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**Treating Trauma and Attachment Issues in Children and Families**

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**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2013**

8:45 A.M. – 3:30 P.M.

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Confirmation letters will be sent via email whenever possible.
Participants will learn to:

- describe concepts of trauma from biological, psychological, attachment, and family perspectives.
- utilize efficient and holistic assessment techniques for children, parents, and families.
- teach clients effective communication via the 5 step Attachment Communication Training program.
- apply cognitive, systemic, and experiential therapeutic methods to improve core beliefs, behaviors, and family relationships.
- implement a healing and mindful parenting program.

The Program

Attachment is the deep and enduring heartfelt connection that children and caregivers establish in the early stages of life. This connection is the core of a child’s world and affects every aspect of development.

Children who have stable families and secure attachments are likely to develop positive self-esteem, effective coping skills, prosocial morality, and relationships which include trust, respect, emotional closeness, and love. Children who experience abuse, neglect, multiple moves and caregivers, insensitive care, and high-stress, chaotic, or violent environments are at risk for developing serious attachment, emotional, and behavioral problems, including depression, PTSD, aggression, and the inability to trust and love parents.

Biological, adoptive, and foster families can be devastated by stress and conflict. Wounded children compulsively repeat negative behaviors; parents feel rejected, inadequate and angry, and hurtful family dynamics are ongoing. The traumatized family is characterized by a negative emotional climate, inadequate support, severe control battles, triangulation, and extreme sibling and marital conflicts.

This seminar is appropriate for mental health, child welfare, school, medical and legal system professionals, and therapeutic parents. The focus will be on concepts, skills, and solutions of child and family therapy, as well as healing parenting. With humor, sensitivity, and insight, the presenters will emphasize effective assessment techniques, therapeutic interventions, and parenting strategies to facilitate positive change with challenging children and traumatized families.

This continuing education activity was approved by the Vermont State Nurses Association’s Committee on Education, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

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Schedule

8:45 Registration & Refreshments
9:15 Dr. Terry Levy and Michael Orlans
12:15 Lunch
1:30 Dr. Terry Levy and Michael Orlans

DIRECTIONS

From Exit 5 on Interstate 91: Turn east. Then take the first right-hand turn. Kurn Hattin Homes is two miles ahead on the right.

From Route 12 in New Hampshire: Take Route 123 in Walpole across the Connecticut River into Vermont. Turn left onto Route 5. Go 1.5 miles. Then turn right on School Street. Turn left at the “T” and Kurn Hattin will be ahead on your right.

Register now by mailing the attached form or go online: conference.kurnhattin.org

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Enclosed is my $125 registration fee ($95 if before 9/25)

We are registering at the group rate (3 or more) of $110 per person ($95 if before 9/25 — must be from the same agency) (All names and payments of those attending at the discounted rate must be included with this form)

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