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Welcome to the 25th Annual APSAC Colloquium!

Our vision is for a world where all maltreated or at-risk children and their families have access to the highest level of professional commitment and service. Our mission is achieved in a number of ways, most notably through expert training and educational activities, policy leadership and collaboration, and consultation that emphasizes theoretically sound, evidence-based principles.

Come join us in the celebration of this vision and commitment to supporting and training professionals who serve children and families affected by child maltreatment and violence. Through the hard work and dedication of our members, APSAC has grown into a multidisciplinary group of professionals, who also are our friends, family, colleagues and the leading experts on the prevention and intervention of child abuse in the United States.


Tricia Gardner, JD
APSAC President 2017-2018

Colloquium Goals/Target Audience

This year we are offering 7 advanced training institutes, 58 advanced training workshops, and 60 information/discussion roundtables which address all aspects of child maltreatment including prevention, cultural issues assessment, intervention and treatment with victims, perpetrators and families affected by physical, sexual and psychological abuse and neglect.

The educational goal of APSAC’s Colloquium is to foster professional excellence in the field of child maltreatment by providing interdisciplinary professional education. Upon completion of this activity, participants should be able to:

1) Identify physical abuse, psychological abuse, sexual abuse and neglect in children
2) Treat abused and neglected children
3) Apply model evaluation techniques for assessment of abused/neglected children
4) Describe and utilize the most up-to-date information concerning working with abused and neglected children to improve patient care
5) Prepare and report quality testimony in court cases, both as experts and as witnesses

Workshops have been designed for professions serving maltreated children and their families along with those working to prevent child and family maltreatment including: child protective services, counseling, education, law, law enforcement, medicine, nursing, prevention, psychology, research, and social work.

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Colloquium Collaborators
Thank You!

• Audrey Hepburn CARE Center
• APSAC Center on Child Policy
• Children’s Hospital New Orleans
• Doris Duke Fellowship Program
• Fox Valley Technical College (FVTC)
• Institute for Human Services
• National Criminal Justice Training Center (NCJTC)
• New Orleans Children’s Advocacy Center
• SAGE Publications

Colloquium Events

Cultural Diversity Networking Session
(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)
Child Fatality Task Force Meeting
(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)
State Chapter Meeting
(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)
Welcome Reception/Poster Presentations
(No additional fee, pre-registration is required – see appropriate box on registration form)
Second Line Experience
(No additional fee, no pre-registration is required)
French Quarter – Bourbon Street Balcony - 25th Anniversary Celebration
(additional fee, pre-registration is required – www.apsac.org)

Presentation Formats

90-minute Workshops. Each presenter or team of presenters will have 90 minutes to present their work.
45-minute Workshops. Each 45-minute workshop presentation will be paired with one other workshop presentation during a 90-minute time block. Each presenter or team of presenters will have 45 minutes to present their work.
30-minute Research Session. Each research presentation will be scheduled with two other research presentations during a 90-minute time block. Each research presenter or team of presenters will have 30 minutes to present their work.
Roundtable Discussion. During a 90-minute block of 30 information/discussion roundtables will be held simultaneously in the hotel ballroom. Each presenter or team of presenters will have 40 minutes to share information/lead discussion with groups of 10-20 participants around their topic. After 40 minutes there will be a 10-minute break allowing participants to move to a different topic and presenters will have another 40 minutes to repeat the information/discussion for another group of participants. (so, two presentations/discussions during the 90-minute block of time). There will be no AV equipment used for these information/discussion roundtables, but handouts are encouraged.

Media Ready Micro-Session. (this is a new presentation format we are trying this year modeled after the PechaKucha 20x20). Each session will include 8 presenters who will present 20 power point slides, with 20 seconds allowed per slide (approx. 7 minutes for each presenter). These sessions will also be made available post conference to APSAC members on the APSAC YouTube channel.

Poster Presentation. Posters will be displayed during the Welcome Reception on Thursday evening from 4:30 - 5:30 pm.

Schedule

June 12, Tuesday
Advanced Training Institute #1
7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
June 13, Wednesday
Advanced Training Institutes/ Cultural Institute
7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.
1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

June 14, Thursday
APSAC Colloquium
7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
8:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
2:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

June 15, Friday
APSAC Colloquium
7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
8:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
2:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

June 16, Saturday
APSAC Colloquium
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
10:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Workshop descriptions and learning objectives are available at www.apsac.org
The Rev. Darrell LaRue Armstrong is the Pastor of the Shiloh Baptist Church in Trenton, NJ. In addition to being a Pastor for 18 years, Darrell Armstrong is the former State Director of the Division of [Child Abuse] Prevention for the New Jersey Department of Children and Families (2006-2009), and is the current liaison to the United Nations for the Baptist World Alliance.

Elizabeth Letourneau, Professor, Department of Mental Health, and Director, Moore Center for the Prevention of Child Sexual Abuse, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health.

