**Statewide Adoption and Permanency Network (SWAN) in collaboration with**

**the Pennsylvania Child Welfare Resource Center’s Independent Living Project**

**SPRING 2019 QUARTERLY MEETINGS REGISTRATION FORM**

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The spring 2019 SWAN/IL Quarterly Meetings will be held on the six dates listed below from 9:15 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day. You may register online at *www.diakon-swan.org* **OR** place checkmarks next to the meeting and afternoon session you plan to attend, and then either mail the completed form to Conferencing, Diakon/FDR, 471 JPL Wick Drive, P.O. Box 4560, Harrisburg, PA 17111, or email it to *conferencing@diakon-swan.org*. Please register no later than five working days prior to the meeting you plan to attend. **If you register online, you do not need to send this registration form to Diakon/FDR. *Please Note: Lunch is on your own.***

***SELECT A WORKSHOP FOR THE AFTERNOON SESSION***

**❑****Child Specific Recruitment: New Look, New Attitude**

A core component of Child Specific Recruitment (CSR) is thoughtful, individualized planning. This training highlights the newly revised and updated CSR Plan and CSR Monthly Report developed by the network. It will explore the importance of using a tailored approach to choosing recruitment strategies when designing the CSR Plan and tracking the progress towards permanency within CSR Monthly Reports.

**❑****To Affinity and Beyond: Exploring the Developmental and Legal Significance of Sibling Relationships**

This training will discuss the significance of sibling relationships in identity development, the importance of maintaining ongoing sibling contact, how the loss of sibling connections impact a child’s worldview and the legal issues that affect these relationships.

**❑** **Sorting Through Human Trafficking by Preventing Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC)**

Pennsylvania is a source, destination, and pass-through state for trafficking persons. By definition, human trafficking has two common forms: sex trafficking and labor trafficking. The Preventing Sex Trafficking and Strengthening Families Act (H.R. 4980), signed in September of 2014 aims to prevent and address sex trafficking of children in the foster care system, to recognize and understand current federal and state laws which address CSEC, to improve adoption incentives and to improve international child support recovery. Title I of H.R. 4980 mandates efforts to protect children and youth at risk of sex trafficking. This workshop will look at federal and state legislation related to human trafficking, the evidence-based approaches designed to assist children and youth who are, or are at risk of becoming victims of CSEC and how to effectively access the services needed to assist them.

**❑** **What About Dad? A Legal Approach to Paternity and Fatherhood Engagement**

Fathers play an important role in a child’s life, yet their role in a dependency case is often misunderstood. This training will address the importance of establishing paternity, guiding legal principles, and fatherhood engagement as essential practice.

* **Wednesday, March 27, 2019  
  Scranton**  
  Radisson Lackawanna Station  
  700 Lackawanna Ave.  
  Scranton, PA 18503  
  (570) 342-8300

*Registration Deadline: March 19, 2019*

* **Wednesday, April 3, 2019  
  Clarion**   
  **\*NEW\* Trinity Point Church of God**   
  180 W. Trinity Dr.  
  Clarion, PA 16214  
  (814) 226-8672  
  *Registration Deadline: March 26, 2019*
* **Thursday, April 4, 2019  
  Monroeville**DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel  
  Pittsburgh-Monroeville Convention Center  
  101 Mall Blvd.  
  Monroeville, PA 15146  
  (412) 373-7300  
  *Registration Deadline: March 27, 2019*
* **Wednesday, April 17, 2019  
  Philadelphia**  
  Clarion Hotel and Conference Center   
  76 Industrial Hwy., Rte. 291  
  Essington, PA 19029  
  (610) 521-9600  
  *Registration Deadline: April 9, 2019*
* **Thursday, April 18, 2019  
  Lansdale**  
  Holiday Inn Lansdale  
  1750 Sumneytown Pike  
  Kulpsville, PA 19443

(215) 368-3800  
*Registration Deadline: April 10, 2019*

* **Tuesday, April 23, 2019  
  Harrisburg**  
  **\*NEW\* The Best Western Premier**  
  800 East Park Dr.  
  Harrisburg, PA 17111

(717) 561-2800

*Registration Deadline: April 15, 2019*