

**PRESCHOOLERS' TRAUMA FOCUSED COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL THERAPY TRAINING**

**Wednesday, JUNE 11, 2008 ~ 8:30AM – 4:30PM**

**Live Site:**

Anschutz Medical Campus  
Education 2 North Building, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Room 1107  
13120 E. 19<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Aurora, CO 80045

This workshop is also being offered as a **WEBINAR**. A computer with a high speed internet connection and Adobe Flash are system requirements. Pre-registration for a web connection is required as limited space is available. Web participants will receive an email with log on instructions a few days prior to the event. You may view the webinar individually or in groups with an LCD and speakers attached to a computer.

**Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavior Therapy** is an essential tool for the treatment of children suffering from Post Traumatic Stress Disorder. It is a model evidence-based treatment endorsed by SAMHSA and the National Child Traumatic Network. It was the number one request for training from the Project BLOOM state-wide training survey.

**This training will focus on treatment in early childhood** and will include a copy of the Preschool TF-CBT manual drafted (not yet published) by Dr. Michael Scheeringa, available by special permission of the author. The manual provides guidance, specific handouts and young-child friendly models for the therapist's immediate use.

TF-CBT is the focus of many learning collaboratives across the USA, sponsored by the National Child Traumatic Stress Network. The prerequisite for the live training is completion of the on-line training, which is about 8 hours of time.

**Prerequisite: FREE Online TF-CBT Course** Go to: [www.tfcbt.musc.edu](http://www.tfcbt.musc.edu). You can also google TF-CBT and get the site. The host is the Medical University of South Carolina. When you go to the training website you will create a log-on and password so that you can complete it in manageable chunks that fit into your schedule. Plan to bring or fax your certificate prior to the June 11<sup>th</sup> training.

**Dr. Karen Mallah** was trained in TF-CBT by Dr. Judith Cohen and Dr. Anthony Manarino, developers of TF-CBT. Dr. Mallah has trained at many sites in Colorado and around the USA. Training is open to a total of 50 participants on and off site, so register early!

**After-Training Support!** After the completion of the training, Dr. Mallah is willing to offer a year-long conference call coaching program to a group of ten trainees. This kind of coaching has been shown to markedly increase the quality and frequency of use of a new intervention. The coaching will occur over a period of 12-months and will include 10 calls of 1.5 hours each. During the calls the trainees will discuss case material and barriers and questions about implementing TF-CBT in their practice. Calls will be scheduled at Dr. Mallah's convenience and in conjunction with the group's schedule.

**Cost:**

- **TF-CBT Training (both live site and web connection) and Preschool Manual:** \$75/\$60 current COAIMH member (if you want to become a COAIMH member, please call/email Holly Wilcher at 303-355-5205 or email [Holly.Wilcher@ccd.edu](mailto:Holly.Wilcher@ccd.edu). You must be a COAIMH member before you register for the member rate for the training.)
- **After-Training Support:** 10 calls (1.5 hours each) between July 2008 and June 2009: \$100 Pre-Paid on the day of the event to Aurora Mental Health Center+ \$50 paid after the first call.

**Online Registration:** <http://jfkpartners.org/workshops.asp> / **Registration Deadline:** June 4, 2008

**More Questions?** Contact Betsy Rogers at [betsyrogers@aumhc.org](mailto:betsyrogers@aumhc.org) or 303-617-2458