



TEXAS PROBATION ASSOCIATION

**2023  
ANNUAL  
CONFERENCE**

**SUSTAINING POSITIVITY: ORGANIZATIONAL AND PERSONAL RESILIENCE**

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**April 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> 2023**

**Embassy Suites Conference Center and Spa**

**San Marcos, Texas**

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# TPA 2023 Annual Conference Training Agenda

## Sunday, April 2, 2023

12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Registration  
3:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Exhibitor Set-Up  
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Opening Session  
7:00 p.m.- 9:00 p.m. Sunday Night Social

**Sponsored by CSS and Recovery Monitoring Solutions**

## Monday, April 3, 2023

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. R. Allison Joyce Prayer  
Breakfast

7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Exhibitor Room Open  
7:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Registration  
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. TPA Sales  
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Silent Auction

8:30am – 10:00am Keynote: Dr. Howard  
Williams

10:00am – 10:30am Break- **Sponsored by Smart Start**

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Workshops  
G) TCDRS- Retirement  
A) Treatment for Justice-Involved Veterans  
J) Appreciation Matters

12:00pm – 1:30pm Lunch (On Your Own)

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Workshops  
G) Retirement and Real Estate Investing  
A) Homeland Security  
J) Customer Service- Building Rapport

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Break

3:00 p.m. TPA Board Meeting

3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Workshops  
G) Negative Organizational Cultures  
A) *ICOTS*  
J) Youth Suicide Risks

5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.- Awards Reception

## Tuesday, April 4, 2023

8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.  
G) Fentanyl Facts

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Break- **Sponsored by Intoxalock Ignition Interlock**

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Workshops  
G) Courtroom Testimony  
A) TRAS  
J) Transformative Justice

12:00 p.m.- 1:30 p.m. Lunch (On Your Own)

1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Workshops  
G) Hidden in Plain Sight  
A) Developing a Purposeful Goal  
J) Juvenile Sex Offenders

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Break

3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Workshops  
G) Threat Assessment and Threat Management  
A) Ethics in Probation  
J) Juveniles and Social Media

## Wednesday, April 5, 2023

8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Business Meeting  
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Lobbyist Report  
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. TJJD Report  
CJAD Report

G) *General*  
A) *Adult*  
J) *Juvenile*

# *gristmill*

River Restaurant & Bar

Located  
beneath Gruene's  
landmark  
water tower in  
the ruins of  
an old cotton  
gin overlooking  
the Guadalupe  
River, the  
historic Gristmill  
is considered one  
of the most  
unique dining  
spots in Texas.

*Since 1977*



**Sunday Night Social**  
at  
**The Gristmill!**  
**7:00pm to 9:00pm**  
**1287 Gruene Rd**  
**New Braunfels, TX**  
**78130**

**(Bus transportation provided)**

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## Break Sponsors



Monday Morning Break



Tuesday Morning Break

# TEXAS PROBATION ASSOCIATION

## 2023 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Please complete the form below and forward to:

TPA, Attention: Angela Semar  
Correctional Management Institute of Texas  
George J. Beto Criminal Justice Center  
Sam Houston State University  
Huntsville, Texas 77341-2296  
Or fax to (936) 294-1671

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ In the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

### EARLY REGISTRATION BY MARCH 17, 2023

TPA Members - \$175  
Non-Members - \$230  
Alumni - \$135

### LATE REGISTRATION AFTER MARCH 17, 2023

TPA Members - \$200  
Non-Members - \$255

If you would like to bring a spouse or guest to participate in conference activities, please remit a \$50 auxiliary fee per social event made payable to the Texas Probation Association and send it to Angela Semar at Sam Houston State University.

Checks for the conference should be made payable to the Texas Probation Association. Cancellations must be made in writing and received by the Correctional Management Institute of Texas at Sam Houston State University ([asemar@shsu.edu](mailto:asemar@shsu.edu)) no later than **March 17, 2023**, in order for a full refund to be processed. Cancellations made after **March 30, 2023**, will receive no refund.

**If you register for the conference and fail to attend, full registration will be billed to your agency.**

## Room Reservation Information



Embassy Suites  
Conference Center and Spa  
San Marcos, TX 78666  
Phone: (512) 392-6450

**Group Cutoff: Saturday, March 1, 2023**

**Reservation Link:**

[Click Here for Reservations](#)

**BOOK EARLY!**

**For conference information, contact  
Angela Semar at (936) 294-1640**