



CONTINUING EDUCATION

FALL 2022

LIVE ONLINE WORKSHOPS VIA ZOOM TECHNOLOGY

Changing the Eating Disorder Lens: How Treating Eating Disorders from a Trauma Perspective May Change Everything

Friday, September 30, 2022

1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

3 Continuing Education contact hours for NYS licensed social workers

Instructor: *Michelle Cleary, LCSW, SEP, Adjunct Instructor, School of Social Welfare*

Workshop Description:

What will happen if I stop focusing on eating behaviors with my clients who struggle with EDs? What would happen if I started seeing EDs as a symptom and not as the disease? Could the vicious and seemingly never-ending cycle of eating disorder recovery be stopped if we looked beyond the behaviors?

This is an introductory workshop that will explore traditional ED treatment approaches and offer a trauma informed "upgrade" - one that is based in the Autonomic Nervous System (ANS), Attachment theory, and current trauma treatment.

Fee: \$65
\$55 (SSW Alumni, SBU employee, or current Field Instructor)

Social Gerontology: A Framework for Effective Practice with Older Adults

Friday, October 14, 2022

10:00 am – 1:00 pm

3 Continuing Education contact hours for NYS licensed social workers

Instructor: *Amy Chalfy, MSW, Former Chief Program Officer, Residential, Protective & Legal Services, JASA*

Workshop Description:

How we think about aging affects our work with older adults. An understanding of social gerontology provides the foundation for enhancing knowledge and skills in promoting a safe, fulfilled and resilient later life experience. This session is designed for individuals who are working with or preparing to work with older persons and their families. We will explore value-based aging theories, social attitudes, and funding policies. This will include the impact of ageism and access-to-care inequities, with a focus on the direct link to professional-client interactions and the effective identification of diverse needs, preferences, and service/care options.

Fee: \$65
\$55 (SSW Alumni, SBU employee, or current Field Instructor)

Collaboration Within the Care Continuum: How Professionals Work Together to Coordinate Care of Older Adults

Co-sponsored with the National Aging in Place Council, LI Chapter

Thursday, October 27, 2022

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

(9:30 am light refreshments)

****IN-PERSON****

Location: Amber Court of Smithtown, 130 Lake Avenue. S., Nesconset, NY

2 Continuing Education contact hours for NYS licensed social workers

Instructor: *Laura LaFauci, NCCDP Certified Alzheimer's Specialist, Carrie Arias, Esq., and a panel of experts in navigating edler care.*

Workshop Description:

The seminar will provide information on issues caregivers and families face as people age. Senior focused groups throughout Long Island, including the National Aging in Place Council (NAIPC), can help social workers and families navigate the complicated health and wellness landscape. These resourceful groups have the benefit of being accountable to each other which offers better protection for those who utilize senior services. This program will include discussion on the types of services available to older adults. Attendees will learn about resources and entitlements available on Long Island, from planning financially, to turning 65 with Social Security and Medicare to end of life planning and everything in between.

Fee: \$25
No fee for those not earning continuing education hours

Exploring Professional Responses to Child Neglect

Friday, October 28, 2022

10:00 am – 1:00 pm

3 Continuing Education contact hours for NYS licensed social workers

Instructor: *Kathryn Krase, PhD, JD, MSW, Principal Consultant with Krase Consultant*

Workshop Description:

Reports of suspected child neglect make up more than three-quarters of all reports made to child protective services in any given year; 6 times more than reports of sexual abuse, and 5 times more than reports of physical abuse. However, neglect reports are least likely to be substantiated after investigation. The reality is that reporters of suspected child maltreatment struggle with appropriately identifying and reporting this type of maltreatment. This session will explore the legal and ethical obligations of professional reporters, especially as they relate to the concept of child neglect. Various types of child neglect, including physical neglect, medical neglect and educational neglect will be explored, along with a significant conversation around parental supervision and the use of corporal punishment.

Fee: \$65
\$55 (SSW Alumni, SBU employee, or current Field Instructor)

Substance Use Disorders: What You Need to Know to Address the Needs of Your Clients

Friday, November 4 and

Friday, November 11, 2022 (2-part program)

1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

6 Continuing Education contact hours for NYS licensed social workers

Instructor: *Melissa Appel, LCSW (PA), LMSW (NY), CASAC 2 (NY), Adjunct Instructor, School of Social Welfare*

Workshop Description:

Many clinicians understand that knowing something about drug and alcohol use disorders could be helpful when treating clients with mental health issues. In this foundational workshop you will learn Who, Why, What and How, in your approach to substance use.

