



Reception and Presentation of Findings

from the

INPEA World View on Elder Abuse

To be held at

AARP 780 3rd Ave, 33th Floor, NY, NY

**International Day of Older Persons
October 2, 2008 from 5:30PM to 7:00 PM**

Reception sponsored by:

**The International Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (INPEA),
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Welcome:

Dr. Lia Daichman, President, International Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse and Neglect (INPEA)

INPEA World View on Elder Abuse: Environmental Scan – Final Research Results and Implications for Global Policy and Practice

INPEA representatives will present **INPEA's World View on Elder Abuse** findings, an environmental scan of elder abuse conducted by INPEA with Ryerson University, Canada, University of Kentucky and Cleveland State University, USA. This first global survey gains an understanding and response to elder abuse across nations. Preliminary findings offered in past at the Gerontology Society of America, (GSA) but this is the first time final results have been presented. All 6 World Health Organization (WHO) regions are represented – over 50 countries and well over 300 responses in developing and developed countries. Six universities participated in global data collection.

Presenters:

Dr. Elizabeth Podnieks – Chair: Implications and importance of Scan

Dr. Georgia Anetzberger: Methodology and Challenges

Dr. Pamela Teaster and Tensin Wangmo: Findings

Respondents: Dr. Wook Kim, INPEA Representative to the UN (invited)

Dr. Patricia Brownell, INPEA Main Representative to the UN

Discussion: Global and Local Policy and Practice Implications.

Acknowledgements

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