

SOCIAL EMOTIONAL INSTITUTE 2019



MONDAY & TUESDAY, MAY 20-21

Running Right Leadership Academy
431 Running Right Way
Julian, WV 25529

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Welcome

The 2019 Social Emotional Institute is an early childhood conference promoting the factors related to social emotional development, while providing quality professional development opportunities for home visitors, early childhood professionals, social workers, nurses and other professionals who work on behalf of children and youth.

Conference Objectives

- To build relationships among groups and individuals working to support young children and families in WV
- Share current social/emotional best practices
- Share the impact of trauma on a child/family
- Increase the understanding of emotional/behavioral/relational/physical effects of domestic violence
- Discuss the impact of substance abuse on families and communities



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AGENDA

MONDAY, MAY 20, 2019

On-Site Registration/Check-In - 7:30 am - 8:30 am

Keynote Speaker - 8:30 am - 9:45 am

Featured Speaker: Jim Harris

Conference Sessions A 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Lunch 12:00 pm - 12:45 pm

Conference Sessions B 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Break 2:30 pm - 2:45 pm

Conference Sessions C 2:45 pm - 4:15 pm

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2019

On-Site Registration/Check-In - 7:30 am - 8:30 am

Conference Sessions D 8:45 am - 10:15 am

Break 10:15 am - 10:30 am

Conference Sessions E 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Lunch 12:00 pm - 12:45 pm

Keynote Speaker - 1:00 pm- 2:30 pm

Featured Speaker: Monica Ashford

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KEYNOTE

Monday, May 20, 8:30 am - 9:45 am

THE WORTHY STRUGGLE: SUPPORTING SOCIAL EMOTIONAL GROWTH IN CHILDREN



Jim Harris, Ed.D., LICSW

Associate Director, West Virginia Autism Training Center at Marshall University

If you work with children and families today you don't need anyone to tell you that it can be overwhelming. Even the most resilient early childhood professionals may find themselves paralyzed by the complexities of today's society. In this presentation Dr. Harris gets back to the basics regarding our work with children. Dr. Harris will explore how key developmental tasks and daily activities can be viewed through the lens of building a stronger society. Dr. Harris will explore how the different systems that interact with children and families must be leveraged to work toward the best possible outcomes.

DAY 1 A

Monday, May 20, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

A - 1 LEADERSHIP - LEADING SO OTHERS WILL WANT TO FOLLOW

Chuck Stump

President, The Performance Group

Great leaders share a host of strong qualities. This workshop highlights the "C's" of leadership: Communication, Competence, Character, Clarity, Community, and Coaching. These building blocks help leaders lay the foundation for a solid career!

A - 2 THE EFFECTS OF TRAUMA ON SOCIAL/EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Sharon Bright,

Director, WV Birth to Three RAU III

Attendees will learn how social/emotional development is formed in children ages birth through five years of age. We will explore the causes of trauma and how the impact of trauma influences this development.

A - 3 RIGHT FROM THE START ANNUAL MEETING

Lana Myers, LSW & Jackie Newson

Right From The Start Program Coordinator | Director WV Home Visitation Program

Right From The Start annual meeting (RFTS). Only open to RTFS staff.

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DAY 1 B

Monday, May 20, 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

B - 1 JOURNEY OF HOPE FOR CAREGIVERS PART I

Tony Richards, MPH & Erika Blackburn
Senior Program Specialist | Psychosocial Coordinator, Save the Children

The Journey of Hope Care for Caregivers Workshop is designed to strengthen supportive and effective learning environments for children. This workshop promotes the emotional well-being of caregivers to be more fully present and attentive to the needs of children.

B - 2 TRAUMA 101 PART I

Holly Glick Sly, MA
Children's Services Clinical Director, FMRS Health Systems, Inc.

Trauma 101 is a 3-hour training that provides a general overview of psychological trauma and the effects on children of all ages (infant and toddler, preschool, and school age) and adults

B - 3 PRENATAL SUBSTANCE EXPOSURE: SHORT & LONG-TERM EFFECTS

Rhonda Edmunds, RN
Director of Nursing, Lilly's Place

Attendees will learn about Prenatal Substance Exposure and the short term and possible long term effects of Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome.

