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The 26th
"I CARE"
Conference

**The Conference for Parental Involvement,
 Character Development,
 & Community Involvement**

PHASE II
CONFERENCE *at a glance*

**July 9-11,
 2008**
**Hyatt Regency
 Crystal City
 (Washington,
 D.C. Area)**

Day 1

- Parental Involvement & Character Development research & practices
- "I Care" Curriculum Model Components and research basis
- "I Care" Implementation processes, practices, & tools

Day 3

- New ways to incorporate character education in communities
- Character-building capacity in students, parents, schools, & communities
- Presentations from "I Care" school districts and communities

Day 2

- Accelerating, documenting, measuring, & evaluating Parental Involvement monthly
- Sample school district data



**Registration Deadline:
 June 17, 2008**

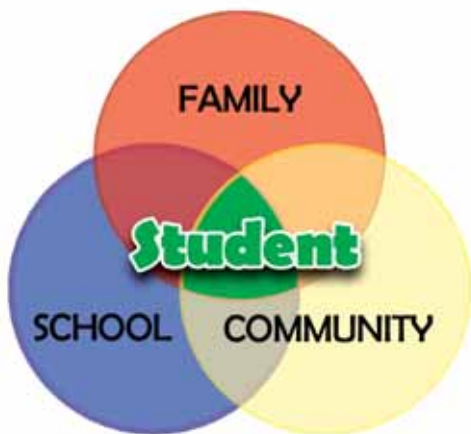
To Register: Call 1.800.797.5818 or go On-Line to www.icarenow.com

Session Topics (see session descriptions at www.icarenow.com)

- The Significant Difference “I Care” Can Make in the Home, School, and Community
- The Secrets to Effective School–Family Communication
- Making “I Care” Parental Involvement Stick
- How to Establish Communities and Cities of Character
- Becoming a Passionate Change Agent
- The Effectiveness of “I Care” with Diverse Populations
- Strategies for Involving Local Government, Business and Industry, Law Enforcement, Chambers of Commerce, and Community & Faith–Based Organizations

Introducing the New “I Care” Innovations. . .

Community Partnership Component



We now have Measurable **Student** Components for Home, School, and Community Involvement.

“I Care” Takes on Communities & Cities

Character Development through Parental Involvement



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Conference Facilitators

Elbert Solomon, Director of “I Care” Parental Involvement Programs, has facilitated “I Care” Conferences throughout the country. He is a parent, an award-winning educator, an author, a chemical engineer, and President of the I Care Now Foundation, Inc.

Dr. James Patrick is an educator and author, having served as a teacher, a coach, an Assistant Principal, a Principal, and Superintendent of Macon County, Alabama schools. Currently, he is a Professor of Education at Troy State University in Phenix City, Alabama and Columbus State University in Columbus, Georgia.

Martha Ray Dean is a former Education professor with 30 years of education experience in Connecticut, Virginia, Iowa, and Maryland. She has a B.A., M.Ed., and A.B.D.–Ph.D. Currently, she is an “I Care” Associate and “I Care” Curriculum Developer.

School-Based “I Care” Certified Facilitators who have successfully implemented “I Care” curricula in their schools, districts, and parishes. Facilitators are selected from a cross-section of states and cultures.

Dynamic Keynote Speakers who understand the benefits of parental involvement. and have successfully implemented “I Care” curricula.

“I Care” Associates and Staff

Eva Edmon—Customer Service

Phillip Harper, Jr.—Customer Service/IT Manager

Tracy Sibert—Customer Service

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“I Care” Certification

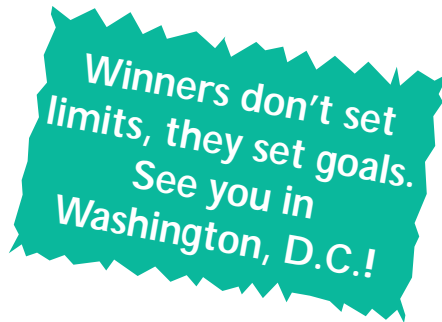
By attending this conference, you will complete Phase II of the train-the-trainer certification process. As a certified facilitator, you will have the tools for training administrators, teachers, parents, and the public within your school, district, and community in the “I Care” methodology. In addition to knowledge of the “I Care” Three-in-One Curriculum methodology, implementation processes, parental involvement assessment tools, strategies for teaching and incorporating character education into the school curriculum at home and in the community, alignment strategies, etc.; you’ll leave the conference with “talking points” on the dynamic impact “I Care” can have on the home, school, and community, and a passion for being one of the change agents who makes this happen.



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Conference Design

The *Phase II Certified Facilitator Conference* is designed to help “I Care” Certified Facilitators **Supercharge!** the implementation of “I Care” Parental Involvement & Mentoring Curricula. Attendees will have the option of selecting from a strand of sessions to meet their individual school implementation needs.



Five Good Reasons to Attend This Conference

1. Learn how to **Supercharge!** and master the “I Care” Family, School and Community components.
2. Gain a deeper understanding of the best teaching and learning strategies for the successful integration of “I Care” parental involvement into multiple schools in a district.
3. Examine the most effective school–tested “I Care” implementation practices that invigorate school administrators, teachers, parents, and students.
4. Engage in problem–solving roundtable discussions to address school alignment and implementation.
5. Discover how to use the combination of information technology, professional development, classroom resources, consulting services, and evaluation tools to increase parental involvement for each student, classroom, school, and school district.

Registration Information

Fee Information

Registration Fee for the *Phase II Certified Facilitator Training Conference* is **\$695.00**. Attendees will be provided with continental breakfast, lunch, refreshments, books, workbooks, manuals, and presentations.

Hotel Information

Hyatt Regency, Crystal City, Virginia (\$159/single or double per night plus 12.25% tax=\$178.47/single or double per night). Call *Hyatt Regency* at 703.418.1234 for information and to book rooms (Ask for a room in the “I Care” Block). There will be a free shuttle from the airport to the hotel (hotel is less than 10 minutes from airport).

Registration Deadline **June 17, 2008**

Hotel reservation requests received after this date are subject to rate and space availability.

Training Times

8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. Wednesday & Thursday
8:30 a.m.–11:45 a.m. Friday

Registration Form Phase II

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