



ADVANCED CLINICAL APPROACHES TO PLAY THERAPY AND COUNSELING WITH TRAUMATIZED YOUTH

Wednesday, May 22, 2024 * 9:00 am - 4:00 pm EST

In-Person Training * Radisson, Corning, NY

\$149/person * 6.0 Contact Hours

In this full-day training, we will delve into advanced clinical approaches in the fields of counseling and play therapy specifically tailored for traumatized youth. Trauma in childhood has profound and long-lasting effects on all aspects of development. Therefore, it is imperative for mental health professionals to have a nuanced understanding of trauma-informed practices and specialized techniques to effectively support and empower traumatized youth. Through a combination of theoretical discussions, case studies, and interactive exercises, participants will gain practical insights and strategies for enhancing their clinical skills in working with this vulnerable population.

Learning Objectives:

- Describe the impact of trauma on the developing brain and psychological functioning of children and adolescents.
- Explore advanced theoretical frameworks and models for understanding trauma and its manifestations in youth.
- Enhance skills in creating safe and therapeutic play environments conducive to healing and emotional regulation.
- Develop proficiency in utilizing expressive modalities to facilitate trauma processing and resolution.
- Cultivate awareness of the therapist's role in promoting resilience, empowerment, and post-traumatic growth in traumatized youth.
- and more....



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