DAY 1 C

Monday, May 20, 2:45 pm - 4:15 pm

C - 1 JOURNEY OF HOPE FOR CAREGIVERS PART II

Tony Richards, MPH & Erika Blackburn
Senior Program Specialist | Psychosocial Coordinator, Save the Children

Part II continues to explore the emotional well-being of caregivers to be more fully present and attentive to the needs of children.

C - 2 TRAUMA 101 PART II

Holly Glick Sly, MA
Children's Services Clinical Director, FMRS Health Systems, Inc.

Part II continues to explore trauma and the complex trauma of individuals served by child serving systems.

C - 3 SCREENING, BRIEF, INTERVENTION & REFERRAL TO TREATMENT

James Matheny
Clinical Director, WV SBIRT

This training will develop competencies on how to identify substance use disorders in families with school children.

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DAY 2 D

Tuesday, May 21, 8:45 am - 10:15 am

D - 1

BREASTFEEDING: A SUPER MEDICINE FOR WV CHILDREN

*Molly Scarborough McMillion RN, BSN, IBCLC, LCCE, CPST
Director, West Virginia Breastfeeding Alliance*

Today our children are at the most risk ever. WV ranks worse for smoking, obesity, mental health, substance abuse and overdose deaths—all are contributing to our current child welfare crisis. Breastfeeding is just the right “medicine” to help curb this tide.

*Michelle Romanek & Gregg Oxley
CQI Consultants, WV Home Visitation Program*

D - 2

AMPLIFY EMPATHY PART I

Participants will be given an overview of empathy and focus primarily on withholding judgement. They will discover how to overcome the barriers to empathizing, practice mindful listening, and apply effective communication that can be translated into enhanced professional and personal relationships.

Sheila Moran

Director of Marketing, First Choice Services

D - 3

FINDING RESOURCES IN WV: MAKING THE RIGHT CALL

One of the primary barriers for treatment of addiction and mental health issues among West Virginians is the belief that finding help is difficult and navigating their options are complicated and time consuming. Over 1,000 local resources are available and most can begin treatment with 24 hours.

DAY 2 E

Tuesday, May 21, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

E - 1

KINSHIP CARE IN WV

*Melissa Lilly & Kaitlyn Akers
Attorney | Paralegal, Legal Aid of West Virginia*

This training focuses on individuals raising a grandchild or other relative. Learn about resources that are available to kinship care providers including financial assistance, medical and behavioral assistance, public benefits, education, and scholarship options.

E - 2

AMPLIFY EMPATHY PART II

*Michelle Romanek & Gregg Oxley
CQI Consultants, WV Home Visitation Program*

Part II will continue to engage participants, giving them an opportunity to explore and grow their own empathy through dialogue and reflection

E- 3

**FIND YOUR WAY
THROUGH PLAY:
SOCIAL EMOTIONAL
HEALING AND
GROWTH THROUGH
PLAY THERAPY**

*Katrina Jefferson, MSW, LCSW, RPT-S, CTT
Therapist, PeaceTree Center for Wellness, TLC Services*

Explore the process and impact of attachment and traumatic experiences on our brain, body and social and emotional development, as well as the impact on those we serve. Learn essential Play Therapy skills for self help and how to demonstrate with others to promote Social and Emotional Development.

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SHOW UP - HOW CAN WE DO IT BETTER?

Monica Ashford, MA

*Development Consultant, WV Division of Personnel
Organization and Human Resource Development*



The presentation is designed to be interactive and includes activities that are performed by individuals and groups. Activities are incorporated to help participants experience the content in a way that leads them to an understanding of the material and its benefits. Information presented is researched and delivered in a way that utilizes adult learning theory. The overarching principles of the presentation are self-care, mindfulness, and self-awareness and how each of these increases the ability to show up for oneself and for others.



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CONFERENCE REGISTRATION INFORMATION

What are the Benefits of Registering Early and How Do I Register?

Registering early helps ensure workshop selections. Early registration deadline is May 13, 2019. Registrations must be POSTMARKED by this date or they will be returned UNPROCESSED. If your registration is returned, you need to bring your registration form and payment with you to the conference for on-site registration. Only check, purchase order, or money order will be accepted as forms of payment. No cash or credit cards will be accepted.

How Do I Get Started?

Please use the registration form on the last page to register. Feel free to copy the registration form for EACH INDIVIDUAL person. Please do not use one form for an entire agency or program. Please indicate a first, second and third choice of workshops. If you only indicate ONE choice and that workshop is FULL, you will be assigned a workshop by the conference coordinator. Therefore, it is imperative you indicate alternative choices to ensure you will receive a workshop that is valuable to you. Please fill out the registration form completely.

