

REGISTRATION

THERE ARE THREE WAYS TO REGISTER:

Preferred Method **ON-LINE:** www.osdfsnationalconference.com

Alternate Methods If You Cannot Register On-line

BY FAX: (202) 269-9575 (Registration Form must be complete)

BY MAIL: OSDFS National Conference
c/o The Dixon Group, Inc.
118 Q Street, NE
Washington, DC 20002

All registrations must be received by **July 10, 2009**. Please type or print clearly. Please print your name as you would like it to appear on your name badge, including degree if applicable:

Salutation Mr. Ms. Dr. Other (please specify) _____

First Name _____ Middle Initial _____

Last Name _____ Suffix _____

Position (professional title) _____

Organization _____

Work Address Line 1 _____

Work Address Line 2 _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Work Phone _____ Work Fax _____ Cell _____

Work Email _____

Emergency Contact _____ Relationship _____

Emergency Contact Phone _____

Emergency Contact Email _____

Grant Cohort (Program) _____

PR/Award Number _____

Have you attended the OSDFS National Conference in the Past? Yes No

If yes, how many have you attended? _____

SPECIAL NEEDS:

If you require special accommodations to fully participate (i.e., auxiliary aides or services) please fax a written request to (202) 269-9575. We must receive your request by 12:00 noon (EST) on July 10, 2009.

SPECIAL MEAL REQUIREMENTS:

Vegetarian Diabetic Kosher Other (please specify) _____

Food Allergies (please specify) _____

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NATIONAL HARBOR, MD**

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2009 NATIONAL CONFERENCE



US DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
OFFICE OF SAFE AND DRUG-FREE SCHOOLS

THE POWER OF CHANGE

HEALTHY STUDENTS

SAFE SCHOOLS

ENGAGED COMMUNITIES

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ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

OFFICE OF SAFE AND DRUG-FREE SCHOOLS

The Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools (OSDFS) provides funds and technical assistance to States, schools, and communities for programs that promote the health and well-being of students in elementary schools, secondary schools, and institutions of higher education. OSDFS programs emphasize positive, disciplined, high-achieving schools; strong parent and community involvement; effective school planning and preparedness; research-based prevention and education strategies; and the effective use of data by schools and States to select and improve high-quality programs and activities.

CONFERENCE GOALS

The 2009 OSDFS National Conference theme is The Power of Change: Healthy Students, Safe Schools, and Engaged Communities. Today's new economy, as well as ongoing changes in demographics and technology, require schools and communities to develop creative approaches to engage and prepare students for the roles and challenges they will face.

The goals of the 2009 National Conference are to:

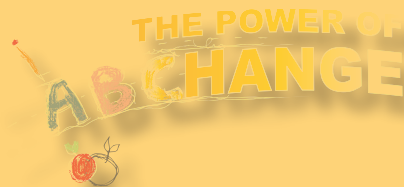
- Highlight information from research and evaluation studies that will support State and local officials in assessing needs, establishing priorities, and selecting the most effective programs and strategies.
- Examine new trends, innovative approaches, and comprehensive, integrated strategies that may offer new approaches to both old and emerging problems and challenges.
- Enable participants to build upon skills and receive training from practitioners in the fields of emergency management; health, mental health, and physical education; alcohol, drug, and violence prevention; civic and character education; and other areas related to school- and community-based prevention.
- Showcase resources and tools developed by fellow practitioners and leaders in their respective fields.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- OSDFS grantees
- Education and prevention leaders
- Representatives of Federal agencies and national associations
- SEA, LEA representatives and Governors' staff
- Public and private school administrators
- Experts in the field of substance abuse and violence prevention
- School personnel (teachers, counselors, and health educators)
- School safety and security officers, including school resources officers
- Faith-based organizations
- Representatives from charter schools.

