

THE ILLINOIS AFTER-SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP

FULL PARTNERSHIP MEETING

June 14th, 2004 1:00 - 4:30

“Addressing Quality in After-school”

Meeting Overview

Welcoming Remarks

- Illinois Center for Violence Prevention
- Partnership Co-Chairs:
 - Illinois State Board of Education
 - Illinois Department of Human Service

Update on Partnership Work Group Activities

Introduction to Quality Components in Illinois

Break (time permitting)

FEATURED PRESENTATION: National Institute on Out of School Time

SPEAKERS: Ellen Gannett, Co-Director and Georgia Hall, Research Scientist

- NIOST Overview
- Key Elements to Supporting High Quality Programs and Continuous Improvement
- Case Study: San Jose
- Using Standards and Evaluation for Continuous Improvement
 - Developing community-wide standards (examples from the Cross-Cities Network)
 - Understanding the language of standards and evaluation
- Evaluating Youth Outcomes
 - The Massachusetts Afterschool Research Study
- Building a Professional Development System
 - Achieve Boston
- Questions and answers