



# Maine Association for Infant Mental Health

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**MAY 18, 2018**

**31<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

## ***Finding the Hope and Strengths in Substance Exposed Young Families***

**MAY 18, 2018**

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

Hilton Garden Inn Freeport Downtown, Freeport, ME

**Featuring**  
**Jayne Singer, Ph.D**

Dr. Singer, a founding member and past president of the Massachusetts Association for Infant Mental Health (MassAIMH), is a clinical psychologist with extensive experience working with a diverse array of children and families in hospital and community-based settings. She is the Clinical Director of the Child and Parent Program in the Developmental Medicine Center at Boston Children's Hospital, where she works with families of children aged birth through early childhood with a wide variety of medical, developmental, emotional, behavioral, and familial challenges. She is also an Assistant Professor of Pediatrics and Psychiatry at Harvard Medical School. Dr. Singer is involved in advocacy work in infant and early childhood mental health in Massachusetts.

Dr. Singer joined the faculty at the Brazelton Touchpoints Center (BTC) in 1999; a continuation of her clinical work with Dr. T. Berry Brazelton since 1989. At BTC, she leads the Early Care and Education Initiative and has developed adaptations of the Touchpoints Approach for families living with children with Special Needs. She is the primary author of the *Touchpoints in Early Care and Education Reference Guide* and the *Touchpoints in Reflective Practice* guides for practitioners.

For more information about the conference, please contact Debbie Nugent Johnston, Executive Coordinator at [DebraNJ@aol.com](mailto:DebraNJ@aol.com) or 207-375-8184. Registration materials should be available through e-mail, postal mail, and on our website [www.infantmentalhealth.org](http://www.infantmentalhealth.org) in early to mid-March.