

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PEDIATRICS
2009 RESIDENT ADVOCACY DAY
February 18, 2009
Washington., DC

Would you like to learn how to take your commitment to child health care advocacy to a higher level? The American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) has scheduled its next one-day Advocacy



Training for pediatric residents on **Wednesday, February 18, 2009 from 8:30am to 4:00pm in Washington, D.C.** Hosted by AAP's Department of Federal Affairs in Washington, DC, "Advocacy Day" has been part of the Academy's initiative to increase advocacy participation and skills among residents.

Advocacy Day participants receive a full morning of advocacy training, including learning basic skills and discussing one in-depth child health legislative issue. The afternoon is spent

meeting with congressional offices to present the issue and put new advocacy skills to use.

Space is extremely limited, and participation will be reserved on a first-come, first-serve basis.

There is no cost to attend Advocacy Day, and breakfast and lunch will be provided. We do ask that if you have already participated in Advocacy Day, you leave the spaces open for others who want the opportunity.

When RSVP'ing, please include the following information:

- Name
- Email Address
- Institution
- Mailing Address
- Daytime Phone Number

In addition, courtesy of the AAP Friends of Children Fund, this year, we are very fortunate to offer financial assistance to a select number of residents to cover the travel and housing costs to attend this training. To apply for one of these scholarships, RSVP for Advocacy Day or for more information about AAP's Resident Advocacy Day, please contact Kerry Turner, AAP Department of Federal Affairs, 202-724-3315, or kturner@aap.org today!