Brown Bagger Luncheon:

Parental Abduction

Tuesday, March 17, 1992

Room 311

Speakers: Attorneys Dan Bray and Lori Klockau

Dan Bray and Lori Klockau will discuss the issue of parental abduction and its effects on children. Abducted children and those seeking refuge from abusive home situations are at an increased risk for physical health and mental health problems. They may also continue to be exposed to a neglectful or abusive parent.

In response to some of these concerns, the speakers have suggested the following:

1) All shelter care workers should be mandatory child abuse reporters
2) Abduction of children should be included as a category of child abuse
3) Domestic violence shelters should be licensed and inspected
4) Penalties should be increased for knowingly harboring or abetting in the abduction of children