## New Directions in Violence Prevention

# Tuesday May 12, 2015

8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Keith Auditorium CURRY COLLEGE Milton Campus

#### About the conference

This interdisciplinary conference features innovators in the field of violence prevention: from those who work to reduce risk factors of violence with young children, to violence prevention in schools, to criminal justice system interventions designed to make communities safer.



Keynote Speaker: Dr. Jeremy Richman, Ph.D., CEO, Avielle Foundation

#### **Scheduled Speakers**

**Dr. Jeremy Richman, Ph.D., CEO, Avielle Foundation** "The Science of Violence and Compassion"

Daniel Conley, District Attorney, Suffolk County "Reducing Gun Violence"

#### Malcolm Astley, Co-Founder, Lauren Dunne Astley Memorial Fund

"Preventing Teen Dating Violence Through Education: Liberating Boys and Men by Looking Under the Anger"

### Courtney Cahill, Assistant District Attorney, Bristol County

"Violence Prevention through the New Massachusetts Domestic Violence Laws"

Clementina 'Tina' Chéry, Louis D. Brown Peace Institute "Peace is Possible"

#### Daniel Linskey, The Linskey Group

"Restarting the Community-Police Dialogue Post Ferguson"

Kathy Hassey, M.Ed, BSN, BA, RN, Director of the School Health Institute, Northeastern University "School Nurses as a Safety Net for Violence Prevention"

#### Fiona Jensen and Adria Kennedy, Calmer Choice

"Mindfulness and Violence Prevention"

#### Dr. Ann Leonard-Zabel, Curry College

"Hijacked Brain-Adolescent Addiction: Assessment, Diagnosis and Intervention"

Superintendent Robert Merner, Boston Police Department "Community Violence Prevention Strategies"

#### **Conference Facilitators**

**Dr. Jennifer Balboni**, Associate Professor and Co-Director of the Master of Arts in Criminal Justice Program, Curry College

Dr. Stephanie Cappadona, Assistant Professor, Curry College

#### **Sponsors**

Curry College's Master of Arts in Criminal Justice Program, in collaboration with Grandmothers Against Gun Violence, Cape Cod

#### **Registration**

Register online. Conference registration/admission is \$30, inclusive of Continental breakfast and lunch.

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