WHO: Everyone you are treating (and YOU) are living in a world rife with substances, alcohol, and nicotine. It's not something to be pushed to the side. Most people who need treatment do not get it for many reasons; you can help change that. WHY you need to know about Substance Use Disorders to be an effective clinician. WHAT you will miss in diagnosing and treating clients if you do not know the basics of Substance Use Disorders. WHY "I don't want to work with drug users" is not an acceptable statement in social work and how to become more comfortable in the field; HOW not to be afraid of asking questions; when to ask them and what kind of questions to ask; and HOW to discern between a mental health symptom and a substance use disorder symptom. There will also be a discussion about drug categories and characteristics.

Fee: \$130
\$120 (SSW Alumni, SBU employee, or current Field Instructor)

Exploring Ethical Obligations: Boundaries, Confidentiality and Mandated Reporting

Friday, November 18, 2022

10:00 am – 1:00 pm

3 Continuing Education contact hours for NYS licensed social workers

Instructor: *Kathryn Krase, PhD, JD, MSW, Principal Consultant with Krase Consultant*

Workshop Description:

This course brings real-world context to ethical concerns often experienced by professionals in practice. Through an exploration of boundaries, confidentiality and mandated reporting, this course will provide a framework to contemplate ethical dilemmas and make informed decisions that insulate professionals from legal liability while protecting clients from harm.

Fee: \$65
\$55 (SSW Alumni, SBU employee, or current Field Instructor)

Continuing Education Fall 2022 Workshops Continued

Depressed, Borderline, or Bipolar?

Friday, December 2, 2022

10:00 am – 1:00 pm

3 Continuing Education contact hours for NYS licensed social workers

Instructor: Brian Quinn, PhD, LCSW, Clinical Social Worker, Huntington, NY

Workshop Description:

Clinicians are seeing an increasing number of adolescents and young adults who, in spite of treatment with multiple antidepressants and a variety of other medications, remain mired in depression, often accompanied by irritability, anxiety, and distractibility. These individuals often lament that they "have tried every drug there is" without substantial or sustained benefit. One reason for their predicament is that many of them are not simply depressed. At least 40 percent of them actually have unrecognized bipolar illness, for which antidepressants have been found largely ineffective and, in some cases, harmful.

This seminar will provide clinicians with a four-part, clinical diagnostic method to distinguish patients with borderline personality and major depressive disorder from those with bipolar illness. Clinicians will learn about a key issue to address in the therapy of bipolar patients and the medications that should form the foundation of treatment for bipolar illness.

Fee: \$65
\$55 (SSW Alumni, SBU employee, or current Field Instructor)

Register Online



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IMPORTANT LINKS

- For more information contact Jennifer Davidson at socialwelfareced@stonybrook.edu or call (631) 444-8361
- socialwelfare.stonybrookmedicine.edu/continuing_education

All workshops are Live Online/Interactive Workshops via Zoom Technology

Registrants will receive a Zoom link to join workshop in a confirmation letter.

or by mail:

MAIL-IN REGISTRATION

CONTINUING EDUCATION WORKSHOPS - Fall 2022

(Please indicate the workshops you are registering for by checking the box below)

***Special discounted fee for current Field Instructors, Alumni or SSW or SBU employees**

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- ☐ **Exploring Ethical Obligations: Boundaries, Confidentiality and Mandated Reporting** - 11/18 - \$65/\$55*
- ☐ **Depressed, Borderline or Bipolar?** - 12/2 - \$65/\$55*

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

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Organization/Agency (if applicable): _____

Are you an alumni of the School of Social Welfare? _____ Yes _____ No

Amount Enclosed: _____ # of Workshops _____

ALL SOCIAL WORKERS PLEASE COMPLETE THIS INFORMATION: **NYS S.W. LICENSE #** _____ ☐ LMSW ☐ LCSW
(Please check one)

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All registrants will receive a confirmation for each course

Cancellation policy: A credit will be offered if registrant cancels within one week of workshop. Prior to that time, a refund will be given.



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