When Can I Register On-Site?

On-site registration and other information will be provided at the registration table and will adhere to the following schedule:
Monday, May 20, 2019 7:30 am – 8:30 am
Tuesday, May 21, 2019 7:30 am – 8:30 am
Please note that cash and credit cards will not be accepted as a form of payment.

Where Do I Pick Up Conference Items?

At the conference, the PRE-REGISTERED LINE will be designated for people who pre-registered and need to pick up their name badges and confirmation letters. The ON-SITE REGISTRATION LINE will be for people who need to register on-site. The HELP LINE will be for people who have questions.

What Does the Registration Fee Include?

Registration fees include lunch, CEUs, parking, your name badge, admission to conference workshops, and keynote presentations.

How Can I Receive Credit for Continuing Education Units (CEUs)?

During each workshop, presenters will pass around a CEU sign-in sheet. You must complete this sign-in sheet in order to receive full credit for attendance

What Happens if My Workshop Is Full?

When your first choice workshop is full, you will receive your second choice, if possible. If your second choice is also full, your third choice will be assigned.

How Do I Know What Workshops I Am Registered to Attend?

You will receive your name badge at the conference check-in on May 20th or May 21st. On the name badge, you will find your workshop assignments. If the workshops you are assigned were not your first choice, please understand your first choice was not available.

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CONFERENCE REGISTRATION INFORMATION

What are the Payment Procedures?

Registrations WILL NOT be processed without FULL PAYMENT (check, money order or purchase order). Payment MUST accompany your registration form or your registration will be mailed back to you UNPROCESSED. If you are attending the conference from an agency who has a central accounting office, please advise the office that payment or purchase order must be received with registration(s). Purchase orders must be paid upon receipt of invoice. When sending payment, please indicate the name(s) of the participant(s) that are included in the payment. We want to make sure the correct participant(s) are credited. Please make payment to: River Valley Child Development Services (RVCDS).

What Is the Cancellation/Refund Policy?

Cancellation or refund requests must be written, signed, and approved (fax accepted). A \$10 processing fee is assessed if received by May 13. No refunds available after May 15. The only exception will be if a state of emergency is issued by the Governor. Please allow 4-6 weeks for processing. Checks returned constitute failure to register and result in return of registration materials. You may re-register by money order. Bank charges incurred by RVCDS must be included. Purchase orders constitute payment and are subject to the refund policy.

DIRECTIONS

Directions

From I-77 S/I-79 S, take exit 101 to I-64 W/US-119 S

From I-64 W/US-119 S, take exit 58A to US-119 S. Continue along US-119 S/Corridor G until you get to Running Right Way - between mile markers 61.5 and 62.

**431 Running Right Way
Julian, WV 25529**



HOTELS

All reservations for hotel accommodations should be handled directly with the hotels.

Holiday Inn Express & Suites
Charleston - Southridge
95 RHL Blvd 304-746-4748

Hampton Inn Charleston- Southridge
1 Preferred Place
304-746-4646

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Registration Form

Please complete and return this registration form to:
Kevin Jones, WVECTCR, 611 Seventh Ave Suite 322, Huntington, WV 25701
kjones@rvcds.org or fax: 304-529-2535

One application per participant. Photocopied registration forms are accepted.
Forms must be received by May 13, 2019

Name: _____

Agency/Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email (required for registration and confirmation): _____

Phone Number: _____ County _____

Days Attending: ☐ Monday, May 20th ☐ Tuesday, May 21st

Please indicate your 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choice for each session (the number is listed at the beginning of each workshop description).

Monday (10:00 am - 12:00 pm) A-____ A-____ A-____

Monday (1:00 pm - 2:30 pm) B-____ B-____ B-____

Monday (2:45 pm - 4:15 pm) C-____ C-____ C-____

Tuesday (8:45 am - 10:15 am) D-____ D-____ D-____

Tuesday (10:30 am - 12:00 pm) E-____ E-____ E-____

☐ Two Days \$40 ☐ One Day \$25

Payment Method: Please make checks out to River Valley Child Development Services (RVCDS)

Please fill in check # or PO # in the appropriate space:

Personal Check # _____

Agency Check # _____

Purchase Order # _____

Money Order # _____

Registration Fees includes lunch, parking and CEU's