

Speaker Bio

Mary F. Anderson is the Chief Deputy District Attorney for the Deschutes County District Attorney's Office. Since 1994, less a brief time period as a defense attorney, Mary has prosecuted all types of criminal cases from Theft to Murder, but for many years she primarily prosecuted person crimes, including child sexual and physical assault cases and domestic violence cases. In 1999, she was recognized for her work with the Drug Recognition Program and received the Prosecutor of the Year Award for the State of Oregon. Mary served on Oregon Governor's Advisory Committee on DUII for two Governors from 2001-2009. She has presented the topic of Mandatory Child Abuse Reporting to the local bar and to Oregon Judges. Mary has completed well over 100 jury trials and prefers trial over any other aspect of her work as a prosecutor.