB Watch Awards Presentation: Sean Gerow, MS, Chairman of the SPAN USA Board of Directors	WASHINGTON
1:45 – 3:00 pm	The SPAN USA Field Liaison Network: 21st Century Suicide Prevention Advocacy Jason H Padgett, MPA, SPAN USA Field Development Coordinator Franklin Cook, MA, Chair of SPAN USA Board’s Field Development Committee	WASHINGTON
3:00 - 3:15 pm	BREAK – Have Dessert & Eat it Too!!	WASHINGTON FOYER
3:15 – 3:45 pm	The Federal Legislative Process Jerry Reed, PhD, MSW, SPAN USA Executive Director	WASHINGTON
3:45 – 4:30 pm	2008 Public Policy Priorities Jerry Reed, PhD, MSW, SPAN USA Executive Director	WASHINGTON
4:30 – 4:45 pm	BREAK	
4:45 – 6:00 pm	Legislators Work For You! Hill Visit Preparations Brian Altman, JD, SPAN USA Director of Public Policy & Program Development	WASHINGTON
EVENING	DINNER ON YOUR OWN	See Tab 2: Getting Around



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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH

2/26 - 5:00 pm	LIFEKEEPER MEMORY QUILT DISPLAY	RUSSELL ROTUNDA
6:30 - 8:00 am	Breakfast at Hotel	ADAMS & FRANKLIN
	Bus Ride to Hill	
8:00 – 8:30 am	<input type="checkbox"/> Gather at Breakfast in Adams/Franklin <input type="checkbox"/> BUS LEAVES at 8:30 <input type="checkbox"/> Arrive at Capitol at 9:00	ADAMS & FRANKLIN, THEN TO BUS
9:00 – 9:15 am	Group Photo at Capitol	CAPITOL
	Capitol Tours (Your Group is identified on your name badge)	
9:30 – 10:15 am	<input type="checkbox"/> Group A (158 491) is 9:35 – 9:55 <input type="checkbox"/> Group B (158 492) is 9:50 – 10:10	CAPITOL
About 10:00 am	Hill Visits begin	CAPITOL HILL
Noon - 1:00 pm	Hill Luncheon Honoring Senator Arlen Specter, Representative Leonard Boswell, the Association of American Railroads, and Forest Pharmaceuticals	SENATE – HART 902
1:00 – 4:00 pm	Hill Visits continue	CAPITOL HILL
	Return to Hotel/Dinner On Your Own	
After Hill Visits	<input type="checkbox"/> Consider Union Station <input type="checkbox"/> See Eateries List <input type="checkbox"/> Use Metro or Taxi	See Tab 2
	Submit Evaluations	
	Either at the	
Before You Leave	<input type="checkbox"/> Hill Luncheon <input type="checkbox"/> Friend for Life Reception	Evaluation Box
	Pick-up Lifekeeper Memory Quilt	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Only between 3:00 & 4:00 pm with a photo ID to match contact name <input type="checkbox"/> If not picked up, will be held at the Friend for Life Reception until 8 pm	Russell Rotunda
	Friend for Life Reception	
6:00 - 8:00 pm	Invited Guests include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Senators Gordon Smith & Tom Harkin</i> • <i>Representatives Leonard Boswell, Patrick Kennedy, and Jim Ramstad</i> • <i>Award Winning Actress Marcia Gay Harden</i> 	TOP OF THE HILL Reserve Officers Association 1 Constitution Avenue NE

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH

BEFORE Noon Check-Out of Hotel