

## Core Concept Curriculum Training



You are invited to a special training for child and family clinicians and their supervisors in preparation for participation in the Title IV-E Waiver trauma assessments and treatment intervention. The style of the training using case vignettes makes it appropriate for experienced or new clinicians. There are three trainings that will be held across the state to ensure participation from the eight communities of excellence. Dates and locations are listed below. You are welcome to attend any of the three sessions. As space is limited we are asking you to RSVP by April 5<sup>th</sup> at the links below. After this time, remaining slots will be distributed to others. We will open up any extra spaces to other communities. This training is hosted by the National Child Traumatic Stress Network and sponsored by The Office of Behavioral Health. Lunch will be provided and travel can be reimbursed.

The training will be evaluated and as such you may be asked to participate in a short pre-training questionnaire and follow up evaluation. Please contact me if you have any questions about the content of the training at [claudia.zundel@state.co.us](mailto:claudia.zundel@state.co.us). We are also working towards certifying trainers here in Colorado for the future.

**The link to register for a specific session is below the date for that session. The password is “cdhscct”:**

**May 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> - 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Colorado Springs**

- AspenPointe, 115 S. Parkside Drive, 80910
- <http://ccctcoloradosprings.eventzilla.net>

**May 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> - 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Glenwood Springs**

- Mind Springs Health, 6916 Highway 82, 81602
- <http://ccctglenwoodsprings.eventzilla.net>

**June 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> - 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. - Fort Collins**

- The Matthews House Community Life Center, 220 N. Grant Ave., 80521
- <http://ccctfortcollins.eventzilla.net>

You may refer your questions to Claudia Zundel ([claudia.zundel@state.co.us](mailto:claudia.zundel@state.co.us)) or David Corral ([david.corral@state.co.us](mailto:david.corral@state.co.us)). More information about the training model and trainers follows this face sheet.

## Core Concepts in Child and Adolescent Trauma

This exciting case-based interactive training will course will introduce participants to core concepts (general theory and foundational knowledge) underlying evidence-based treatment for traumatized children and adolescents. Two days of face-to-face training will be followed by six months of monthly consultation calls with the faculty member to support your use of material introduced in training to your cases and/or in supervision. As a result of participating in the training, you will:

- Acquire a comprehensive trauma conceptual framework for case conceptualization and treatment planning ;
- Reinforce clinical reasoning skills by applying the Core Concepts to the analysis of three case studies ;
- Use trauma-informed clinical knowledge and reasoning skills to enhance trauma-informed intervention planning for child welfare clients;

### Faculty

#### **Dr. Virginia Strand**

Dr. Virginia Strand is Professor, Fordham University Graduate School of Social Service and Co-Director, National Center for Social Work Trauma Education and Workforce Development. She has over 30 years' experience as a practitioner, educator, trainer, researcher and author. She co-authored the Core Concepts in Childhood Trauma curriculum with colleagues from the NCTSN. Dr. Strand has provided training and consultation services in the area of child trauma to mental health, child welfare, medical and law enforcement professionals, and her research and writing continue to focus on children's mental health and child welfare.

#### **Dr. Rachelle Kammer**

Rachelle Kammer, LCSW, PhD received both her MSW and PhD from Columbia University School of Social Work. She has been on the faculty at the Fordham Graduate School of Social Work for the past 9 years, and her direct practice experience has focused on addressing the mental health needs of children and families. She is proud to help coordinate the National Center for Social Work Trauma Education and Workforce Development program at Fordham, and frequently teaches the Core Concepts in Trauma Treatment for Children and Adolescents course.

#### **Dr. Susan Hansen**

Susan Hansen received her MSW and PhD from Fordham University with a specialization in child and family services. She is the former Program Supervisor for Ulster County Mental Health Department's Family & Child Unit Services and has extensive clinical experience in the area of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder in children. She provides direct services to children, adolescents and families who have experienced complex trauma and abuse. Susan is an adjunct faculty member at Fordham University's Graduate School of Social Service and a consultant to the National Center for Social Work Trauma Education and Workforce Development.