CONFERENCE TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Research/Evaluation/Survey Findings
- Promising Programs/Strategies
- Training/Skills Building
- Technology
- New Trends
- Resources



LOGISTICAL

LODGING

The Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center is the location of the conference sessions. Sleeping rooms are available at a discounted group rate of \$165 per night single/double plus applicable taxes (currently 6% state tax and 10% occupancy tax). The hotel's contact information is:

Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center
201 Waterfront Street, National Harbor, MD 20745
Phone: 301-965-2000

To book a sleeping room online at the Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center, go to the conference website at www.osdfsnationalconference.com.

Hotel rooms can also be booked by contacting the hotel's reservation department at Don't forget to mention the OSDFS National Conference to get the discounted group rate. Be sure to reserve your sleeping room at your earliest convenience as rooms are limited and will go quickly.

GUEST SERVICES FEE

A daily Guest Services Fee of \$15.00 will be added to the guest room rate. This fee will cover several in-room amenities:

- Wired and wireless high-speed internet access
- Fitness Center access
- Designated complimentary in-room beverages
- Daily newspaper
- Local and toll-free telephone calls (20 minutes per call)

TRAVEL

REAGAN NATIONAL AIRPORT (DCA) — approximately 8 miles, 15 minutes from the hotel

GAYLORD NATIONAL AIRPORT SHUTTLE TO REAGAN NATIONAL AIRPORT (DCA)

Gaylord National offers an exclusive, express shuttle to and from Reagan National Airport.

This convenient service departs every twenty minutes from Gaylord National's front door to Reagan National Airport, and every twenty minutes from the Reagan National Airport baggage claim.

Reservations are recommended, but tickets also will be available from the SuperShuttle desk, located on the lower level of the airport, near baggage claim.

Daily Shuttle Schedule:

- 6:00 a.m. — 8:00 p.m.

Ticket Prices:

- \$18 one way
- \$32 per person, round trip
- \$78 for exclusive van service, booked in advance

To make your shuttle reservation, call 1-800-660-8000.

WASHINGTON DULLES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (IAD) — approximately 35 miles, 45 minutes from hotel

FROM BALTIMORE/WASHINGTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (BWI) — approximately 42 miles, 45 minutes from hotel

LOCAL INFORMATION

Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center On the Potomac in Maryland

Just minutes outside of Washington, DC, Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center offers visitors to the Capital region everything they are looking for in a vacation, weekend getaway, business trip or just a night out.

Explore this first-class destination with fun for everyone, including fine dining and casual restaurants, unique shopping experiences, an indoor pool, and a 20,000-square-foot spa and fitness center. And for late-night excitement, an express elevator speeds you to the two-story rooftop Pose Ultra Lounge.



National Harbor



* NATIONAL HARBOR *

National Harbor is a new 300-acre waterfront destination, set along a 1/4 mile panoramic stretch of the Potomac River in Prince George's County, Maryland. The cornerstone of this project is the new Gaylord National Resort and Convention Center, the largest non-gaming hotel and convention center on the Eastern Seaboard.

RETAIL, DINING & ENTERTAINMENT

- 325,000 square feet of retail, dining, and entertainment will be in Phase 1.
- National Harbor will feature up to 20 white table cloth restaurants including McCormick & Schmick's, Grace's Mandarin, and Rosa Mexicano — Coming in 2009 are Ketchup, Redeye Grill, and Bond 45.
- Late night entertainment features Bobby McKey's Dueling Piano Bar — Coming in 2009 are Cadillac Ranch, Public House, Timothy Dean Jazz & Bistro and other exciting establishments yet to be announced.

IT'S DC!

You will be a quick cab or water taxi ride away from Downtown Washington, DC and can enjoy some of the city's top attractions which include:

- National Museum of Natural History
- National Air & Space Museum
- National Museum of American History
- National Zoological Park
- Lincoln Memorial
- World War II Memorial
- Vietnam Veterans Memorial
- Korean Memorial
- FDR Memorial
- Rock Creek Park

DC is also home to 4 major sporting event venues with 167,000 total seats and 8 major professional teams including the Redskins, Wizards, Mystics, Nationals, United and Capitals. There are more than 40 performing arts/theatre venues with 31,000 total seats.