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DIRECTIONS TO SHARON BAPTIST CHURCH



From Central Philadelphia

- *Take the I-676 W/US-30 ramp to I-76/International Airport/Valley Forge
- *Merge onto I-676N/US-30W
- *Keep left at the fork, follow signs for I-76W/US-30W/Valley Forge and merge onto I-76W/US-30W
- *Take exit 341 for Montgomery Dr toward W River Dr
- *Turn left at Montgomery Dr
- *Turn right at Belmont Ave
- *Slight right at Monument Rd
- *Take the 2nd right onto Conshohocken Ave
- *Destination will be on the left

From Delaware

- *Take I-95 N entering Pennsylvania
- *Take exit 7 to merge onto I-476 N toward Plymouth/Meeting
- *Take exit 5 for US-1 toward Lima/Springfield (City Ave/Township Line Rd)
- *Turn right at Monument Rd (Channel 6 is on the corner and Target will be on the left)
- *Turn left at Conshohocken Ave (Sharon will be on the left just pass the Pathmark)

From New Jersey

- *Merge onto I-76 W
- *Take exit 341 for Montgomery Dr toward W River Dr
- *Turn left at Montgomery Dr
- *Turn right at Belmont Ave
- *Slight right at Monument Rd
- *Take the 2nd right onto Conshohocken Ave (Sharon will be on the left just pass the Pathmark)

Sources: Sharon Baptist Church and Google Maps

Alliance of
Black Social
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Philadelphia
Chapter of the
National
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Black Social
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**" THE BLACK
FAMILY:
GENERATIONS OF
STRENGTH "**



March 25, 2011

8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

**SHARON BAPTIST CHURCH
3955 CONSHOHOCKEN AVE
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19131**

Black Family Conference Purpose

The Alliance of Black Social Workers was developed out of concern that services provided to black families were oriented in a way that negated the strengths and resiliency that existed. In concert with that concern, ABSW hosted the first conference of the National Association of Black Social Workers. The conference theme was simply *The Black Family* in 1969.

This local conference of 2011 will revisit that theme as we explore the ways in which social service providers can draw upon those positive factors while addressing issues and problems that confront black families on a daily basis. One goal of the conference will be for participants to leave with ready-to-apply strategies and interventions that respect a legacy of strength and result in empowerment of those served.

Earl Bowen, Jr.

Conference Chairperson

Karen Solebo

ABSW President

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Black Family Conference Schedule

8:00 – 8:30 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00 – 9:10 a.m. Welcome Karen Solebo, MSW, LSW
ABSW President

Spiritual Awakening
Pouring of Libations

9:10 – 9:15 a.m. Greeting
State Senator Vincent Hughes

9:15 – 9:30 a.m. Overview of the Day

Earl Bowen, Jr., Conference Chair
Introduction of Panelists and Guest Speaker

9:30 – 10:45 a.m. Sankofa Panel of Past Presidents

Dr. Tawana Ford Sabbath
Dr. Thaddeus P. Mathis
Mrs. Julianne James, MSW

10:45 – 11:00 a.m. Break

11:00 – 11:45 a.m. Response by
Dr. Patricia Reid-Merritt

11:45 a.m. – 12 p.m. Questions and Answers

12 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch and Book Signing

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Workshops

A. Black Fatherhood: Of Necessity
B. Elder Watch
C. Black Womanhood

3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Reports

3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Conclusion and Closing

Black Family Conference Registration Form

First Name/Middle Initial/Last Name

Name of Agency/University (Students Only)

Street Address (residence or agency)

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Best Tel. Contact _____

Best Email Contact _____

Member of ABSW ___yes ___no

Workshop Preference 1st ___ 2nd ___ 3rd ___

CONFERENCE FEES

(includes Conference, Continental Breakfast, & Lunch)

	<u>Early Reg</u>	<u>On-Site</u>
*Member [CEU's included]	\$65__	\$75__
*Student Member [CEU's included]	\$40__	\$40__
Non-Member	\$85__	\$95__
Non- Student Member	\$40__	\$40__
CEU's	\$30__	\$30__

Chicken _____ Fish _____ Vegetarian _____
[chose one]

Total Fees (Make checks and money orders payable to ABSW, Inc.) \$ _____ **MAIL Form & Fees to:**
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*Membership Card, Student I.D, etc. required for proof of status at Registration.

REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.ABSWPHILA.ORG

EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS MARCH 18,2011