

**A Multidisciplinary Custody Evaluation Institute
for
Maine Professionals to Examine Child Custody Issues
When Domestic Violence is Present**

Monday, June 11th 2007

(The Connecticut/Rhode Island Room)

8:30	Registration & Continental Breakfast
9:30	Welcome, Introductions, Logistics
10:00	<i>Judges: Comprehensive Custody Evaluations in the Context of Domestic Abuse</i> Peter Jaffe
10:50	Break
11:00	<i>Parental Alienation Syndrome</i> Richard Ducote and Peter Jaffe
11:45	<i>Attorneys: Advocacy in the Process and Product of Custody Evaluations in the Context of Domestic Violence</i> Becki Truscott Kondkar
12:30 Casco Bay Hall (downstairs)	Lunch
	<i>Exposure to Domestic Violence: Child Welfare Response: Beyond Nicholson and Scoppetta</i> Evan Stark and Becki Truscott Kondkar
2:00	<i>Why Battered Women Act the Way They Do</i> Peter Jaffe and Richard Ducote
3:00	Break
3:15	<i>Significant Barriers To Best Practices.</i> Evan Stark, Peter Jaffe, Becki Truscott Kondkar, Anita St. Onge and Barbara Hart
4:30	<i>Keynote Closure</i> Barbara Hart, Gail Sweat and Anita St. Onge
5:15	<i>Next Steps/Evaluation</i> Gail Sweat
6:30 – 8:30	<i>A Community Forum: Seeing Right Behind Our Eyes: Engaging Cultural Issues</i> Sujata Warriar ***Hearty Appetizers and Cash Bar Available

