



The 16th Annual Ohio Adult Sibling Conference

REACHING FOR WELL-BEING

2016

Friday, Nov. 11 & Saturday, Nov. 12
Embassy Suites • Dublin, Ohio

presented by



Ohio SIBS
SPECIAL INITIATIVES
BY BROTHERS & SISTERS

FEATURED SPEAKERS

Join Us!

Friday, Nov. 11 (3 p.m. to 8 p.m.)

- Welcome reception, dinner, cocktail hour
- Cuyahoga County Board Assistive Technology Department: Updates about supportive technology
- Art show by artists with developmental disabilities

Saturday, Nov. 12 (8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.)

- Breakfast and lunch
- Optional opening session with Yoga instructor Donna Villareal
- Presentations
- Opportunities to meet and network with other siblings
- Self-advocacy sessions

Additional topics include:

- Compassion Fatigue and Secondary Trauma
- Cleveland Clinic Research Update: "Dementia in Individuals with Down Syndrome"
- Ohio SIBS' Regional Sibling Gatherings Project
- History of Disability in Ohio
- How Ohio SIBS Needs You!

Conference Registration \$115

Location: Embassy Suites Dublin

5100 Upper Metro Place • Dublin, OH 43017
(614) 790-9000 or (800) 220-9219

Use code OSI by 10/23/16 to receive the special room rate of \$129 per night (plus tax).



Colleen Beard

Founder of CareSpotlight.com
Topic: "Navigating the DD Residential System: A Sister's Journey & Lessons Learned"



Rachel Patterson, M.P.A.

Director of Public Policy, the Christopher and Dana Reeve Foundation
Topic: "Self-Care as a Political Act: National Policy Updates for Sibs"



Megan Rothermel

Young Adult Self-Advocate with Down Syndrome
Topic: "Against All Odds"



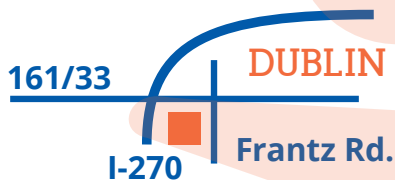
Shannon Skiba, D.D.S.

Associate Professor and Dentist, Nisonger Dental Clinic, The Ohio State University
Topic: "Importance of Preventative Care in Oral Hygiene"



Tabitha Woodruff, Esq.

Special Needs Attorney, Hickman & Lowder Co. L.P.A.
Topic: "Protecting People with Disabilities from Exploitation"



Conference Registration

Full Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Ohio County _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Special Needs or Dietary Restrictions _____

Are you a sibling of a person with a disability? Yes No

If yes, does your sibling live in Ohio? Yes No

Are you employed in the DD field? Yes No

Have you attended the conference previously? Yes No

How do you plan to pay for the conference?

- Check
- Cash
- PayPal
- County Board

I have contacted my County Board of DD and they agree to be invoiced by Ohio SIBS. Send the invoice to: _____

Requesting Scholarship

By selecting scholarship, you are requesting one of the limited number of Ohio SIBS Conference Scholarships and will submit an application. Contact Bobbi Montenegro at RMontenegro@neo.rr.com or (330) 705-8367 for an application.



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- Registration available at www.ohiosibs.com
- Registration: \$115

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