Join Your Colleagues at These Special Events!
See the APSAC website for details and information on how to sign up (in some cases a fee will apply)

Wednesday, June 13th
Enjoy a taste of New Orleans and celebrate the professionals who have devoted their careers to the safety and welfare of all children.
Second Line - Celebrate in true New Orleans fashion with a Second Line that will lead APSAC attendees from the Sheraton Hotel through the streets of the French Quarter. All of the APSAC attendees form a second line behind the brass band who hold decorated parasols. Have the time of your life dancing to the music, throwing beads and waving handkerchiefs Big Easy style!

Followed by a French Quarter Balcony Fundraising Event. - Purchase a balcony event ticket for $85 and receive a silver bracelet for entry to sip on fine wine, sample classic New Orleans dishes and socialize with professionals from across the country. Only 100 tickets available for this exclusive opportunity. Hosted by The New Orleans Children’s Advocacy Center. For registration information go to www.apsac.org.

Join us for complimentary yoga!
Check the website for additional activities

Program Categories- The Colloquium is divided into tracks that focus on specific topics. The following is a list of the different categories offered:
CD= Cultural Diversity
INTD= Interdisciplinary
LAW= Law
MH= Mental Health
M&N= Medicine and Nursing
YAPSA= Young Professionals
CP/CW= Child Protection/Child Welfare
FI= Forensic Interviewing
LE= Law Enforcement
PREV= Prevention
POL= Policy

Presentation Skill Level (Beginning/Intermediate/Advanced)

Pre-Conference Advanced/Cultural Training Institutes

June 12/13 Tuesday and Wednesday Institute 1
8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
(12:00 – 1:30 Lunch - on your own)

1. Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for Children and Families

Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (TF-CBT) has the greatest amount of empirical support of any treatment for children, adolescents, and families exposed to traumatic life events. This two-day institute will present the basic tenets of TF-CBT, review the TF-CBT PRACTICE components, and diverse implementation strategies. A prerequisite for this training is completion of TF-CBTWeb which can be found at www.musc.edu/tfcbt. Please bring your certificates of completion to the training.

Anthony Mammarino, PhD

June 13, Wednesday Institutes 2-6
8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
(12:00 – 1:30 Lunch - on your own)

2. Forensic Interviewing Institute

2.1. Forensic Interviews with Individuals with Developmental Disabilities: Mini Practicums

This workshop stems from a forensic interview curriculum for interviewing individuals with developmental disabilities. Participants will experience a small group activity intended to build skill with this population

Julie Kenniston, MSW; Mark Everson, PhD; Staci Whitney, MSW; Kate Homan, MS; Stacie LeBlanc, JD; Chris Newlin, MS; Scott Modell, PhD; Dermot Whalen, PhD

*This workshop is supported by FVTCCNCJTIC

2.2. Interviewing Child Victims with Disabilities (Intermediate-CP/CW)

Children with disabilities are disproportionately criminally victimized. The participants in this training will develop a broader understanding of children with disabilities as well as strategies for effective communicating and interviewing.

Scott Modell, PhD; Staci Whitney, MSW

3. Psychological and Emotional Maltreatment of Children

Psychological and emotional maltreatment of children is one of the most challenging and prevalent forms of child abuse and neglect. The goal of this Institute is to provide professionals who work with children in the child welfare field and prevention community with new information, resources and tools about psychological maltreatment, including definitions, types, prevalence, harm, identification and assessment and prevention. Amy Baker, PhD; Stuart Hart, PhD; Marla Brassard, PhD; Christina Fiorvanti, PhD

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PC-CARE is a trauma-informed 7-week dyadic intervention for children aged 1-10 years with externalizing behaviors. This advanced training session is Phase One of training to become a certified PC-CARE clinician.

Brandy Hawk, PhD; Susan Timmer, PhD; Lindsay Forte, MA; Deanna Boys, MA; Cara Samelson, LPC; Anthony J. Urquiza, Ph.D.


5.1. Helping Young Men of Color Embrace Non-violence:Visions & Exercises

Learn about strategies and exercises aimed to help young men of color employ healthy masculinity and non-violent attitudes toward their (future) children, partners, and others.

Derek Dougherty, PhD

5.2. Immigrant & Refugee Families & Child Maltreatment

Some immigrant and refugee families are vulnerable to child maltreatment due to disruption, trauma histories, poverty, and culture clashes. Learn common problems that face today’s immigrants and refugees.

Lisa Fontes, PhD

5.3. Managing Trauma: Supporting Refugee Children & Teens Today

This session focuses on helping the one out of five U.S. children who is foreign born or the child of an immigrant or refugee. Learn trauma-focused, culturally competent approaches.

Hugo Kamya, PhD

5.4. Small Steps, Big Goals: Safety Plans and Resiliency Skills with Immigrant Youth

This presentation examines suicidal ideation, self-harm, and chronic trauma in immigrant and refugee youth, and provides guidelines and tools for clinicians.

Sarah Strole, LCSW; Janelle Stanley, LMSW, MDiv

Workshop descriptions and learning objectives are available at www.apsac.org
6. Advanced Issues in Child Sexual Abuse  This training will discuss important current and emerging issues in child sexual abuse—what's new, what's novel, and what needs improvement—and will be useful to anyone involved with forensic medical examinations. Included will be a review of the current scientific literature regarding timing and types of forensic collections, advances in STI testing including current recommendations, and the significance of anogenital findings. In addition, updates of child trafficking and the medical evaluation will be reviewed.

