

Middlesex Partnerships for Youth

In collaboration with the
Middlesex District Attorney's Office



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Annual School Attendance Summit

September 28, 2016

Chronic absenteeism impacts students all across the country and is prevalent among all student groups, according to new data from the U.S. Department of Education. Just two days absent each month of the school year can make an elementary student less likely to graduate high school.

At the annual School Attendance Summit, MPY will bring together key players from schools, law enforcement, the Department of Children and Families, and the court system to explore root causes of attendance problems and to make positive recommendations to combat chronic absenteeism.

This year's conference features Dr. Leah Kelly, the new Executive Director of Adolescent Consultation Service, the court clinic for Middlesex County.



Featured Speakers:

- Hon. Jay Blitzman, First Justice, Juvenile Court Department, Middlesex County
- Tim Carey, Probation Officer, Middlesex Juvenile Court
- Dr. Leah Kelly, Executive Director, Adolescent Consultation Services
- Tom Malone, Metro Regional Counsel, Department of Children and Families
- Rich Melillo, Director of Student Services, Somerville Public Schools

Wednesday, September 28

8:45 am to 2:30 pm

One Cranberry Hill

750 Marrett Road, Lexington

Free for MPY Members

\$50 for non-members

****MPY has applied for CEUs****

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