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## **Intensive VAW Legal Training Workshop: Improving Access to Justice for Aboriginal Women**

November 19-22, 2012      9-4pm

*A free workshop, with lunch provided*

**November 19 & 20:**

**DESIGNED FOR FRONT LINE SOCIAL  
SERVICE WORKERS, MANAGERS &  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**

**LOCATION: WAHTA FIRST NATION**  
2664 MUSKOKA RD 38, BALA



**Days 1 and 2 include:**

- a spiritual and transformative workshop on the context of violence in Aboriginal families;
- an overview of family, criminal, social assistance and child welfare law and procedures to help you support the women you serve

**Speakers Include:**

- Laureen Pawis (Circle in the Box workshop)
- Lyndsay Jeans (Assistant Crown Attorney)
- Jo Anne Boulding (Executive Director, Lake Country Community Legal Clinic)

**November 21 & 22:**

**DESIGNED FOR MANAGERS AND  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**

**LOCATION: YWCA MUSKOKA**  
440 ECCLESTONE DRIVE, BRACEBRIDGE



**Days 3 and 4 will build on the first two days  
of training with local practitioners and  
experts helping to answer questions like:**

- How can I best support Aboriginal women as they navigate the social assistance or child welfare systems?
- What are the advantages and disadvantages of obtaining a peace bond or restraining order?

**Speakers Include:**

- Carrie Campbell (family lawyer and mediator)
- Susan Campbell (Community Legal Worker, Lake Country Community Legal Clinic)

**TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

**Call: YWCA MUSKOKA AT 705 645 9827**