

SEXUAL ABUSE INTERVENTION TRAINING WORKSHOP LEVEL 1

BURNABY BC * **April 14 & 15, 2011** * Lake City Inn & Suites

With **Cheryl Bell-Gadsby, M.A., M.F.C.C., R.C.C.**

Topics:

Day One: Supporting Children and families

- Create a framework for understanding child sexual abuse within a societal, family, and cultural context
- Review the developmental stages of children
- Attachment : Foundation of Attachment
 - Disrupted Attachment
 - Attachment & Self Understanding
- Consider and examine the concepts of resiliency in children and families
- Explain the symptoms and indicators of sexual abuse in children and families

Day Two: Supporting Adolescent Survivors of Sexual Abuse

- Review current theories of adolescent development and consider the interlocking impacts of gender, race, ethnicity, class and sexuality on development,
- Consider the impact of sexual abuse/trauma on that development;
- Overview treatment issues that emerge for adolescents who have experienced child sexual abuse;
- Develop an understanding of appropriate interventions with adolescent survivors, from disclosure onwards;
- Identify creative interventions for addressing the treatment issues of this population

Learning will take place via short lecture, interactive discussion and small group exercises.

Cheryl Bell-Gadsby is an educator, psychotherapist, and clinical supervisor with over 20 years of experience specializing in trauma therapy from an Ericksonian and solution-oriented perspective. Cheryl studied and practiced child and family therapy in California before coming to Vancouver to work as a coordinator, therapist and clinical supervisor at Family Services of the North Shore, as Program Coordinator at the Justice Institute of BC, and is currently Director of Adult Services at Salt Spring Island Community Services, a private practitioner and member of the teaching faculty at City University and British Columbia Institute of Technology, School of Business.

Cheryl is the author of the book "Reclaiming Herstory: Ericksonian Solution-focused Therapy for Sexual Abuse". Her expertise includes consultation, program evaluation and the application of psychological skills and principles to business and organizational contexts

HOW TO REGISTER

Cost: \$225 for 2 days training: \$199 if cheque is received before March 15, 2011

Please confirm availability before mailing a cheque.

Once confirmed: Mail cheque to: Cameray Child and Family Services

4585 Hastings Street, Burnaby BC V5C 2K3

Further Information:

call Roxane at 604-291-7422 or email roxane.veltkamp@cameray.ca

Cancellations:

Training fees are refundable, subject to a \$25 administration fee, provided we receive notification at least seven calendar days before the training start date.