Debra Esmorio-Jenssen, MD; Barbara L. Knox, MD

7. Student and Young Professional Career Development Institute  Designed for students and young professionals looking to advance their practice in child maltreatment. Q&A panels with experts across disciplines, seminars on resource sharing, resume/ CV reviews, networking opportunities, and more.

Bart Klikka, MSW, PhD; Bri Stormer, MSW; Frank Vandervort, JD; Janet Rosenzweig, PhD, MPA; Julia Fleckman, PhD; Kathleen Faller, MSW, PhD; Kelli Hughes, JD; Leslie Schmerler MSW; Roslyn Murav, MD; Ryan Brown, MD; Stacie LeBlanc, JD; Tricia Gardner, JD

*Sponsored by The Young American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children (YPASAC)*

10. Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for LGBTQ Youth (Intermediate-MH)  Judith Cohen, MD; Anthony Mannarino, PhD

11. Abusive Head Trauma: It Isn’t Just Shaking (Advanced-INTD)  Barbara Knox, MD; Debra Esmorio-Jenssen, MD

12. Child Abuse Prevention in Grade Schools (Beginning-CD)  Randell Alexander, MD; David Corwin, MD; Vicki Corwin, MA

13. Professional Practice and Ethical Considerations in Clinical Responses to Child Maltreatment (Intermediate-MH)  Lucy Berliner, MSW; Brian Allen, PsyD


15. Healthy Outcomes of Positive Experiences (HOPE): Results from Four Population Surveys (Advanced-Prev)  Doris Duke Fellows: Bart Klikka, PhD; Robert Sege, MD; Jennifer Jones, MSW; Christina Bethell, PhD

16. Research Sessions:

16.1. Reporters Identity and Substantiation of Psychological Maltreatment Reports: Evidence from the National Child Abuse and Neglect Data System (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Svetlana Shipiegl, PhD; Nicole Lyrle, PhD


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17. Media Ready Micro-Sessions:

17.1. I Was Prepared for the Worst I Guess: Stayers and Leavers Perceptions of Their Title IV-E Education (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Amy Benton, PhD; Michelle Iglesias, MSW

17.2. Evaluation of Physician Recommendations for Medical Care of Children Reported to Missouri Children's Division (Beginning-M/N)  Marissa Cantu, MD

17.3. The U.S. Opioid Epidemic and Families: Parent and Caregiver Opioid Use Disorder and Treatment Utilization (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Doris Duke Fellow: Kenneth Feder, BS

17.4. Preventing Child Physical Abuse by Increasing Food Security (Intermediate-Prev)  Jesse Helton, PhD

17.5. Defining and Identifying Near Fatal Child Maltreatment: Challenges and Opportunities (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Vincent Palusci, MD; Patricia Schnitzer, PhD; Theresa Covington, MPH

17.6. Using Technology to Enhance the Effectiveness and Dissemination of the SafeCare Parenting Program (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Daniel Whitaker, PhD; Shannon Self-Brown, PhD

17.7. Investigation, Recommended Services, Preventive Actions After Deaths of Children (Beginning-INTD)  Yui Yamaoka, MD

11:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.  Lunch (on your own)

1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.  Sessions 18-27


19. What Every New Interviewer Should Know (Beginning-INTD)  Scott Snider, MSW; Julie Kenniston, MSW

*This workshop is supported by FVTC/NCJTC*

20. Children in Dependency Court: Pima County’s Successful Model (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Ann M. Haralambie, JD; Hon. Joan L. Wagener, JD; Edith A. Croxen, JD; Susan M. Brandt, M.S.


23. Deception Detection: Is it Possible to Tell when a Child is Lying? (Beginning-INTD)  Adrienne Atzemis, MD


25. Therapeutic Skills for Helping Trauma-Impacted Children and Caregivers Develop Healthy Views of Themselves, Their World and Their Future; Parts 1 & 2 (Intermediate-MH)  Susan Schmidt, PhD; Laura Merchant, LCSW; Elizabeth Risch, PhD

26. Research Sessions:


26.2. Clinical Typologies of Adolescent Child Maltreatment Victims Using the Million Adolescent Clinical Inventory (MACI) (Intermediate-MH)  Kirsten Byrnes, PsyD; Alana Atchison, PsyD; Aaron Miller, PsyD; Michelle Fanuccio, PsyD; Sarah Hasson, PhD

26.3. A Comparison Study of Professional Responses to Child Maltreatment (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Lynn McMillan, PhD; Jennifer Parker, PhD; Stacey Olson, BS

27. Media Ready Micro-Sessions:

27.1. Impact of a Statewide Trauma-Informed Care Initiative in Child Welfare on the Well-Being of Children and Youth with Complex Trauma (Beginning-CP/CW)  Jessica Bartlett, PhD

27.2. Risk and Protective Factors of School Engagement for Youth in Foster Care (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Morgan Cooley, PhD; Brittany Mihalec-Adkins, MEd

