2017 ALL-SITES SUMMIT

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 2017

7:30 a.m.  Registration & Breakfast

8:15 a.m.  Welcome and Opening Remarks
          Adult Redeploy Illinois staff
          James Glasgow, Will County State’s Attorney

8:45 a.m.  Prison and Sentencing Reform: ARI as a Vehicle for Justice System Improvement
          Dave Olson, Ph.D. and Don Stemen, Ph.D., Center for Criminal Justice Research, Policy
          and Practice, Loyola University of Chicago
          This presentation provides an overview of trends in prison utilization in Illinois, what is driving
          these trends, how and why prison utilization varies across Illinois’ counties, and the
          opportunities and challenges to achieving criminal justice and sentencing reform in Illinois.
          Included will be a discussion of specific recommendations from the Illinois Governor’s
          Commission on Criminal Justice and Sentencing Reform that have implications for local
          criminal justice practice and policy, and how the ARI model can be seen as a vehicle for
          achieving the goals of reduced reliance on incarceration and improved public safety in Illinois.

9:45 a.m.  Break

10:00 a.m. Bridges to Justice: A Community Engagement Toolkit for Adult Diversion Programs –
            Introduction of a New Resource for ARI Sites
            Angelique Orr, M.S., ARI Oversight Board Member
            ARI Staff
            This presentation will roll out a new toolkit that provides a roadmap to strengthen the role of
            community in local ARI programs. The toolkit’s authors will describe the process of developing
            the toolkit and share key findings. Snapshots of ARI sites within the toolkit highlight robust
            community involvement and include program descriptions, challenges and navigation
            strategies related to community involvement, and how community involvement has enhanced
            programs.

10:45 a.m. Adult Redeploy Illinois Site Updates – Block #1
            ARI staff and 7 sites

11:45 a.m. Lunch

12:30 p.m. Adult Redeploy Illinois Site Updates – Block #2
            ARI staff and 7 sites

1:30 p.m.  Break

1:45 p.m.  Breakout Sessions - room assignments subject to change

          Clem/Tally  Restorative Justice in Action: Not just for Juveniles
          Kathryn Rayford, B.S., Director of Training, Illinois Balanced and Restorative Justice
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Gregory A. Mattingley, Macon County Board Member and Community Restorative Board volunteer
This session will provide an overview of Restorative Justice and how the various practices can be applied in adult situations. The presenters will discuss the stakeholders and how accountability, combined with competency development, contributes to community safety. The challenges and successes of implementing a Community Restorative Board in Macon County will be highlighted.

Ballroom  
Veterans Courts and Highlights of Veteran Mentors Program  
Judge Annette Eckert (Ret.)  
Kelly Gallivan-Illarraza, Problem-Solving Court Coordinator, Administrative Office of Illinois Courts  
Michelle Rock, JD, Director, Illinois Center of Excellence for Behavioral Health and Justice  
Rudy Martin, Lake County Veterans Court  
This session covers the importance and need for veterans courts; the current landscape of veterans courts in Illinois, including current legislation and standards; the importance of planning for veterans courts; implementation; rural issues; and a highlight of innovations from the Lake County Veterans Treatment and Assistance Court.

Auditorium  
Gender Responsive Justice Programming  
Deanne Benos, Founder & Project Director, The Women's Justice Initiative  
Alyssa Benedict, Executive Director, CORE Associates  
Margaret Burke, Warden, Logan Correctional Center  
Carolyn Gurski, Chief of Public Safety, Illinois Department of Corrections  
This presentation will share the Chicago-based Women's Justice Initiative's "Call to Action" that has begun in partnership with the Illinois Department of Corrections (IDOC) and is rooted in the most comprehensive Gender Informed Practices Assessment (GIPA) and Reform Strategy ever conducted by a state system. Panelists will invite participants to become part of a gender responsive justice systems change movement, will be provided with an overview of gender responsive tools available to them to improve outcomes among justice-involved women and girls, and will be offered the opportunity to share in a dialogue about frontline implementation challenges and solutions focused on overcoming longstanding culture differences and perceptions of impact vs accountability.

