

2025 SPRING CHILD SAFETY SUMMIT

Join us for a critical training day covering medical and legal responses to physical child abuse, maltreatment, and torture in New York State. This event is free to attend for medical professionals, law enforcement, social workers, educators, & legal professionals. Lunch will be provided.

Morning Session- Dr. Cindy Christian **Medical Response to Child Abuse & Maltreatment:**

Dr. Christian holds the Anthony A. Latini Chair in Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. She is a Professor of Pediatrics and Assistant Dean for Community Engagement at the Perelman School of Medicine. A leader in child abuse pediatrics, she advocates through medical care, policy, and education to protect vulnerable children

Afternoon Session- Shelley Hitzel, LMSW **Noah's Law- Addressing Physical Abuse and Child Torture in NYS**

Shelley is the Executive Director of the Child Advocacy Center of Niagara at Niagara Falls Memorial Medical Center. With over 15 years of experience in multidisciplinary child abuse response, she has coordinated over 1,300 cases. She also consults for The Institute on Trauma & Trauma-Informed Care, providing leadership training and coaching. Passionate about wellness, she empowers first responders and helping professionals through radical acceptance



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