## **Conference Information**

When: 6:00 p.m. Mon., Jan. 23, 2012 through 1:00 p.m. Wed., Jan. 25, 2012

Where: Haven of Rest Ministries 175 East Market Street Akron, Ohio 44308 (see map) 330-535-1563 FAX: 330-535-8917

- Who: Staff who minister in learning centers, and the areas of education and job readiness for both men and women.
- Purpose: Continue developing a network for sharing information, ideas, encouragement, and successes with other AGRM education, employment and learning center teams across the country.
- Cost: \$130.00 per person

Includes all workshops, materials, and all meals except breakfast.

Transportation: Limited ground transportation is available. Contact L.J. Dalton for details.

Dress: Casual dress is recommended.

# Lodging

Attendees are responsible for making their own lodging reservations. Refer to the "VE Group Conference" to get special rates. Blocks of rooms at each hotel have been placed on hold through 12/31/11. Special rates are good after this date if rooms are still available.

#### **Comfort Inn - Akron South**

2873 S. Arlington Road, Akron 44312 I-77 and Arlington Road (Exit #120) 1-330-645-1100

Rates per night: Single room: \$59.99 plus tax 2 double beds: \$59.99 plus tax (Room rates include: continental breakfast, wireless Internet access, use of fitness room and Jacuzzi room)

### Red Roof Inn - Akron South

2939 S. Arlington Road, Akron 44312 I-77 and Arlington Road (Exit #120) 1-800-733-7663 (330-644-7748)

Rates per night: Single room: \$49.99 plus tax 2 double beds: \$49.99 plus tax (No continental breakfast)

Questions may be directed to VE Affinity Group Leader – L J Dalton at 330-535-1563 or Email: Ijdalton@havenofrest.org

# **Schedule**

#### Monday, January 23, 2012

- 4:30-6:00 Registration (Haven of Rest lobby)
- 6:00-6:30 Dinner (dining room)
- 6:30-7:15 Workshop #1

How to Develop Curriculum for Your Learning Center Chris Hedlund

- 7:15-8:30 Icebreaker
- 8:30 p.m. Depart for hotel

#### Tuesday, January 24, 2012

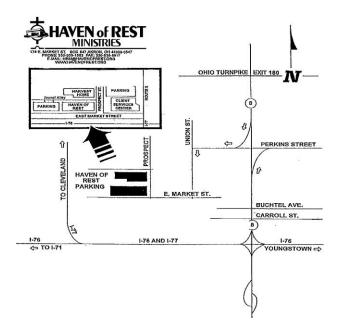
(Breakfast on your own)

- 9:00-9:20 Devotions 9:30-10:45 - Workshop #2 Maximizing Collaborative Services for Returning Citizens **Terry Tribe-Johnson** 10:45-11:00 - Break/refreshments 11:00-12:15 - Workshop #3 Writing with a Purpose -Preparation for GED and Employment Kathy Woodward 12:15-1:00 - Lunch (dining room) 1:00-2:15 - Workshop #4 GED **Project Learn - Akron** 2:15-2:30 - Break/refreshments 2:30-3:45 - Workshop #5 Each One Hire One – **Building Relationships in the Business Community** Kathy Woodward 4:00-5:00 - Tour of Haven of Rest 5:30 p.m. - Depart for Dinner at
  - local restaurant

#### Wednesday, January 25, 2012 (Breakfast on your own)

9:00-9:20 - Devotions 9:30-10:45 - Workshop #6 Self Care in Ministry, Part 1 Dr. Donald Lichi 10:45-11:00 - Break/refreshments 11:00-12:15 - Workshop #7 Self Care in Ministry, Part 2 Dr. Donald Lichi

12:15-1:00 - Lunch and depart for home



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