



Research Release on New Jersey Poverty

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Date: Tuesday March 22, 2011

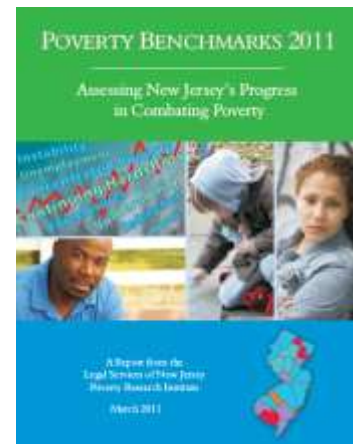
Time: 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

Place: New Jersey State Museum
Auditorium, 205 W. State St, Trenton, NJ

Legal Services of New Jersey invites you to the public release of ***Poverty Benchmarks 2011: Assessing New Jersey's Progress in Combating Poverty***—the fifth annual report in the *Poverty Benchmarks* series prepared by LSNJ's Poverty Research Institute.

Attendees will hear about recent trends revealed by data related to poverty and income inadequacy in New Jersey, as well as implications for state action to address existing and anticipated challenges. The release will feature presentation of report highlights, followed by panel discussions and Q &A. More details about the event including directions and parking information will be sent next week.

Please RSVP by e-mail: PRI@lsnj.org. For more information contact Zane Kratzer(x8502) or Shivi Prasad(x8218) at (732) 572-9100



The Poverty Benchmarks Project is an on-going data collection effort that aims to increase understanding of poverty in New Jersey as a foundation for more effective public response to the reality of poverty and its consequences. This report is the fifth in the annual series and updates key poverty trends and attendant policy implications.