27.3. The Substance-Exposed Infant: Implications for the Child Welfare System (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Nicole Fettig, PhD; Gila Shusterman, PhD

27.4. The Scope and Severity of Domestic Violence Exposure in Child Protective Services Referred Families and New Allegations of Abuse and Neglect (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Damien Grasso, PhD; Susan DiVietro, CSW; Rebecca Beebe, PhD; Meghan Clough, BA; Garry Lapidus, MPH

APSAC's 25th Annual Colloquium  Thursday June 14
8:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

Welcome  David Corwin, MD
APSAC President 2018-2019

The Sage Charles T. Hendrix Keynote Address  How I Got Over: Understanding and Implementing a Trauma-Informed, Congregational-Based, Family Strengthening Model  Reverend Darrell Armstrong, MDiv

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Sessions 8 – 17

8. Sexual Abuse Prevention: Why We’re Still Getting It Wrong (Intermediate-CP/CW)  David Katzenstein, LCSW

9. Forensically Interviewing Young Children (Intermediate-CP/CW)  Lauren Mastby, PhD; Kristine Hodshon, PsyD
27.5. Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children: Health Care Utilization and Case Characteristics (Intermediate-INTD)
Jennifer Sherfield, MSW

27.6. Identifying Compassion Fatigue, Burnout, and Traumatic Stress in Child Advocacy Centers (Intermediate-INTD)
Jennifer Sherfield, MSW; Catherine Davis, LPC; Megan Letson, MD

27.7. Results of Two Randomized Controlled Trails of Promoting First Relationships’ 10-Week Home Visiting Program in Child Protective Services and Foster Care (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Monica Oxford, PhD; Susan Speiker, PhD

27.8. Behavioral Health Screening for Children in Child Welfare Custody in Oklahoma (Advanced-CP/CW)
Carisa Wilkie, PhD; Susan Schmidt, PhD; Michael Hunter, PhD

2:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Sessions 28-31

Robert Geffner, Ph.D.

Mary Pulido, PhD

30. Offenders and the Use of Technology to Offend
Richard Love
*This workshop is supported by FVT/CINCJTC*

31. Information/Discussion Roundtables

31.1. Working with Vulnerable Families: Getting Through the Door and Staying There (Beginning-YAPSA)
Doris Duke Fellows: Jenna Armstrong, PhD; Kyndra Cleveland, PhD; Elizabeth Jarpe-Ratner, PhD; Franci Julien-Chinn, MSW; Francesca Longo

31.2. All Babies Cry: A Second Generation Approach to Abusive Head Trauma Prevention (Beginning-CP/CW)
Aimee Arvan

31.3. Accident or Abuse? The Multidisciplinary Assessment of Trauma Histories (Beginning-CP/CW)
Adrienne Atzeminis, MD

31.4. Advocacy: Tails above the Rest (Beginning-Adv)
Joielle Henderson, LPC; Lori Banks

31.5. A Multidimensional Approach for the Provision of Trauma-Based Treatment in Foster and Residential Care (Advanced-CP/CW)
Besa Bauta, PhD; Dawn Besemer, PsyD; Robyn Harris, PsyD; Samuel Lamsdans, PsyD

Sarah Beal, PhD; Mary Greiner, MD; Judith Dexheimer, PhD

31.7. Domestically Violent Homes: The Risks of Harm to Children (Beginning-INTD)
Andrew Campbell, MD

31.8. There’s an App for that! Forensic Interviews of Children When the Allegations Involve Technology, Cybercrimes or Pornography. (Intermediate-INTD)
Cyndi Cantu

31.9. Publishing your Work in the APSAC Advisor and/or as an APSAC Alert (Intermediate-INTD)
Angelo Giardino, MD

Seth Goldstein, JD

Doris Duke Fellows: Tyler Hein, MS; Michelle Bezark, MA; Wendy Ellis, MPH; Natalia Orendain, MPH; Aditi Srivastav Bussels MPH

31.12. Utilization of the Nurse Practitioner on Your Child Abuse Team (Intermediate-M&N)
Beth Herold, DNP

Daryl Higgins, PhD

Doris Duke Fellows: Tamara Hurst, PhD; Betsy Goulet, DPA; Susan Evans, MSW

31.15. Children Victims of Online Sexual Abuse (Beginning-MH)
Linda Jonsson, PhD; Carl Göran Svedin, PhD

Joshua Kay, PhD, JD

31.17. Partnering for Success: An Innovative Approach to Improving Mental Health Outcomes for Children and Youth in the Child Welfare System (Beginning-MH)
Suzanne Kerns, PhD; Ari Blum, PhD

Kimberly Renk, PhD; Maria Khan, MS; J’Nelle Stephenson, MA

31.19. Trauma & Psychosis: Integrating Cognitive Behavioral Interventions to Assess and Treat Dual Diagnosis (Intermediate-MH)
Brandi Liles, PhD; Dawn Blacker, PhD; Laura Tully, PhD; Tara Niendam, PhD

31.20. Million Adolescent Clinical Inventory Profiles Among Youth Referred for Child Abuse and Maltreatment Evaluations (Intermediate-MH)
Kirsten Byrnes, PsyD; Alana Atchison, PsyD; Aaron Miller, PsyD; Michelle Fancuillo, PsyD; Sarah Hassan, PhD

