

*SAVE the DATE (Revised as of 6/22/09)*

## **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Hawai'i Conference on Language Access**

***Ho'opono: Plan Implementation and Promising Practices***

**Monday, September 28, 2009, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

**Hawai'i State Capitol Auditorium, Chamber Level, Honolulu, Hawai'i**

This conference will bring together participants, speakers, and panelists throughout the State of Hawai'i and the U.S. mainland to learn and share knowledge on language access plans, policies, best practices, and issues. This conference builds on the previous March 2008 conference.

### **Who Should Attend?**

All who are interested in and affected by language access, including and not limited to:

- Public Contact Personnel
- Language Access Coordinators
- Students
- Bilinguals interested in interpreting/translating
- Businesses and agencies interested in providing language resources
- Public Access Service Providers (State, State-funded, City and County, Nonprofit, Private) in the following areas: Advocacy, Crimes (such as Sexual Assault, Trafficking), Domestic Violence, Education, Emergency Services, Family Law, Government Services, Health Care, Housing, Immigration, Law Enforcement, and Public Benefits.
- Interpreters
- Translators
- Administrators

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### **Goals of the Conference:**

- Learn about Language Access Plan implementation issues and challenges.
- Learn about promising practices on language access.
- Network with language access practitioners in Hawai'i and nationwide.

### **Vendors and Non-Profit Exhibit Area Will Be Available:**

Conference sponsorship opportunities are available. Please contact us for more information.

### **No Registration Fee:**

Registration is free. Please submit your completed registration form by August 17, 2009.

Registration forms will be available in the near future on the OLA website at: <http://www.hawaii.gov/labor/ola>