



**DRUG ABUSE RESISTANCE EDUCATION**  
ALASKA STATE D.A.R.E. COORDINATOR

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Dear Youth Safety In-Service Attendees,

I am pleased to announce the 2012 Youth Safety In-Service, formerly the Alaska D.A.R.E. Officers In-Service, training conference, held at the Clarion Suites in Anchorage on February 9 and February 10. For the last 2 years, we opened up registration to attendees who were interested in Youth Safety and received a great deal of positive feedback. One of the Principals indicated that this training and information was critical to school district personnel. I encourage you to forward this registration packet to others that you know who are working with youth or interested in Youth Safety.

The agenda will include National speakers:

- ❖ Richard Guerry, discussing responsible on-line and cell phone communications.
- ❖ Les Kjemhus, discussing marijuana trends and techniques which will include medical marijuana and legalization issues.
- ❖ The Alaska Crime Lab will present on drug trends in Alaska and the crime lab.
- ❖ Sergeant Kathy Lacey & Special Agent Jolene Goeden, discussing sex trafficking in Alaska.
- ❖ Joe Deedon, discussing active shooter and school emergency scenarios.

Please check the website at [www.darealaska.com](http://www.darealaska.com) as I will add information about speakers and their workshop as I obtain it.

Following the success of last two years, we are offering the opportunity for D.A.R.E. Officers who have not taught within the last two years and/or have allowed their certification to lapse, to recertify during the Youth Safety In-Service. Please contact the D.A.R.E. office for further information and to sign up for recertification.

*As with previous years*, we will be kicking off the training conference with a reception, at the FOAST Museum on February 8 at 5:30pm. Everyone registered for the conference is welcome to attend the reception. Each year we have raffles at the reception, raffling off items from our vendors and other donations. This year we are pleased to announce that one of the items being raffled is FOAST is a Lorcin Model L25, .25 auto pistol complete with the original box. FOAST is located at 245 West 5th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska (underneath the 5th Avenue parking garage).

**D.A.R.E. Officers Only:** D.A.R.E. Alaska will provide a limited number of rooms for the nights of 8- 9 for those officers from out of town (double occupancy) who register by **January 26.**

Hotel reservations for D.A.R.E. Officers are made using the registration form. Do not contact the hotel directly unless you wish to pay for your room yourself, if so please contact this office for a group number. The group room rate is **\$95/night** plus tax. The hotel has agreed to extend the group rate for 3 days prior to and following the conference. Individual officers will be responsible for any extra days before or after the conference. Room rates are guaranteed for reservations made prior to January 26 only. After January 26, the group rate will be on space available basis. D.A.R.E. will provide per diem for officers staying at the hotel on the D.A.R.E. registration lists. Travel to and from the conference is the responsibility of the officer and his/her department. VPSOs should contact the D.A.R.E. office for travel arrangements. All D.A.R.E. Officers attending will receive \$100 in DARE Bucks that they can spend with the merchandise vendors on site at the conference. These DARE Bucks are being generously donated by D.A.R.E. Alaska, Inc. to help support local D.A.R.E. programs.

**All Other Attendees:** The group room rate is \$95/night plus tax. The hotel has agreed to extend the group rate for 3 days prior to and following the conference. Room rates are guaranteed for reservations made prior to January 26 only. After January 26, the group rate will be on space available basis.

Lunch will be catered on February 9 sponsored by D.A.R.E. Alaska, Inc and February 10 sponsored by ADOA.

Conference fees will be \$100 if registration and fee is received by **January 26**. After January 26, the fee will be \$125. A full refund will be made to any individual who must cancel if the individual notifies the D.A.R.E. Coordinator's office by January 26. No refunds will be made after January 26.

**DATES TO REMEMBER:**

<b>January 26</b>	<b>Registration deadline to qualify for room Last day, group room rate guaranteed Last day for \$100 registration fee Last day for full refund</b>
<b>January 27</b>	<b>Registration fee goes up to \$125</b>
<b>February 8</b>	<b>D.A.R.E. Officer Reception</b>
<b>February 9-10</b>	<b>In-Service Training Conference</b>

Sincerely,



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**YOUTH SAFETY IN-SERVICE TRAINING**  
Sponsored by ADOA and D.A.R.E. Alaska, Inc.  
Clarion Suites  
February 9 - 10, 2012

**Wednesday 2/8**

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**5:30 - 7:00 PM** Conference Reception  
FOAST State Trooper Museum  
245 West 5th Avenue, Anchorage, Alaska- (underneath the 5th Avenue parking garage)

**Thursday 2/9**      **Session 1**

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7:30 Registration / Check-in

8:15 - 8:30 Welcome and Introductions  
Vic Aye, Alaska State Troopers, ADOA President  
Naomi Sweetman, State Program Coordinator

8:30 - 9:30 D.A.R.E. America Up-date  
Scott Gilliam, Director of Training

9:30 - 11:30 The Course to Digital Consciousness  
Richard Guerry, Executive Director, IROC2

11:30 - 1:00 ***Lunch with D.A.R.E. Alaska, Inc. Board of Directors***  
KEYNOTE: TBA

1:00 - 5:00 Why Marijuana Could be the Most Dangerous Drug in America  
Les Kjemus, Royal Canadian Mounted Police (Retired)

**Friday 2/10**

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8:00 - 10:00 Drug trends in Alaska  
Alaska Crime Lab

10:00 - 12:00 Sex Trafficking in Alaska  
Sgt. Kathy Lacey, Anchorage Police Department  
SA Jolene Goeden, FBI

12:00 - 1:30 ***Lunch with Alaska Association of DARE Officers (ADOA)***  
ADOA General Meeting - Elections

1:30 - 4:30 The Evolution of the Active Shooter & Critical Incidents: Lessons Learned Three  
Critical Incidents Later  
Joe Deedon, TAC\*ONE Consulting

4:30 - 4:45 Closing Remarks - Feedback

# Youth Safety In-Service Training

## Sponsored By:

ADOA, D.A.R.E. Alaska, Inc. & State D.A.R.E. Coordinators Office

Clarion Suites

1110 W. 8th Avenue

February 9 to 10, 2012

NAME:

DEPARTMENT/SCHOOL DISTRICT:

JOB TITLE:

ADDRESS:

PHONE:  EMAIL:

*While at work, I perform the duties of (check all that apply):*

SRO:  DARE Officer:  Teacher:  Security Guard:  Principal:

Other (Please list):

*Conference Registration Fee:*

ON-TIME PAYMENT (before 1/26/12) \$100.00

ONE DAY PAYMENT (indicate which day) \$50.00

Thursday, Feb 9  Friday, Feb 10

LATE PAYMENT (after 1/27/12) \$125.00

*Will you be staying at the Clarion Suites?*

Yes  No

**If you are a Certified Alaska D.A.R.E. Officer, D.A.R.E. will be providing shared lodging at the Coast International Inn for those who are coming in from outside of the Anchorage area. Please do not contact the hotel directly and indicate your arrival and departure dates:**

Date/Time of Arrival:  Departure:

For all other attendees, if you indicated that you would be staying at the hotel, you can book your reservations directly with the hotel by calling in Alaska 1-907-929-6461, speak to Evelyn Antonio directly and indicate that you are with the DARE event.

Please return your registration form, along with a check or money order for the registration fee to:

*Youth Safety In-Service Training  
4500 W. 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Anchorage, AK 99502*

(Payment should be made to: Alaska D.A.R.E. Officers Association)