



West Virginia Infant/Toddler
Mental Health Association
Supporting the social and emotional well-being of children

Infant Mental Health Week Webinars
Hosted by the West Virginia Infant/Toddler Mental Health Association

All webinars will be from 12 noon – 1:30 p.m
1.5 Contact Hour of WV STARS, Nursing CEUs,
and Social Work CEUs available

<p>Monday, October 18</p>	<p>Understanding the Lifelong Significance of Attachment</p> <p>In this session, participants will learn about John Bowlby's theory of attachment, why it is relevant to infant and toddler care, and why it is important to lifelong development across all domains of development. Specifically, we will discuss what is attachment and how attachment provides a foundation for children's development. This session will be 1.5 hours long, with the last half an hour an opportunity for participants to discuss and reflect upon the information provided within the presentation.</p> <p><i>Presenters: Dr. Amy Root, Chair, Department of Counseling and Learning Sciences, Professor of Child Development, WVU and Amanda Newhouse, IMH-E®, LCSW, PCIT Level-1 Trainer, WVU Medicine, The Department of Behavioral Medicine and Psychiatry, Rockefeller Neuroscience Institute</i></p> <p>To register, please copy and paste the link below into your internet browser. https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUqfuyqjwvGtO38Fj-zJMIS90L8U8rtKwz</p>
<p>Tuesday, October 19</p>	<p>Is Prenatal Attachment Possible?</p> <p>This session will explore prenatal attachment, the development of pregnancy, and the experience of the neonate. This session will be 1.5 hours long, with the last half an hour an opportunity for participants to discuss and reflect upon the information provided within the presentation.</p> <p><i>Presenter: Amanda Newhouse, IMH-E®, LCSW, PCIT Level-1 Trainer, WVU Medicine, The Department of Behavioral Medicine and Psychiatry, Rockefeller Neuroscience Institute</i></p> <p>To register, please copy and paste the link below into your internet browser. https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZcrdOGrpzotG921876grOwHu7hrW39gN72x</p>
<p>Wednesday, October 20</p>	<p>A Closer Look at Behaviors Associated with Attachment in Toddlers and Preschool Children</p> <p>In this session, participants will learn how caregivers foster attachment, discuss what attachment security is related to, and behaviors associated with the different types of attachment in toddlers and preschool age children. This session will be 1.5 hours long, with the last half an hour an opportunity for participants to discuss and reflect upon the information provided within the presentation.</p> <p><i>Presenter: Dr. Amy Root, Chair, Department of Counseling and Learning Sciences, Professor of Child Development, WVU</i></p> <p>To register, please copy and paste the link below into your internet browser. https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZcuc-uqqT8rEtbZLBaeoxyXjo8RVQrQTPtt</p>

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<p>Thursday, October 21</p>	<p>Supporting Foster and Kinship Families with Building Attachment</p> <p>This session will explore how to support kinship and foster care. We will explore some of the challenges in both areas and discuss how to build the families up. This session will be 1.5 hours long, with the last half an hour an opportunity for participants to discuss and reflect upon the information provided within the presentation.</p> <p><i>Presenter: Amanda Newhouse, IMH-E®, LCSW, PCIT Level-1 Trainer, WVU Medicine, The Department of Behavioral Medicine and Psychiatry, Rockefeller Neuroscience Institute</i></p> <p>To register, please copy and paste the link below into your internet browser. https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZl1vfU2hqDkvHfEsttKM_-APXE9omzCqJolZ</p>
<p>Friday, October 22</p>	<p>Attachment Throughout the Lifespan</p> <p>In this session, participants will learn about the impact of attachment across the lifespan. Specifically, we will discuss how attachment influences elements of self and relationships. In addition, we will discuss how attachment influences in other domains, as well as across the lifespan. This session will be 1.5 hours long, with the last half an hour an opportunity for participants to discuss and reflect upon the information provided within the presentation.</p> <p><i>Presenter: Dr. Amy Root, Chair, Department of Counseling and Learning Sciences, Professor of Child Development, WVU</i></p> <p>To register, please copy and paste the link below into your internet browser. https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZ0tceuvrDkoEt2ehetrHnotpBj3eRx8lOzL</p>