# COMBATING ELDER ABUSE

# Comprehensive strategies for law enforcement, prosecutors, and victim service providers

A conference to give law enforcement and prosecutors the tools they need to successfully investigate and prosecute an elder abuse case, while giving victim service providers insight into undue influence and the legal tools available to assist elderly victims.

Friday, November 5, 2004 \* 9 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

The Chancellor Hotel and Convention Center \* 1501 N. Neil Street \* Champaign, Illinois Registration begins at 8:15 a.m. \* Lunch will be provided.

### Welcome addresses presented by:

Lori G. Levin, ICJIA executive director John Piland, Champaign County state's attorney Charles Johnson, director, Illinois Department on Aging

## Featuring nationally recognized elder abuse experts:

#### BENNETT BLUM, M.D.

A physician specializing in forensic and geriatric psychiatry, will present "The New International Model for Understanding and Evaluating Competency".

#### DAN SHERIDAN, Ph.D.

An associate professor and forensic clinical nurse specialist at John Hopkins University, will present "Wound Identification and Documentation".

### Also featuring:

- \* Kerry Peck of Peck, Bloom, Austriaco & Mitchell \*
- \* Augusta Clarke, DuPage County State's Attorney's Office \*
  - \* Len Cleary, St. Clair County State's Attorney's Office \*
- \* Mary Killough, Cook County State's Attorney's Office \*
  - \* Scott Larson, KaneCounty State's Attorney's Office \*
- \* Donna Ginther, American Association of Retired Persons \*
- \* Chief David Bradford, Glen Carbon Police Department \*
  - \* David Mitchell, Shawnee Alliance for Seniors \*
    - \* Jim Andriakos, Illinois State Police \*
  - \* Det. James Loftus, Chicago Police Department \*
- \* Edward Carter & Ken Chval, Illinois Attorney General's Office \*

### **Topics include:**

- \* Working Together: Prosecution, Law Enforcement, and Victim Services \* Undue Influence \*
- \* Investigating and Prosecuting a Stolen House Case \* Consumer Issues and the Elderly \*
- \* Domestic Violence and the Elderly Victim \* Investigating and Prosecuting an Abuse of Power of Attorney Case \*

  \* Using New Trends in the Law to Your Advantage \*

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# REGISTRATION FORM Please respond by October 15. This event is free, but space is limited. Reserve your place today. Complete this form and

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To cancel or to notify the Authority of any special needs you may have, please contact Megan Starsiak: E-mail: mstarsiak@icjia.state.il.us \* Phone: 312/793.8952 \* Fax: 312/793.8422

All participants will receive a free educational video, "Elder and Physical Abuse: The medical piece."

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