

## “Scams / Elder Abuse Services / Conservatorship ”

This year’s Elder Abuse Conference focuses on the overview of Adult Protective Services.

The participants in this training will develop a broader understanding of how to report elder abuse; the charges of those who commit elder abuse; Victim Witness Services; Long-Term Care Ombudsman; APS; Homesafe; LPS/Public Guardian/Public Conservator; and Scams that impact our seniors.

### Speakers include:

#### **Kern County District Attorney’s Office:**

Cynthia Zimmer, Kern County District Attorney  
Leslie Devitt, Kern County Victim Witness Services

#### **Kern County Sheriff’s Department:**

Donny Youngblood, Kern County Sheriff

#### **Federal Bureau of Investigations:**

Holly Peacock-Hickey, Victim Witness Specialist  
Rylie Wallace, Staff Operations  
Jeremy Crider, Supervising Special Agent

#### **Adult Protective Services/Long-Term Care Ombudsman Panel:**

Colleen Philley, Program Director, Aging & Adult Services  
Devora Gonzalez, Director, Long-Term Care Ombudsman  
David Poole, Assistant Program Director, Aging & Adult Services  
Erik Jacobs, Supervisor, Adult Protective Services  
Jhoana Rojas, Supervisor, Adult Protective Services  
Melissa Gibson, Supervisor, Adult Protective Services  
Michelle Brown, Supervisor, Adult Protective Services

#### **Public Guardian/Public Conservatorship/County Counsel:**

Tricia Boaz, Supervising Deputy Conservator LPS  
Orlando Montoya, Supervising Deputy Conservator PG  
Kyle W. Holmes, Deputy County Counsel

# KERN COUNTY

## AGING & ADULT SERVICES



**KNOW ABUSE REPORT ABUSE**  
ELDER AND DEPENDENT ADULT ABUSE AWARENESS

## 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Kern County Elder Abuse Prevention Conference

Thursday, June 15, 2023  
8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Hodel’s Country Dining  
(Liberty Hall)  
Hwy 99 & Olive Drive  
5917 Knudsen Dr.  
Bakersfield, California

Presented by:

**Kern County Aging & Adult Services -  
Adult Protective Services (APS)**

**Kern County Commission on Aging**

**Kern Behavioral Health &  
Recovery Services**

**Kern County District Attorney’s Office**

## Who Should Attend?

All Social Service Agencies, Law Enforcement, District Attorneys, Medical Providers, Community Partners, Religious Leaders, Retirement Home and Care Facility Staff, and Other Service Organizations that work with Older Adults.

**PENDING APPROVAL:** Five (5) hours CA PA/PG/PC Association credits are **pending approval**. To register for these credits go to: [capagpc.org](http://capagpc.org).

**If course meets** the qualifications for 5 hours of continuing education credit for LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs, and LEPs as required by the California Board of Behavioral Sciences; KernBHRS is approved by CAMFT to sponsor continuing education for LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs and LEPs.

Early Conference Registration Fee is \$30.00 (includes continental breakfast, buffet luncheon, and afternoon snack). After June 1, 2023, registration will be \$40.

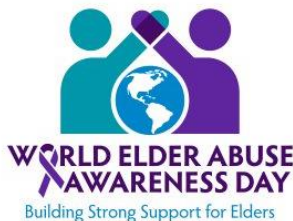
Registration Deadline:

June 9, 2023

Make checks payable to:

Kern County Aging and Adult Services Department

**NON REFUNDABLE - Substitutions Allowed**



**Space is limited** so register now. Early registration is \$30 through May 31, 2023, then \$40 through the **deadline of June 9, 2023**

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Registration includes continental breakfast, lunch and afternoon snack.

Make checks payable to:

**Kern County Aging and Adult Services Department.**

(credit cards not accepted)

Mail Registration Form and Payment to:

**Kern County**

**Aging & Adult Services Department**

**Attn: Laura Juarez**

**5357 Truxtun Avenue**

**Bakersfield, CA 93309**

### Individual Registration Form

Name:

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Agency:

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Address:

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Telephone Number:

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I need a certificate of attendance YES\_\_\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_\_

If registering for more than one individual, please contact Laura Juarez at (661) 868-1052 or via email: [juarezlau@kerncounty.com](mailto:juarezlau@kerncounty.com) to receive an Agency registration form.