Brooke Osborn, PhD

31.22. Strengthening Families through Birth and Foster Parent Partnerships (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Teresa Rafael, MSW; Meryl Levine, MSW; Robyn Robbins, Corey Best

31.23. A Holistic Approach to Working with Children Experiencing Homelessness (Beginning-MH)
Cara Samelson, LPC; Brandi Hawk, PhD; Deanna Boys, MA

31.24. When is Sexual Abuse Really Confirmed? (Intermediate-MH)
Karyn Smarz, PhD; Barbara Prempeh, PsyD; Rebecca Alcantara, PsyD

Ginny Sprang, PhD; Adrienne Whitt-Woosley, PhD

31.26. The Best Start: Family Development (Engagement) in Empathy-based Parenting & Family Relationship Learning Groups Kimberly Sevo-Cionci, PhD

31.27. Writing Defensible Court Reports (Intermediate-MH)
Frank Vandervort, JD

31.28. Cultural Conundrums: Is Diversity in Parenting Adequately Reflected in Parenting Programs? (Beginning-CD)
Karen Zilberstein, MSW

Allyson Cordani, ARNP; Johanna Hager, LCPC

31.30. Addressing Adverse Childhood Experiences Through the Affordable Care Act: Promising Advances and Missed Opportunities (Intermediate-Policy)
Doris Duke Fellows: Aditi Srivastav Bussels MPH; Gerry Fairbrother, PhD; Lisa Simpson, FAAP

Friday, June 15

8:30 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.
Plenary Session

Ineffective, Costly and Harmful: Juvenile Sex Offender Registration Needs to Go Elizabeth Letourneau, PhD
*APSAC Center for Child Policy Member*

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Sessions 32 – 41

Martin A. Finkel, DO

33. Opioid Abuse: A Significant and Growing Crisis for CPS *APSAC Center for Child Policy Members*

34. When Child Abuse Investigations Overlap with Child Custody Disputes (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Michael Saini, PhD

Workshop descriptions and learning objectives are available at www.apsac.org
35. Admissibility of Child Sexual Abuse Accommodation Syndrome and Progeny: Presentation of Social Science Research before the Courts (Advanced-INTD)
  Anthony D’Urso, PsyD; Thomas Lyon, JD, PhD; Kirsten Byrnes, PsyD

  Kathleen Faller, PhD; David Corwin, MD

  Doris Duke Fellows: Megan Feeley, PhD; Paul Lanier, PhD; Kathryn Maguire-Jack, PhD; Megan Finno-Velasquez, PhD; Abigail Ross, MSW; Kristen Seay, PhD

38. Treating Adolescent Trauma with Mindfulness (Intermediate-MH)
  Randye Semple, PhD; John Briere, PhD

39. Component Integration in Maltreatment Therapy to Address Comorbidity and Case Complexity (Intermediate-MH)
  Lucy Berlimer, MSW; David Kalko, PhD

40. Forensic Team Assessments of Children and Families (Intermediate-CP/CW)
  Stephanie Kurilla, LPC; Melissa Ciottone, MA; Christopher Friedrich, LPC; Michael Fiore, PhD

41. Research Session

41.1. The Diagnosis of Abusive Head Trauma in Infants and Young Children: A Critical Multidisciplinary Review (Advanced-Law)
  Vincent Palusci, MD
  *APSAC Center for Child Policy Member*

41.2. Trends in Child Maltreatment in a Pediatric Hospital Emergency Department Setting (Intermediate-M/N)
  Brooke Nelson, MSW; Angela Degnan, LCSW

41.3. Detection of Child Maltreatment in Hospital Emergency Departments in the Canton of Vaud, Switzerland: Results from a Qualitative Action Research Study (Beginning-INTD)
  Sarah D. Stauffer, PhD; Camille Sigg, MA; Emilie Merminod, MA; René Knüsel, PhD

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Lunch (on your own)

1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Sessions 42-51

42. Child Sex Trafficking Screening Interviews vs. Forensic Interviews (Advanced-INTD)
  Julie Kenniston, MSW; Kate Homan, MA
  *This workshop is supported by FVTC/NCJTC*

43. National Summit and Initiative to End Corporal Punishment in the USA (Beginning-Prev)
  Mel Schneiderman, PhD; David Corwin, MD; George Holden, PhD; Stacie LeBlanc, JD; Viola Vaughan-Eden, PhD

44. Human Trafficking - Young and Vulnerable (Beginning-INTD)
  Robin Chapman, Amanda Smith

45. Munchausen by Proxy Guidelines for Practice (Intermediate-LE)
  Beatrice Yorker, JD; Randell Alexander, MD; Michael Weber, BS; Mary Sanders, PhD

46. Grooming for Abuse (Intermediate-LE)
  Andi Grosvoid Hamilton, MSW; Maria Rosales-Lambert, AA

47. Treatment of Complex Trauma in Children and their Families: An Integrative Approach (Intermediate-MH)
  Cheryl Lanktree, PhD

