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Alumni Happy Hour



Please join the UH GCSW Alumni Board for a Happy Hour at **Jenni's Noodle House!** Meet and network with other social work alumni in the community. It's BYOB so bring your favorite wine or beer and join us. UH GCSW Alumni, faculty, staff and students are welcome!

Where: Jenni's Noodle House
Address: 602 East 20th Street, Houston, TX 77008
Time: 5:30pm - 7:30pm
Date: Friday, January 30, 2015

RSVP to uh.gcsw.aa@gmail.com **Questions?** Contact Tony Fernandez (Board President) at 713-882-9373

Policy Insiders Series

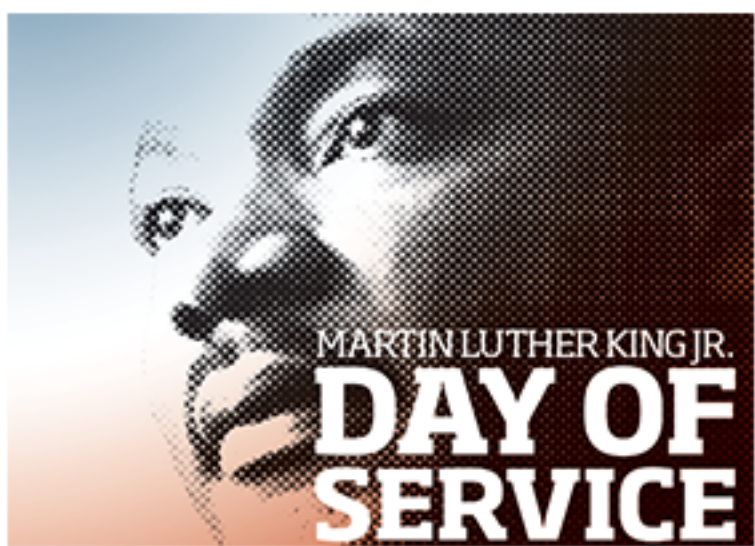


Join us at our next Policy Insider Series "**LGBTQI Texans and the State Legislature, An Insider's Perspective**" presented by GCSW and One Voice Texas and hosted by the Policy Insiders Advisory Committee. Free CEU's sponsored by **INTRACARE**. Lunch provided by **Bridge Solutions, Plaza Specialty Hospital** and **Pin Oak Caregivers**.

Where: GCSW Building Room 1103
Date: Saturday, January 31, 2015
Time: 12:00pm - 1:30pm
RSVP: Ann Liberman - aliberman@uh.edu

GCSW News

MLK Day of Service Recap



From Dr. Larry Hill:

In Houston we mobilized 253 volunteers from HOPE worldwide, American Red Cross, Houston Fire Department, and other volunteer organizations. A passionate and diverse group met at American Red Cross headquarters, were trained, then set out for the Sunnyside neighborhood. This area was identified by the Houston Fire Department for their high residential fire risk. Volunteer groups went door-to-door teaching residents about fire safety, identifying fire risks, and creating fire escape plans.

The impact of Saturday reached about 2,300 people in the Sunnyside area. This impact is not bad considering the super-neighborhood has about 23,000 residents. Our work in Houston contributed over \$25,000 of in-kind volunteer service that morning. We are so thankful for those in the UH family who came out on short notice. Fires are the #1 disaster in the United States. Two-thirds of fire-related deaths in the U.S. are attributed to not having a "working fire-alarm" during the time of the fire. For the past six years we have done our part to decrease the risk of these preventable deaths through a day of volunteer service.

Thanks to all of our GCSW participants!

Upcoming Events

Field Marketplace



The 27th Annual Field Agency Marketplace will be held Friday, **February 27, 2015** from 10:00 — 2:00 in the Houston Room, University Center at the University of Houston.

The Marketplace is a signature GCSW Community event that serves to **FACILITATE** the field placement process for advanced curriculum MSW students, **COMMUNICATE** directly with students about agencies & opportunities available, allows for **NETWORKING** with other area social service providers and offers the opportunity for agencies to **ADVERTISE** any current job opportunities available. Please contact the GCSW Field Office with any questions about how to participate. See you there!

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Working Today...Changing Tomorrow - Social Workers: Heroes Every Day



We are excited to announce the 2015 UH GCSW Spring Luncheon will be held on Tuesday, March 31 from 11:30am - 1:30pm at the Hilton Americas- Houston, 1600 Lamar St, Houston, TX 77010.

Our guest speaker will be **Bruce Perry, MD, PhD** of the Child Trauma Academy. **Mary Beth Arcidiacono** and **Elizabeth McIngvale Cegelski** are serving as chairs for the luncheon.

11:30am-12:00pm - Reception
12:00pm-1:30pm - Luncheon and Program

For more information, contact **Renia Butler** at rsbutler@central.uh.edu or call 713-743-8475.

Registration is Now Open!

Clinical Supervision in Social Work* Dates: January 28-29, and February 5-6, 2015.

Times: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Place: University of Houston Graduate College of Social Work

Course Fee: (Early Bird Registration) \$550. After January 16, 2015 \$600

Brief Description: This 40- hour course fulfills licensing requirements to be an approved LCSW supervisor (as set forth by the Texas State Board of Social Worker Examiners 781.102). Course consists of 5 modules and 12 hours of structured, independent work to be completed throughout the course period.

This class will fill up almost immediately. [Visit our website to register today!](#)

***The Clinical Supervision in Social Work (40 ceus/includes 6 hrs. Ethics Training) is open for registration to meet TX State Licensure Board audit deadline on the following dates: Jan 28 - 29 and Feb 5 - 6.**

Community Events

Visit the [Community Events](#) page on our website for details and information on how to submit your event to be included in these listings. Current listings include:

Feb 4-5: Texas Family Engagement Conference

Feb 5: Hospice Summit Seminar

Feb 12: Real Life Situations That Social Workers Face in Health Care Today

Feb 23-24: 29th Annual Conference on the Prevention of Child Abuse

ONGOING: Adolescent Social Anxiety Study

Recruitment: Visit our website for even more listings.

Please use the links to our calendar and website to stay current with all the exciting happenings at GCSW!

Featured Events

Continuing Education Courses

Visit our website for a full listing of opportunities

Upcoming CE offerings:

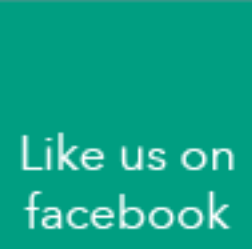
- Jan 28-29: Clinical Supervision in Social Work
- Feb 5-6: Clinical Supervision in Social Work
- Mar 27: Why Conversations? Why Now?
- April 17: Eight Guiding Principles for Professional Growth and Supervision
- May 1 & 8: Intermediate/Clinical Level Exam Prep (LMSW, LMSW-AP, LCSW) Part I and II



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