

# **2008 Governor's Summit on Eliminating Minority Overrepresentation in the Juvenile Justice System**

**November 17-18, 2008  
Red Lion Hotel on the River  
Portland, Oregon**

## ***Building Momentum for the Next Decade Strengthening Collaborations Affirming Milestones***

### **Call for Presenters**

The State of Oregon Planning Committee in partnership with the Coalition for Juvenile Justice (CJJ) and Multnomah County Local Public Safety Coordinating Council (LPSCC) is pleased to issue a call for presenters for the **10<sup>th</sup> Annual Governor's Summit on Eliminating Minority Overrepresentation in the Juvenile Justice System** to be held in Portland, Oregon on November 17 and 18, 2008. This year, the Summit's theme reflects several milestones to be marked: the 20th Anniversary of the inclusion of the DMC core requirement into the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act, the 10th anniversary of the Oregon Governor's Summit, and the beginning of CJJ's 25th year as a national organization and leader in the juvenile justice field.

The Summit's purpose is to develop, sustain and enhance efforts to eliminate Disproportionate Minority Contact (DMC) in the juvenile justice system through strategic planning and partnerships among state, local, and private stakeholders. This unique effort focuses on the multiple decision points affecting youth in the juvenile justice system and factors contributing to disproportional representation of minority youth, and provides a collaborative forum for stakeholders involved with each of those decision points.

If you are interested in making a presentation, please complete the attached form and send it to:

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**All proposals must be received no later than August 29, 2008.** Applicants will be notified of selection by September 15, 2008.

### Ideas for Workshops/ Sessions

JJDP Act and DMC core requirement	Model law enforcement practices and initiatives
DMC data analysis and mapping	Transitional services (location, cultural appropriateness, housing, employment, etc)
Urban/ Rural/ Tribal specifics	Health, mental health, and addictions services for youth
Systemic racism and effects of historical trauma	Services continuum and wraparound services
Youth violence and intra-cultural violence	Juvenile Detention Alternative Initiative Reform
Gangs (identification, intervention, etc.)	Models for Change Initiative
School discipline: in and out of school suspensions and expulsions	Immigration issues in juvenile justices and related disciplines
Helping minority youth succeed – best practices	Tribal youth perspectives and tribal relations
Measure 11 / Trying and sentencing youth in adult criminal court	Diversion options and alternatives to detention
Sentencing and adjudication in juvenile courts	After-school programs for at-risk youth
Dual jurisdiction kids (crossover kids: dependency & delinquency cases)	What Works: successful programs and stakeholder collaborations
Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice	Legislative and cross-systems reforms
Arrest/ Referral/ Racial Profiling	Gender specific issues and services for minority youth
Community engagement	

### Expected Audience

Local and State Policy Makers	Community and Business Partners
Elected Officials	Faith-based Organizations
Tribal Governments	Social Workers
Judicial Officers	Child Welfare Workers
Juvenile Courts	Youth
Juvenile Departments	Prevention Specialists
Juvenile Corrections and Probation	Juvenile Rights Advocates
Education: Teachers and Administrators	Law Enforcement
Transitional Services	District Attorneys
	Defense Attorneys

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## Presentation Proposals

**1. Presentation Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

(A snappy title catches the attention of participants and identifies the primary focus of the presentation).

### 2. Primary Contact Person

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Organization:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. Brief description of expertise of the topic and presentation experience:

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**4. Intended Audience:** \_\_\_\_\_

**5. Presentation Description and Learning Objectives:** On a separate sheet of paper, briefly describe the content and learning objectives of your presentation (500 words or less). We will use this to describe your session in the program agenda for participants.

### 6. Presentation Format: (circle all that apply)

Lecture

Panel Discussion

Activity/Participatory

1 full session (90-minutes) 2 full sessions (180-minutes) 1 short session (60-minutes) \*

\* in the afternoon of November 18th only

Will you be willing to repeat your presentation if requested?

Yes

No

### Equipment Needs :

TV/VCR/DVD

Easel(s)

Projector

Laptop

Microphone

Other : \_\_\_\_\_

### 8. Co-presenters

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Knowledge/experience on topic:

Speaking/presentation experience:

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