



2nd Annual
FOCUS FAIR
"Putting the Pieces Together"



August 6, 2006

Dear Educator,

The Chicago Area AD/HD Information Network (CHAAIN) in conjunction with the national Attention Deficit Disorder Association (ADDA) is sponsoring the second annual Chicago Area ADHD Awareness Day Focus Fair on **Saturday, September 16th, 2006** from 8:00 am – 4:30 pm at Wheaton College in Wheaton Illinois. We invite you to join us for this informative one-day conference, *"AD/HD: Putting the Pieces Together"*, offered at no charge to educators.

CHAAIN and ADDA understand the importance of including educators in the AD/HD management and treatment plan. To that end, we will present a local educator with a special award in recognition of their dedication to students with attention and learning deficits. Continuing Professional Development Units (CPDUs) will be offered to all educators holding Illinois teaching certificates at no charge.

In addition to general interest workshops, such as *"AD/HD Basics"*, we are offering several sessions designed especially for educators. Chris Ziegler Dendy, acclaimed author and speaker on AD/HD issues, will present ***"Understanding the Impact of ADHD and Executive Function Deficits on Learning"***. This 2-part session will examine Executive Function and provide strategies to address common learning problems including memory deficits. Other sessions of particular interest to educators include AD/HD and the law, a teen/young adult panel; and AD/HD and co-existing conditions.

For more information and registration, go to www.add.org. As a fellow educator, I hope to count you among the attendees at the Chicago Area 2006 AD/HD Focus Fair celebrating National AD/HD Awareness Day! I look forward to seeing on September 16th.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Evelyn P. Green". The signature is written in a cursive style.

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