

GEORGIA PARENT ATTORNEY CONFERENCE
Marriot Century Center
Atlanta, Georgia
May 8th -9th, 2007

Sponsored by:
Supreme Court Committee on Justice for Children
Youth & Family Justice Division, GPDSC

Tuesday, May 8, 2007

12:30-1:00 Registration

1:00 – 1:10 Opening Remarks

1:10 – 1:45 Keynote
Justice Carol Hunstein

1:45 – 2:45 "What is the Role of the Child Welfare System-Does it Really Operate on a Best Interest Standard?"

2:45 – 3:00 Break

3:00 – 4:30 Case Law Update

Wednesday, May 9, 2007

8:15 – 8:45 Check-in and Continental Breakfast

8:45 – 9:00 Just Georgia

9:00 – 10:00 Georgia's Responsibility to Foster Children

10:00 – 11:00 Ethics & Standards of Practice for Parent Attorneys

11:15 – 12:15 Breakout Sessions:

- 1. Hourly rates are not going up! How to increase your revenue anyway!
Tools that you can use to lower your overhead and increase your*

- efficiency*
2. *Permanency and Review Hearings*

12:30 -1:30 Luncheon and Appeals Discussion

1:30 – 2:30 Breakout Sessions

1. *Fighting TPR*
2. *Services and Resources for Families and Children*

2:30 – 4:30 How to Find Your Superman Cape: Putting the Family Back Together