

CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

April is National Child Abuse **Prevention Month**

Check out all of the great things happening in April!



3rd Annual Charity Wine

Dinner

Each April the York CAC hosts a charity wine dinner with a delicious butlered meal and wine pairing. At the event we will honor the recipient of our Annual Hero for Kids Award which recognizes an individual who has made a significant difference in the field of child abuse

investigations, child protection, or the care and treatment of children who have experienced trauma. Proceeds from the event support the programs of the Children's Advocacy Center.

April 26th, 2019

Heritage Hills: 2700 Mount Rose Ave, York, PA 17402

Cost: \$125.00/Per Person Contact Cheryl Linger (clinger@yorkcac.org or 717-718-4253) or Megan Somerville (msomerville@qualitydot.com or 717-741-4894) for more information. Click here to purchase your tickets!





CAC Annual MDIT Training

This training is for all disciplines involved in child abuse investigations and the advocacy, care and support of child abuse victims and their caregivers. The training is titled "Sex Offenders: Responding to Crimes Against Children" and is presented by Cory Jewell Jensen, M.S.

April 04/26/2019 8:00 am - 4:30 pm Church of the Open Door: 8 Carlisle Court, York, PA 17408

Click here to Register

New Website

The CAC has redesigned our website! Please check it out our new look and bookmake the page so you can stay up to date on all of our events throughout the year! Click here



Look Who's Been Working Their Tails Off!

The CAC has recieved nominations for two great team members to recieve this month's "Working Your Tail Off" Award. Carol Shafer, Intake Coordinator at the CAC, and Debbie Nandor-Levin, SANE Nurse at Wellspan.

Congratulations to both of them! They both have gone above and beyond on a regular basis, but especially in the recent months.

Since starting at the CAC, Carol has recieved a flood of referrals (over 100 per month!) all while still trying to learn the all of the nuances of her new postion. Yet despite the stress that she was feeling, she was always kind to families and laughing with coworkers.

We have been so greatful to have Debbie as a team members all of these years. She treats everyone with the highest level of respect and care. Recently, Debbie agreed to stay late and meet with a child who was not scheduled to have an exam. She stayed much later than she planned to despite the fact she had personal plans to travel out of town later that day.

More about Carol and Debbie:

Where are you from:

C: I am from York (lived here forever)

D: I was born in Columbus, Ohio. My father was in the Air Force, so a move every two to three years while growing up was the norm. My husband and I moved to York from San Diego, California (where we were stationed in the Navy) thirty years ago.

What is your favorite snack:

- C: Chips and Salsa
- D: Haagen Dazs vanilla ice cream.

What would someone be surprised to know about you?

C:I love to do nature photography

D: I have been a nurse for 45 years! If I had not chosen the nursing profession, I would have been a professional dancer, singer

How long have you worked in your respective field?

C: I have been here since January of this year and prior to that I worked at a district court for 5 years

D:Again, 45 years this June!

What do you like most about working with the investigative team?

C: The fact that everyone truly is a team and works together so well

D: The collaborative environment - everyone shares the same goal and is dedicated to the mission of caring for and protecting our most vulnerable population, our children. On a personal level, I have gained much knowledge, insight and perspective from each and every team member such professionalism, diligence, commitment and passion for the work and care we provide.

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