48. Building Better Community Relations to Bolster Mandated Reporting (Intermediate-CP/CW)
  Xan Boone, PhD

49. The Neurobiology of Inequality: How Racism and Socioeconomic Status Make us Sick and Increase Risk (Intermediate-CP/CW)
  Anthony Zenkus, LCSW

50. Inflicted Traumatic Brain Injury for Investigators & Prosecutors (Intermediate-INTD)
  Roger Blevins, MSN

51. Research Sessions

51.1. Effects of Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavior Therapy (TF-CBT) on Caregiver- and Youth-Rated Trauma Symptom Outcomes: Benchmarked Results of a Multi-Site Dissemination (Intermediate-MH)
  Samantha Pittenger, PhD; Christian Connell, PhD; Jason Lang, PhD

51.2. Intergenerational Trauma in the Therapy Session: How Parents’ Cognitions Related to their Own Maltreatment Can Influence their Children’s Healing (Intermediate-MH)
  Rebecca Babcock Fenneri, PhD; Dawn Blacker, PhD; Brandt Liles, PhD

51.3. Positive Outcomes of Trauma-Focused Cognitive Therapy for Youth and Their Parents (Beginning-MH)
  Jessica Dym Bartlett, PhD; Jessica Griffin, PsyD; Genevieve Kane-Howsse

2:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Sessions 52-55

52. Using the NCANDS: Child File Data to Learn about Child Maltreatment (Intermediate-Policy)
  Kerri Raisian, PhD; Megan Feeley, PhD; William Schneider, PhD; Lindsey Bullinger, MPA

  Adam Brown, PsyD

  Richard Love
  *This workshop is supported by FVTC/NCJTC*

55. Information/Discussion Roundtables

55.1. Developmental Considerations in the Forensic Interview (Intermediate-INTD)
  Cari Allen, BS; Katie Greathouse, LCSW

  Xan Boone, PhD

55.3. Should Cases Opened by CPS for Suspicion of Child Maltreatment be Investigated? (Intermediate-INTD)
  *APSAC Center for Child Policy Members*

55.4. A National Perspective on the Abuse of the LGBTQ Population (Intermediate-INTD)
  Ton Cardenas, MSW; Mabel Terrero, MSW

55.5. Persistent Economic Insecurity and Risk for Child Physical Abuse Over Time: A Latent Transition Analysis (Intermediate-INTD)
  Doris Duke Fellows: Aislinn Conrad-Hiebner, PhD; Katherine W. Paschall, PhD

55.6. Making a Difference in Abusive Head Trauma Prevention: Focusing on the Leading Trigger (Beginning-Prev)
  Julie Noble, MEd

55.7. Lessons Learned from the Border Crisis: Trauma Informed Care and Protective Concerns for Undocumented Immigrant Children (Beginning-INTD)
  Fiona Danaher, MD

55.8. Witness for the Prosecution: How to Foster Effective Testimony in a Criminal Jury Trial (Beginning-INTD)
  Shannon Foley, JD; Betsy Weintraub, JD

55.9. Understanding Fractures in Child Abuse (Intermediate-CP/CW)
  Arna Graff, MD

55.10. Overcoming Barriers to Protecting Children from Sexual Abuse (Intermediate-Prev)
  Beth Hoffman, MA; Anne Ware, MEd

55.11. Hiding in Plain Sight (Intermediate-MH)
  Greg Holmneyer, MEd

55.12. An Anchor in the Storm: Using Dogs in Complex Child Abuse Court Cases (Beginning-INTD)
  Miriam Jansky, MSW; Amanda Van Hoazer, BS

55.13. They Didn’t Teach That in School: Trauma and Children with Autism and Other Developmental Disabilities (Beginning-MH)
  Susan Kahan, LPC

55.14. Hidden in Plain Sight: Overcoming Barriers to Identification, Assessment, & Treatment of Child Neglect (Advanced-CP/CW)
  Cara Kelly, MSW; Karin Kline, MSW; Rebecca Krumm

55.15. Evaluation of Male-Focused Hospital Education Designed to Reduce Infant Maltreatment (Beginning-Prev)
  Zabin Mareidiya, BS; David Lakey, MD; Dorothy Mandell, PhD

55.16. The Brain, the Body and Equine Facilitated Psychotherapy: Considering Neuroscience, Psychoneuroimmunology and Attachment Theory in Designing Safe, Ethical and Effective Interventions for Both Client and Equine (Advanced-MH)
  Leslie McCullough, PsyD

55.17. Testifying Techniques for Expert Witnesses (Advanced-MH)
  Steven Miller, MD
55.18. Changing Attitudes about Spanking Using Alternative Biblical Interpretations among Young Adult Korean Conservative Protestants (Intermediate-Prev)
Cindy Miller-Perrin, PhD; Robin Perrin, PhD

Amy Moseley, MA; Adri Sivastav Bussells, MPH

Vincent Palusci, MD

55.21. A General Overview of Female Sexual Offenders (Intermediate-INTD)
Dawn Pflogradt, PsyD; Bradley Allen, JD

55.22. Occupational Therapy’s Distinct Value in Addressing Toxic Stress (Beginning-INTD)
Kerrie Ramsdell, LOTR; Magdalena Roberts

