

STRENGTHENING LAW ENFORCEMENT FAMILIES

Featuring RET. LT. MARGENE ROBINSON, Formerly With Dayton Police Department
OPOTA-SPONSORED FREE WORKSHOP

9 A.M. – 12 Noon
Wednesday, November 5, 2008
OPOTA Richfield Campus
4055 Highlander Pkwy, Richfield, OH 44286
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WORKSHOP DESCRIPTION

This three-hour course will assist police supervisors and officers in identifying stresses that they endure on and off the job, including police domestic violence and work related issues. Topics will assist officers in understanding the impact of their job demands and prevent burn-out and maintaining a healthy home life. The course will suggest ways to develop services and procedures that will enable law enforcement agencies to support personnel and families in preventing career or family crisis from developing.

OPOTA Certificates of Participation awarded to attendees.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- To provide information about the Cycle of Violence and the Power and Control Wheel (especially as it applies to law enforcement families).
- To provide information about psychological threats, institutional power and verbal abuse.
- To assist officers with stresses they endure on the job, including domestic violence and work-related problems.
- To assist officers and their families to become physically and mentally healthy.

ABOUT THE PRESENTER

RET. LT. MARGENE ROBINSON

Margene Robinson is a retired Lieutenant from the Dayton Police Department. She supervised the Dayton Police Department's Domestic Violence Unit. She has taught in the area of Domestic Violence since 1983. She represented the Dayton P.D. in bilateral exchanges with police officers in China and the Soviet Union.

She was instrumental in developing a domestic violence unit for the Dayton P.D., strengthening the investigation of all domestic related crimes (including homicides, felonious assaults, stalking and protection order violations) and increasing their successful prosecution.

Lt. Robinson is recognized as an expert witness in Domestic Violence Cases by Common Pleas Courts in Montgomery and Butler counties and by the Second District Court of Appeals. She was also involved in the writing of the Montgomery County Domestic Violence Protocol and has served on the county's Domestic Violence Task Force.

She has received the Artemis Center Peacekeeping Award, two Joseph T. Cline Awards, and The Victory over Violence Award and was nominated for Female Police Officer of the Year in 1987.

She has served as a Domestic Violence Trainer for the Dayton P.D. and has trained numerous law enforcement personnel, prosecutors, judges, parole officers, victim advocates and clergy statewide. She has also taught classes about Domestic Violence at the University of Dayton.

Lt. Robinson has a B.A. degree in Psychology from Capital University and an M.S. degree in Education from the University of Dayton.



REGISTRATION - Please register by 11/3/08.

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After 11/3, call 614 825-0551 or toll free 888 622-9315 for late registration.

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