Greetings Florida School Social Workers,

The Florida Association of School Social Workers’ (FASSW) Executive Board looks forward to presenting the 74th Annual State Conference October 6-8, 2021 at the beautiful DoubleTree By Hilton Orlando at SeaWorld Orlando, Florida.

The 2021 Conference theme is:

**“Moving Beyond Surviving To Thriving: Practical Interventions to Improve Your Practice”**

The FASSW Executive Board along with the Host Delegation from Orange County Public School District are working hard to provide relevant, thought provoking, vital and interesting keynote speakers and workshops to help improve your practice.

These are stressful times for students, parents, teachers, staff members, schools, administrators, school district and maybe even you. As we all know education delivery and School Social Work services have significantly changed as a result of Covid-19 and new or updated skills are needed to assist our students.

This year’s conference will focus on improving our clinical skills in the areas of: Mental Health, Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACES), Social Emotional Learning (SEL) and Implicit Bias. The objective of our conference is to provide up to date, research based information, strategies and interventions to enable us to better address the challenges our students, teachers, parents and school staff face.

Early Bird Registration for the 74th FASSW Annual State Conference will open May 25, 2021 – August 18, 2021 OR UNTIL SOLD OUT. Please note there are a limited amount of Early Bird Registrations available.

**Conference prices are:**

FASSW Members-----------$180.00

Non FASSW Members-----$250.00

Students-----------------------$150.00

Presenters--------------------$130.00

One Day Attendance-------$100.00

Friday Luncheon-------------$50.00

Early Bird Special-----------$130.00\*\*\*

**\*\*\* The Early Bird Special rate is ONLY available to those attendees whose Districts DO NOT pay for their registration. School Districts CANNOT utilize the Early Bird Special rate. Due to the limited amount of Early Bird registrations the Early Bird Special is NON-REFUNDABLE.**

DoubleTree’s FASSW Conference room rate is $129.00 per night plus tax. The Conference rate will be available up to 3 days before or after the Conference, contingent upon hotel capacity. The Conference room rate will be available May 3, 2021 – September 17, 2021.

The Executive Board is extremely excited about our upcoming Conference and we hope to see you in Orlando! Stay abreast of all conference information by visiting our website at: [www.FASSW.org](http://www.FASSW.org).

Excitedly,

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