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Building a foundation for effective collaboration

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Expanding the Prevention Continuum for Faith and Community Wellness

Substance Abuse

Faith-Based Conference

Lake Lawn Resort • Delavan, Wisconsin

May 26th, 27th, 28th, 2004

Prevention Partnership, Inc. believes there is a clear need for HIV disease prevention services that address the needs of communities of color, that are culturally relevant, that address the issues of substance abuse and mental health, and that involve local institutions in these communities, (including faith-based organizations). Only recently have Black organizations, including faith institutions, begun to address the issue of HIV/AIDS in the community. Prevention Partnership further believes that Black faith organizations, along with Black faith leaders, play a pivotal role in this public health crusade.



It is for these reasons that the Prevention Partnership will sponsor its second Faith-Based Conference on HIV/AIDS and Substance Abuse Prevention. The Prevention Partnership has provided substance abuse prevention programming to communities since 1987 and in 1992 began offering HIV/AIDS prevention programs. It has received grant awards from the Center for Substance Abuse Prevention to develop and implement programs integrating HIV/AIDS and substance abuse prevention programming. Since 1996, its efforts have included training faith leaders and lay people in developing and implementing HIV/AIDS and substance abuse action plans in Black churches in Chicago.

The Faith-Based Conference on HIV/AIDS and Substance

The Faith-Based Conference on HIV/AIDS and Substance Abuse Prevention will focus on the expansion and enhancement of faith-based HIV/AIDS and substance abuse prevention programming, with emphasis on the Black community. It will address topics such as how to develop an HIV/AIDS ministry, how to integrate HIV/AIDS into a health or prison ministry, and how to stop the stigma associated with HIV/AIDS from being a barrier for those needing services. Other topics will include how to develop partnerships with community providers for HIV/AIDS, health promotion, mental health, and substance abuse. Workshops will also include sessions on program evaluation, resource development, and program planning.



Conference Details

The intended audience includes faith leaders, lay leaders, congregation members, community leaders, and community-based service providers.

The conference will take place on

May 26th, 27th, and 28th, 2004 at the

beautiful **Lake Lawn Resort** located in Delavan Wisconsin (90 minutes from Chicago and just minutes from Lake Geneva). Its setting is ideal for participants' sharing and maintaining their focus on conference activities.

Cost: The conference tuition of **\$475.00** includes room and meals (double occupancy).

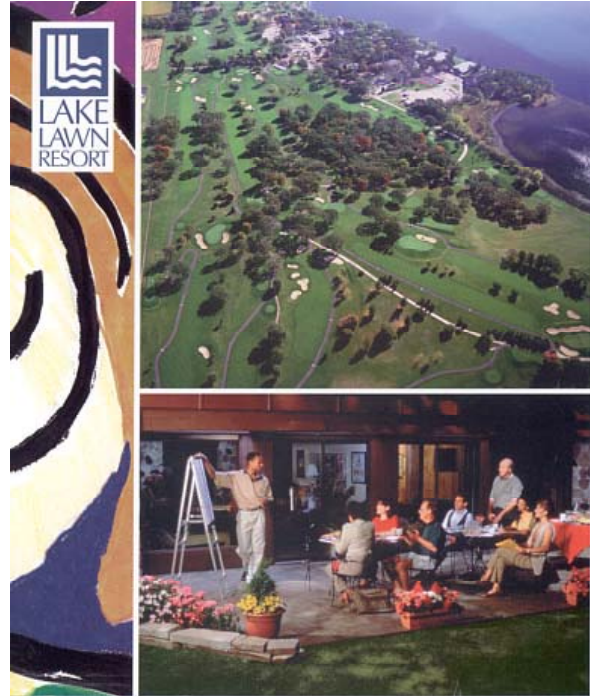
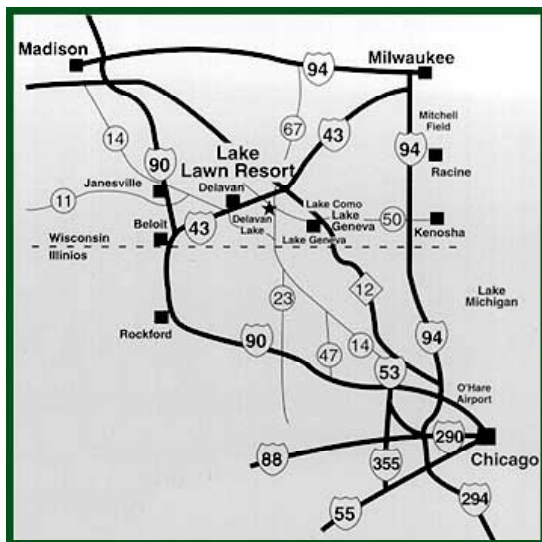
Because the Prevention Partnership is encouraging teams to participate, the tuition for the second and each additional participant from the same organization is \$425.00 each.

Early Bird Special:

Register by March 31 and save \$50.00.

Directions: From Chicago and O'Hare International Airport Vicinity

Take I-294 and I-94 North (toward Milwaukee) to Highway 50 in Kenosha. Exit Highway 50 West. Continue through Lake Geneva and go approximately another 8-10 miles. Lake Lawn will be on your Left approximately 8-10 miles after Lake Geneva. Approximate drive time from O'Hare International Airport will be 1.5 to 2 hours.



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