

**MARQUETTE REGIONAL FORUM ON SCHOOL-JUSTICE PARTNERSHIPS**  
**Holiday Inn**  
**Wednesday, May 28, 2014**  
**Agenda**

<b>8:00 – 8:45 AM</b>	<b>Registration and Continental Breakfast</b>	<b>Lobby and Lake/Ridge/Timber</b>
<b>9:00 – 9:15 AM</b>	<b>Introduction by Master of Ceremonies</b> <i>Douglas S. York, Director, Business Service Center 1, Michigan Department of Human Services</i> <b>Welcome</b> <i>Dave Nyberg, Director, Northern Michigan Office, Executive Office of Governor Rick Snyder</i>	<b>Lake/Ridge/Timber</b>
<b>9:15 – 10:30 AM</b>	<b>Plenary I: Making Measurement Meaningful</b> <i>Richard Dolinski, Founder and President Emeritus of The Legacy Center for Community Success</i>  <p>Outcomes-based measurements are crucial in determining whether and to what extent programs are effective. This presentation outlines the key elements of meaningful measurement and demonstrates how data analysis can be used to uncover “best practices.” A template is provided to gather relevant information statewide about school attendance and completions to identify School-Justice Partnership improvement opportunities.</p>	<b>Lake/Ridge/Timber</b>
<b>10:30 – 10:45 AM</b>	<b>Break</b>	
<b>10:45 – 12:00 PM</b>	<b>Workshops:</b>  <b>A. Building Relationships, Preventing Suspensions, Reducing Conflict and Restoring Community in School Settings</b> <i>Linda Glover, Executive Director, Resolution Services Center of Central Michigan (RSCCM)</i>  <p>What have we done? What are we doing? What else needs to be done? Resolution Services Center of Central Michigan has collaborated with schools in the greater Lansing area since 2005 to address discipline issues and reduce suspensions. By demonstrating how we've used Restorative Practices in school systems to build and heal relationships, this session plans to actively engage participants in discussing what works effectively and how to expand its use more broadly. Hear and see how it works from various perspectives.</p>	<b>Iron</b>
	<b>B. Mental Health Matters</b> <i>Lauren Kazee, LMSW, Mental Health Consultant, Michigan Department of Education, Michigan Department of Community Health</i>  <p>Participants of this workshop will better understand the link between truancy, suspension and delinquency to the unmet mental health needs of children and youth and learn ways to address those needs. Mental health does matter in developing and implementing county team plans. Collaboration with mental health partners is a vital component to addressing individual and system needs.</p>	<b>Copper</b>
	<b>C. Model County Team Plan – Houghton, Baraga and Keweenaw Counties</b> <i>Brittany Bulleit, Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Houghton County</i> <i>Bill Green, Truant Officer, Copper Country Intermediate School District</i> <i>Dennis Harbour, Superintendent, Copper Country Intermediate School District</i> <i>Honorable Fraser Strome, Houghton County Probate/Family Court Judge</i>  <p>During this workshop, participants will learn about their regional neighbors' County Team Action Plans. Presenters will discuss the key components of plans, best practices, current team projects, next steps and activities as well as their collaborative efforts to reduce the school-to-prison pipeline.</p>	<b>Lake/Ridge/Timber</b>
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	<p><b>D. Lessons Learned From A Community School – Signals For Success</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Lounge</b></span>  <b>MaryAnn Prisichenko</b>, <i>Educational Consultant, Signals For Success LLC</i></p> <p>Participants will begin the journey of how to develop a Community School to break down the barriers which create the School-to-Prison Pipeline. Creative financing for school projects and student needs will be addressed as well as systems you can put into place tomorrow to organize your team for success.</p>
<b>12:00 – 1:00 PM</b>	<p><b>Lunch</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Lake/Ridge/Timber</b></span></p>
<b>1:00 – 1:45 PM</b>	<p><b>Plenary II: MDE Efforts: Attendance, Engagement and Discipline</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Lake/Ridge/Timber</b></span>  <b>Bob Higgins</b>, <i>S3 Project Director, Coordinated School Health and Safety Programs, Michigan Department of Education</i></p> <p>This plenary will review the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) and the State Board of Education’s (SBE) efforts to encourage schools to take a close look at the use of suspension and expulsion, methods of discipline, student connectedness and academic achievement. There will also be an overview of the proposed SBE Model Code of Student Conduct. The session will conclude with some discussion of data collection at the state level.</p>
<b>1:45 – 2:15 PM</b>	<p><b>Plenary III: Proposed Legislation – Definition of Truancy and Zero Tolerance Laws</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Lake/Ridge/Timber</b></span>  <b>Honorable Dorene S. Allen</b>, <i>Midland County Probate and Family Court Judge; Chair, Michigan School-Justice Partnership; Chair, Michigan Committee on Juvenile Justice</i>  <b>Angela Cole</b>, <i>Director, Michigan School-Justice Partnership</i></p> <p>During this plenary, proposed legislation addressing the definition of truancy and Zero Tolerance Laws will be reviewed. Participants will be asked to submit feedback, and there will be time for questions.</p>
<b>2:15 – 2:30 PM</b>	<p><b>Break</b></p>
<b>2:30 – 3:30 PM</b>	<p><b>County Team Meeting and Planning Session</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Rooms to be Announced</b></span>  <b>Honorable Dorene S. Allen</b>, <i>Midland County Probate and Family Court Judge; Chair, Michigan School-Justice Partnership; Chair, Michigan Committee on Juvenile Justice</i>  <b>Angela Cole</b>, <i>Director, Michigan School-Justice Partnership</i>  <b>Richard Dolinski</b>, <i>Founder and President Emeritus of The Legacy Center for Community Success</i>  <b>Bob Higgins</b>, <i>S3 Project Director, Coordinated School Health and Safety Programs, Michigan Department of Education</i>  <b>Jean M. Ingersoll</b>, <i>J.D., Assistant Administrator to the Chief Deputy Director, Michigan Department of Human Services</i>  <b>Herman McCall</b>, <i>Director, Juvenile Justice Programs, Michigan Department of Human Services</i>  <b>Frank E. Vandervort</b>, <i>Clinical Professor of Law, University of Michigan</i></p> <p>During this session, counties will meet in teams to discuss progress with their plans. Technical assistance will be available from Core Review Team staff to assist counties in crafting or refining their action plans. This is a perfect opportunity for counties new to this initiative to begin developing an action plan for reducing the school to prison pipeline.</p>
<b>3:30 – 4:00 PM</b>	<p><b>Next Steps, Special Announcement and Closing Remarks</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Lake/Ridge/Timber</b></span>  <b>Honorable Dorene S. Allen</b>, <i>Midland County Probate and Family Court Judge; Chair, Michigan School-Justice Partnership; Chair, Michigan Committee on Juvenile Justice</i></p>