



**CATHOLIC LEGAL IMMIGRATION NETWORK, INC. (CLINIC)**

*Presents:*

**SELECTED ISSUES IN FAMILY-BASED IMMIGRATION and PRESENTATION BY NATIONAL BENEFITS CENTER STAFF**

**Location:**

Visitation Parish Date: April 17- 18, 2007,

5141 Main St, Kansas City, MO (816) 753 7422

Parking is available on site on the northeast corner of 51<sup>st</sup> Terrace and Main. To read more about the conference site, visit the parish website at [www.visitation.org](http://www.visitation.org).

**Cost:**

\$205/CLINIC affiliate staff; \$615/cap per office (If more than 3 staff members attending, add \$50 materials fee for each additional attendee)

\$230/other nonprofit organizations; \$690/cap per office (If more than 3 staff members attending, add \$50 materials fee for each additional attendee)

\$370/private attorney & staff

Note: The registration fee includes continental breakfast each day.

This two-day training will review selected issues in family-based immigration law, including establishing qualifying relationships for family-based petitions, inadmissibility grounds and waivers, adjustment and consular processing procedures, new affidavit of support regulations, and ethics. On April 18, supervisory staff from the National Benefits Center will do a presentation about Service Center policies and procedures, including a question and answer session with training participants. The trainers for this program are CLINIC attorneys Susan Schreiber of Chicago and Jennie Guilfoyle of New York, and attorney Suzanne Gladney of Legal Aid of Western Missouri.

This training is for staff of Catholic Charities programs and other community-based organizations with IRS 501(c)(3) nonprofit status, and attorneys and their staff in private practice. *You may register for this program by Monday, April 9, 2007, by faxing a copy of your registration form to Susan Schreiber at (312) 559-9209, and then mailing the registration form with your check payable to CLINIC.* All participants will receive a confirmation of registration. For more information, call Susan Schreiber at (312) 612-6712.

**Mail your registration with payment to:**

**Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc., c/o Catholic Charities Immigration Program, 651 W. Lake, Chicago, IL 60661**

## *Summary Agenda*

### *Tuesday, April 17*

- 8:30 – 8:30: Registration, Coffee
- 9:00 – 9:30: Introductions, Review of Agenda
- 9:30- 12:30: Special Issues in Family-Based Petitions
  - (a) Establishing a Qualifying Parent/Child Relationship
  - (b) Establishing a Qualifying Spousal Relationship
  - (c) Petition Revocation and Reinstatement
  - (d) Child Status Protection Act
- 12:30-1:45: Lunch
- 1:45 - 2:45: Update on Affidavits of Support
- 2:45 – 3:15: Inadmissibility based on fraud, false claim to USC status
- 3:15 – 3:30: Break
- 3:30 – 5:00: Unlawful presence and waivers; permanent bar; reinstatement of removal

### *Wednesday, April 18*

- 8:30 – 9:00: Coffee
- 9:00 - 10:15: Adjustment of Status: Problems and Procedures
  - (a) Eligibility for adjustment under INA Sections 245(a) and (c), and 245(i)
  - (b) Completing the I-485 and filing procedures
  - (c) Proving lawful entry for 245(a); proving filing by 4/30/01 for 245(i); establishing physical presence for 245(i) where necessary
  - (d) Answering questions about inadmissibility on the I-485
  - (e) Jurisdictional issues
- 10:15 – 10:30: Break
- 10:30- 11:45: Consular Processing: Problems and Procedures
  - (a) Role of National Visa Center
  - (b) Consular Procedures
  - (c) Consular processing of derivatives after principal has adjusted status
  - (d) Review of adverse consular determinations
  - (e) Meeting the one year requirement
- 11:45- 12:15: I-130 Petitions and Risk of Enforcement
- 12:15-1:30: Lunch
- 1:30- 3:30: Presentation by NBC staff
- 3:30 – 3:45: Break
- 3:45 – 4:45: Ethical Issues in Family-Based Immigration
- 4:45: Evaluations, Certificates of Completion

### **Lodging Information**

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Holiday Inn at the Plaza, located at One East 45<sup>th</sup> St., less than one mile from the conference site. Limited hotel shuttle service is

available, and public bus transportation running along Main St will also take you from the hotel to Visitation Parish. The hotel rate available for conference attendees is \$85.00 single or double occupancy, and reservations must be made by April 6 to qualify for this rate. To make reservations, call 816-753-7400 and ask for the CLINIC conference rate.

For other hotel options, you may wish to try travel websites including expedia.com, travelocity.com, hotels.com and priceline.com

### **Transportation from the Airport**

The Kansas City airport is located about 20 miles away from the downtown area. Shuttle transportation to the Holiday Inn and other area hotels is available through KCI Shuttle at a cost of \$29.00 round trip or \$17.00 one-way. You can contact the shuttle service at 800-243-6383 or just go to the shuttle service desk in the baggage claim area.

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## **TRAINING REGISTRATION FORM**

***SIGN ME UP FOR: FAMILY-BASED IMMIGRATION*** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Enclosed :** \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE TELL US ABOUT YOUR WORK: I AM A LAWYER**\_\_\_\_ **LEGAL WORKER**\_\_\_\_ **OTHER (PLEASE DESCRIBE)**

**YEARS OF EXPERIENCE:** 0-1\_\_\_\_ 1-3\_\_\_\_ 3-5\_\_\_\_ 5 or more \_\_\_\_\_

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**HOW DID YOU LEARN ABOUT THIS TRAINING?**

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