55.23. Abuse Histories of African American Female Youth Who Engage in Survival Sex (Beginning-INTD)
Doris Duke Fellows: Whitney Rostad, PhD; Laura Kollar, PhD; Jennifer Monahan, PhD; Ralph DiClemente, PhD; Erin Bradley

Karyn Smarz, PhD; Kecia Melvin, LCSW

55.25. Resiliency-Focused or Deficit-Based? The Education of the Child Welfare-focused Social Work Student (Beginning-CP/CW)
Mary Kirk, MSW

Doris Duke Fellows: Kate Stepleton, MA; Kathleen Fay, MSW; Kerrie Ocasio, PhD; Abigail Williams-Butler, PhD; Adrian Gale, PhD; Michael MacKenzie, PhD

55.27. PC-CARE: Fostering Secure Placements for Traumatized Children in Transition (Beginning-Prev)
Susan Timmer, PhD; Brandi Hawk, PhD; Lindsay Forte, MA; Deanna Boys, MA

Cambria Walsh, MSW

55.29. Prevalence and Associations with Teen Dating Violence Victimization in a Child Advocacy Center (Beginning-M/N)
Heather Williams, MD; Jennifer Tscholl, MD; Kristin Crichton, DO; Farah Brink, MD; Megan Letson, MD; Elise Berlan, MD; Melissa Moore-Clingenpeel, MAS; Elizabeth Miller, MD

Kendall Wolz, BS

Saturday, June 16
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Split Sessions 56 – 61

56.1. Nudging Adults in Youth Protection (Intermediate-Prev)
Anne Calvo, MAEd

56.2. Developing Innovative Community Partnerships to Meet the Mental Health Needs of Maltreated Youth (Beginning-MH)
Berre Burch, PhD; Sarah Thomas, PsyD

57.1 Simulation Labs Provide the Real Deal: How Collaboration Leads to Effective and Meaningful Training (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Carla Aaron, MSW; Beth Minor, BA; Warren Ondatje, MS; Julie Rotella, LCSW

Betsy Goulet, DPA; Susan Evans, MSW; Yu-Ling Chiu, PhD; Theodore Cross, PhD

58.1 Neglect: The Neglected Form of Abuse (Intermediate-INTD)
Ryan Brown, MD; Alissia Wilson, BS

58.2. Animals and Insects: Risks in Neglect (Beginning-CP/CW)
Ame Graff, MD

59.1 Trauma-informed Engagement, Assessment, and Treatment Strategies for Sexually Exploited Youth (Intermediate-MH)
Dawn Blacker, PhD; Brandi Liles, PhD; Kelly Kinnish, PhD

59.2. Unmasking the Fear: The Use of Systematic Desensitization to Alleviate Acute Stress Reactions to Trauma Reminders in TF-CBT (Intermediate-MH)
Thomas Mitchell, MA; Chase Sanders, MA

60.1. Interviewing Cases Involving Child Torture: Child Abuse Involving Extreme Physical and Psychological Maltreatment (Intermediate-MH)
Melissa Lillie, MSW; Cynthia Brown, MD, FAAP

61.1. Reducing Disclosure Failures in NICHD-based Forensic Interview Protocols (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Mark Everson, PhD; Stacie Leblanc, JD; Kate Homan, MS

61.2. Forensic Interview Forum: The Use of Media (e.g. anatomical dolls) in Forensic Interviews (Intermediate-INTD)
Kathleen Faller, PhD; Julie Kenniston, MSW

Saturday, June 16
10:15 – 11:45
Sessions 62 - 67

62.1 Take It Back: When Children Recant Allegations of Sexual Abuse (Advanced-INTD)
Carrie Paschall, BS

63. Virginity: Myths, Mystery, Madness (Intermediate-INTD)
Hollye Gallion, MD

64. Medical and Investigative Findings of Child Abuse (Intermediate-LE)
Neha Mehta, MD

65. Incorporating the Neurosequential Model of Therapeutics into Clinical Practice at a Children’s Advocacy Center (Beginning-MH)
Miriam Jansky, MSW

66. A Balanced and Restorative Approach to Treating Trauma in the Juvenile Justice System (Advanced-INTD)
Joh Seassock, PsyD; Kimmie Mulik, MA; Joseph Greco, BS

67. Research Session

Jesse Helton, PhD

Rachel Wamser-Nanney, PhD

67.3. The Perception and Understanding of Child Sexual Abuse and Other Forms of Child Maltreatment: Results of a Community Norms Survey (Beginning-Prev)
Amanda Haboush-Delaye, PhD

Posters Presentations
(Posters will be displayed during the Welcome Reception Thursday June 14 4:30-6:00pm)

Risk and Protective Factors in Child Development: Identify Patterns Among Alaska Native/American Indian and Non-Native Children (Intermediate-Prev)
Anna Austin, MPH; Meghan Shanahan, PhD

Using Child Well-being Factors to Predict Future Placement Type for Youth in Foster Care (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Andrew Benesh, PhD; Morgan Cooley, PhD