Lafayette  
Improving and Sustaining Quality over the Life Cycle of Programs  
Lily Gleicher, M.S., ABD, Research Analyst, Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority  
This presentation provides a brief overview of evidence-based practices (EBPs) and logic models, with a focus on implementation science. Implementation is defined as the set of specified, purposeful, and detailed processes designed to put an innovation into practice. Thus, implementation science is defined as, “the factors that influence the full and effective use of innovations in practice” (National Implementation Research Network, 2015). In particular, this presentation will provide information regarding the importance of implementation fidelity, functional stages of implementation, core components of implementation, common implementation barriers, and program adaptation/modification.
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3:15 p.m.  Break

3:30 p.m.  Key Take-aways from Day 1
Judge Thomas Sumner (Ret.), ARI staff

3:45 p.m.  ARI Site & Partner Workshop: Using Logic Models and Data to Inform Program Oversight and Management
Lynne Mock, Ph.D, ARI Research Manager, ICJIA
Lily Gleicher, M.S., ABD, Research Analyst, ICJIA
Megan Alderden, Ph.D, Associate Director of Research, ICJIA
This session begins a dialogue between ARI site representatives and researchers about the processes and outcomes of their programs. Rather than focus strictly on an outcome evaluation, the focus will be on how client outcomes occur and sites will learn the usefulness of their data for program management. Researchers will share a basic structure underlying the development of performance measurement for programs and ask for feedback on the structure’s validity. The feedback will be used to review the logic model and program evaluation plans, in addition to the development of a quarterly information feedback process that program staff can use to review their progress, maintain good processes and outcomes, and strengthen their programs.

5:00 p.m.  Day 1 End

5:00 p.m.  Networking - ARI sites and Partners
Library area in hotel lobby - Inside the Chateau
Join us to network - appetizers and cash bar

6:00 p.m.  Dinner & Continued Networking
Tony Roma’s Restaurant – Inside the Chateau
Food and drinks available at own cost

THURSDAY, MAY 18, 2017
7:30 a.m.  Registration & Breakfast

8:30 a.m.  Welcome and Opening Remarks
Adult Redeploy Illinois staff
Jason Chambers, McLean County State’s Attorney, ARI Oversight Board Member
John Maki, Executive Director, ICJIA, ARI Oversight Board Member

9:00 a.m.  Adult Redeploy Illinois Site Updates – Block #3
ARI Staff and 7 sites

10:15 a.m.  Break

10:30 a.m.  Navigating Criminal Records Relief in Illinois
Esther Franco-Payne, Executive Director, Cabrini Green Legal Aid (CGLA)
Beth Johnson, Director of Legal Programs, CGLA
This presentation provides ARI sites and stakeholders an overview of ways an individual can remove the barriers imposed by arrest and conviction records. As a complement to ARI’s goal of providing alternatives to incarceration and reducing crime in the State of Illinois, having knowledge of ways to navigate criminal records relief enables ARI staff to assist their clients in removing obstacles to stable housing, meaningful employment and educational opportunities. The presentation will not only support the individual clients engaged in programs, but aid ARI sites in achieving performance measurement indicators related to employment rates and recidivism.

12:00 p.m. Lunch on own – Area Restaurants

1:30 p.m. Policy and Public Opinion: The Impact of ARI on Criminal Justice Reform in Illinois
Moderator: Brian Mackey, Statehouse Reporter, NPR Illinois
Judge Elizabeth Robb (Ret.)
Joseph P. Bruscato, Winnebago County State’s Attorney
Tonya Veenstra, Will County ARI Program Graduate, Moraine Valley Community College Student
This conversation will focus on criminal justice reform in Illinois, including current measures of public opinion on the issue and the ways that ARI has a policy voice (including around expansion of eligibility for diversion programs). The panelists will offer their perspectives and the audience will be invited to share their local experiences.

2:45 p.m. Summary Remarks on the Summit
Judge James Radcliffe (Ret.), ARI Oversight Board Member

3:00 p.m. ARI Site Workshop: ARI Grants, Budget and the Grants Accountability and Transparency Act
ARI and ICJIA Staff
This session will cover a variety of topics to help grantees better understand the ICJIA grant review process. ICJIA team members will provide a breakdown of ARI-related roles and responsibilities. Other topics discussed that impact the grant review process include the State budget, GATA, Risk Assessments, Indirect Costs, Cost Allowability, Subcontracting, and Timekeeping documentation. Presenters include staff from ICJIA’s ARI, Legal, and Grant units.

4:15 p.m. Day 2 End

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