

Creative Interventions For Troubled Children & Youth

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Time: 9:00am - 4:00pm
Location: Radisson Hotel - Corning, NY

This very practical training will present creative engagement, assessment, and treatment interventions to make individual, group, and family sessions meaningful and effective. Innovative treatment activities will be presented to address issues such as anger management, social skills, stress reduction, and self-esteem. Techniques to address challenging client behavior will also be highlighted.

Learning Objectives:

- 1) Describe the Prescriptive Play Therapy Approach
- 2) Use at least 3 interventions to engage clients in counseling
- 3) Use the presenter's model for assessing children and families
- 4) Use many new treatment techniques in individual, group, and family therapy session



Liana Lowenstein, MSW, RSW, CPT-S, is an author, international workshop presenter, and clinician specializing in treating children with a variety of emotional difficulties. She received her Bachelor of Social Work from the University of Western Ontario, and received her Masters Degree in Social Work from the University of Toronto. She currently sees children of all ages in private practice and provides clinical supervision and consultation to mental health practitioners. She has a reputation as a dynamic workshop leader and is on the teaching faculty of the Canadian Association for Child and Play Therapy. She is author of numerous publications including the books, *Paper Dolls & Paper Airplanes: Therapeutic Exercises for Sexually Traumatized Children* (Crisci, Lay, and Lowenstein, 1997), *Creative Interventions for Troubled Children & Youth* (1999), and *More Creative Interventions for Troubled Children & Youth* (2002). Her newest books are *Creative Interventions for Children of Divorce* (2006), and *Creative Interventions for Bereaved Children* (2006).