Child Welfare Training Approaches for a Behavioral Health Screener Implementation (Beginning-Admin)
Amanda Cockrell, BS; Rebekah Joseph, BS; Angela Younkins, BA; Taylor Cowell, BA; Carisa Wilse, PhD

Systemic Risk & Protective Factors of Longitudinal Well-being of Foster Youth in a National Sample (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Morgan Cooley, PhD; Andrew Benesh, PhD

Factors Influencing Child Welfare Caseworker Referrals to an Evidence-Based Parenting Program (Beginning-CP/CW)
Doris Duke Fellows: Christina DeNard, MSW; Antonio Garcia, PhD; Rinad Beidas, PhD

Feasibility of Addressing HPV Prevention During Acute Sexual Assault Care (Beginning-MN)
Stephanie Deutsch, MD; Sarah Benyo, Eileen Carlin, Bernadette Clagg, Bridget Andalaro, Sherly Xie, Allan Delang

Distinct Abuse Experiences of Children Exhibiting Problem Sexualized Behaviors (Beginning-CP/CW)
Doris Duke Fellows: Rebecca Dillard, MSW; Kathryn Maguire-Jack, PhD

Maternal Perceived Parenting Support and Perceived Injunctive Norms toward Corporal Punishment of a Primary Source of Support for Parenting, and Use of Corporal Punishment (Intermediate-Prev)
Doris Duke Fellows: Julia Fleckman, PhD; Catherine Taylor, PhD; Katherine Theall, PhD; Katherine Andrinopoulos, PhD

Workshop descriptions and learning objectives are available at www.apsac.org
Understanding the Pathways between Mothers’ Childhood Maltreatment Experiences and Insecure Attachment with Young Children (Intermediate-PMH)
Maria Khan, MS; Kimberly Renk, PhD; J’Nelle Stephenson, MA

A Wound Inflicted by a Friend Does Not Heal: SEM Modelling of Child Maltreatment, its Dimensions and their Demographic Parameters (Advanced-CP/CW)
Yaser Samak, PhD; Mogeda El-Kashky, PsyD; Nisreen Mohammed, PsyD

Doris Duke Fellow: Kristen Seay, PhD

Enhancing Health and Educational Outcomes for Children in Foster Care through Integrated Data (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Doris Duke Fellows: Kristen D. Seay, PhD; Cynthia Flynn, PhD; Neset Hikmet, PhD; Sue E. Levkov, PhD; Benjamin Schooley, PhD; Amanda S. McRell, Philip H. Redmond, Jr., JD

Violence and Victimization: An Exploration of the Relationship between Child Sexual Abuse, Violence and Delinquency (Beginning-INTD)
Rebecca Shaof Kazak, MSW

Children and Adolescents as Perpetrators of Child Maltreatment: Findings from NCANDS (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Gila Shusterman, PhD; Nicole Fetig, PhD

Utilizing High Reliability Principles to Create a Culture of Protection and Healing (Intermediate-Prev)
Drew Dillingham, Sr. Mary Ellen Wheelahan, Amy Cordon, BA

Promoting Resilient Development: Risk and Protective Factors underlying Externalizing Trajectories of Maltreated Children (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Susan Yoon, PhD

Early Childhood Aggression Among Child Welfare Involved Children: The Interplay Between the Type of Child Maltreatment and Ecological Protective Factors (Beginning-CP/CW)
Susan Yoon, PhD; Erin Tebben, Med; Guijin Lee, MSW; Kathryn Maguire-Jack, PhD

Cross-Cultural Research on Adverse Childhood Experiences: Prevalence and Consequences among Chinese Youth (Intermediate-CP/CW)
Lixia Zhang, MSW; Joshua Mersky, PhD; James Topitzes, PhD

Discipline (circle as many as apply)
CPS  Education  Law  Law Enforcement  Medicine  Ministry

Nursing  Psychiatry  Psychology  Social Work  Sociology  Other

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Wednesday, June 13, Advanced Training/Cultural Institutes # 2-6  $150  $175
Wednesday, June 13, Young Professionals Institute #7  $20  $20
Thursday-Saturday, June 12-16  $549  $649
Wednesday – Saturday, June 13-16  $489  $579
Thursday - Saturday, June 14-16  $429  $489
Thursday - Saturday, June 14-16 Student Registration  $200  $250
 Continuing Education Credit  $40  $40
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Workshop Preferences – Please see brochure for full listing and descriptions – only indicate the session number here. When you are registering for multi-part workshops, be sure to indicate both parts in the corresponding time frames.

Date and Event  Workshop Numbers  Selection
Tues.-Wed., June 12/13 Advanced Training Institute #1  8:30 am – 5:00 pm Institutes #1
Wednesday, June 13 Advanced Training/Cultural Institute  8:30 am – 5:00 pm Institutes #2 - 7
Thursday, June 14, Colloquium  10:00 am Workshops #8 - 17
Friday, June 15 Colloquium  10:00 am Workshops #32 – 41
Saturday, June 16, Colloquium  8:30 am Workshops #56 – 61
10:15 am Workshops #62 - 67

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Please indicate if you are attending the following events by checking the appropriate space:
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