

## Help Make the Future Bright for Ohio's Children



### ATTEND ONE OF THE SESSIONS BELOW IN YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY.

#### Defiance – August 9

Defiance Regional Medical Center  
1200 Ralston Ave., Defiance, OH 43512

#### Toledo – August 10

United Way of Greater Toledo  
424 Jackson St., Toledo, OH 43604

#### Dayton – August 11

Miami Valley Regional Center  
4801 Springfield St., Dayton, OH 45431

#### Columbus – August 12

United Way of Central Ohio  
360 S. Third St., Columbus, OH 43215

#### Cincinnati – August 16

The Health Foundation of Greater Cincinnati  
3805 Edwards Road, Suite 500  
Cincinnati, OH 45209

#### Athens – August 17

Athens Community Center  
701 E. State St., Athens, OH 45701

#### Zanesville – August 20

Help Me Grow Muskingum County  
333 Putnam Ave., Zanesville, OH 43701

#### Youngstown – August 23

Jewish Community Center of Youngstown  
505 Gypsy Lane, Youngstown, OH 44504

#### Mansfield – August 24

Mental Health Board  
87 East 1st St., Mansfield, OH 44902

#### Canton – August 25

YWCA Canton  
231 6th St. NE, Canton, OH 44702

#### Cleveland – August 26

Cleveland Foodbank  
15500 S. Waterloo Road, Cleveland, OH 44110



VOICES FOR  
OHIO'S CHILDREN

Meetings are 8:30 a.m. – Noon.  
Registration begins at 8:00 a.m.  
Registration is preferred.

Register at [www.vfc-oh.org](http://www.vfc-oh.org).



No Cost to Attend

Voices for Ohio's Children invite advocates, educators, parents, students, policymakers and physicians to join us for the 2010 Children's Regional Briefings on state and federal children's issues.

### WHAT CAN YOU EXPECT FROM THESE BRIEFINGS?

- Learn about the status of Ohio's children
- Get information about the State Board of Education Strategic Plan
- Receive updates on Ohio's economic and budget climate
- Learn information you can use to educate candidates running for public office
- Share feedback on the impact of budget cuts in your program and community
- Get information about state and federal policies affecting children

**Special Guest Presenters:**  
Members of the State Board of Education

### AGENDA

8:00-8:30 a.m.

Registration

8:30-8:45 a.m.

Welcome and Introductions

8:45-9:30 a.m.

Overview of Children's Policy Issues and Ohio's Fiscal Climate

9:30-10:30 a.m.

State Board of Education Presentation and Feedback Session

10:30-11:15 a.m.

Open Discussion of State Budget Impact to Local Communities and Programs

11:15-11:45 a.m.

Sharing Information with Candidates Running for Office  
Understanding the Legal Rules and Tips You Can Use

11:45-Noon

Raising Your Voices for Ohio's Children