



Trauma-Informed Clinical Supervision

*A virtual training session
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Note: This training is open to licensed New York State (NYS) Mental Health Providers and/or current graduate students of a clinical program from OVS-funded organizations. Continuing Education (CE) credit hours are subject to successful completion of all session requirements. See below for more information.

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The supervisory relationship is the foundation that supports the entire process of clinical supervision. There are many parallels between supervision and counseling and, as such, the supervisor can become a model to the supervisee in developing strong clinical relationship. By implementing a trauma-informed approach, supervisors can reduce the risk of secondary (or vicarious) trauma among their staff, prevent burnout and turnover, and ultimately create an environment that improves outcomes for clients.

This 3.5-hour web-based training will provide clinical supervisors with skilled understanding of trauma-informed care principles and practices in direct service and supervision. Specific training about essential components of effective supervision and infusing these trauma-informed principles into supervision experiences with direct reports will be provided. The training will be lecture-based with small group breakout sessions for more in-depth discussion of topics and practice with case study examples.

Objectives

At the conclusion of this presentation, participants will be able to:

1. Identify essential supervision practices utilizing an established model of clinical supervision
2. Identify elements that contribute to effective supervisory relationships, supervision session structure, and evaluation
3. Identify basic elements of trauma-informed care practice and how these can be integrated with supervision in practical and applicable ways
4. Practice applying the principles of trauma-informed supervision through case studies and discussion with other supervisors.

Continuing Education Eligibility and Requirements

This program is open to licensed NYS Mental Health Providers and/or current clinical program graduate students from OVS-funded organizations. The session is free of charge and select Continuing Education (CE) hours will be provided to those who meet eligible criteria. Participants must be present throughout the session. Attendance will be taken 3 times (once per hour) via the polling feature of the video platform.

Social Work Continuing Education Credits (3 hours) are currently under review through University at Albany School of Social Welfare and School of Education.

Approved for (3) NYS Licensed Mental Health Practitioner credits. State University of New York at New Paltz, Continuing Education Program is recognized by the New York State Education Department's State Board for Mental Health Practitioners as an approved provider of continuing education for licensed mental health counselors. #MHC0227.

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Course Instructor



Dr. Kerrie Fineran is an Associate Professor and Program Director of the Counselor Education Program at Purdue University. Originally from Fort Wayne, she earned her B.S. from the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Virginia where she was also a NCAA Division I student athlete (swimming). Dr. Fineran went on to obtain her M.Ed. from Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania, and her Ph.D. in Counselor Education and Supervision from the University of Toledo. Dr. Fineran's research interests include counselor preparation; suicide assessment, prevention, and postvention; and working with individuals with substance and behavioral addictions. She is a member of the American Counseling Association, the Association for Counselor Education and Supervision, the International Association of Addictions and Offender Counselors, Association for Specialists in

Group Work, Chi Sigma Iota International Counseling Honor Society, and numerous state and local organizations.

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