

The Behavioral Health Training and Education Network (BHTEN)
With support from The Philadelphia Department of Behavioral Health/Intellectual disabilities Services presents
Issues and Resources Training Series

Building a Wall of Compassion: Understanding and Responding More Effectively to Borderline Personality Disorder

Presenters:

Talya Lewis, BA

Peer Trainer/Consultant, BPD Support Consulting

Ms. Lewis is an educator specializing in presenting information about Borderline Personality Disorder. She currently facilitates both peer-run and parent/caregiver support groups for individuals with a diagnosis of BPD and often presents to behavioral health staff, including those at the 2009 Psychiatric Nursing Conference. She has also appeared on NPR's Voices in the Family to discuss BPD and her lived experience.

Kalma Kartell White, MEd, CPRP

Behavioral Health Training Specialist, BHTEN

Ms. White has provided direct service, supervision, as well as training and consultation related to Borderline Personality Disorder and the impact of trauma and child abuse to behavioral health and other human service providers, for many years.

No commercial support was received to fund this event.

All presenters have shared no real or apparent conflict of interest regarding this workshop

Day/Date: Friday, December 2, 2011

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Location: Behavioral Health Training and Education Network (BHTEN)

520 North Delaware Avenue, 7th Floor, Suite 7C, Philadelphia, PA 19123

- BHTEN IS LOCATED IN THE RIVERVIEW PLACE BUILDING, ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF DELAWARE & SPRING GARDEN: ENTRANCE ON SPRING GARDEN STREET

Cost: **\$20.00 per person (includes materials)** PRE-REGISTERED PERSONS MUST NOTIFY BHTEN OF ANY

CANCELLATION PRIOR TO THE PROGRAM TO RECEIVE CREDIT TOWARD ANOTHER COURSE (72 HOURS NOTICE REQUIRED FOR REFUND)

Target Audience: This introductory course is designed for staff at all levels in behavioral health & human services agencies. Much of the material was presented in 2009 and 2010

Course Description: *Introductory level – Borderline Personality Disorder (BPD) is a diagnosis mired in stigma & hopelessness. Common beliefs are that people with this disorder cannot have positive relationships, that they exhaust everyone they encounter & that they will never be able to be contributing members of a community. This workshop is designed to challenge those assumptions, to examine the experiences of individuals with BPD & people providing services, to share tools that can be used in supportive relationships & to discuss self-care for support persons within these often challenging, but also rewarding, relationships.*

By the end of the presentation, the participant will be able to:

1. Discuss controversy surrounding the etiology of Borderline Personality Disorder (BPD);
2. Describe the differences in how clinicians and persons with the diagnosis define and perceive BPD;
3. List three (3) core experiences associated with having BPD;
4. Identify at least two (2) skills that can be used in working with people diagnosed with BPD;
5. Identify at least two (2) self-care strategies for service providers.

Credits: 6 PCB Credits approved by the PA Certification Board;

.6 CEUs - BHTEN is authorized by IACET to offer .6 CEUs (= 6 Training Hours) for this program

6 SW Credit Hours: This training is co-sponsored by the Bryn Mawr Graduate School of Social Work and accredited School of Social Work Social Research for a maximum of 5 credit hours. Bryn Mawr College GSSWSR, as a CSWE, is a pre-approved provider of continuing education for Social Workers in PA and many other states.

6.0 CE credits for Psychologists are offered. BHTEN is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing Education for psychologists. BHTEN maintains responsibility for this program and its content

6.0 CPRP CEUs—BHTEN is approved by the United States Psychiatric Rehabilitation Association (Provider #011190) to sponsor continuing education for Certified Psychiatric Rehabilitation Practitioners. BHTEN maintains responsibility for the program and its content

Special Needs: CONTACT SHEYEL RORIE AT (215) 923-2116, EXT. 270 WITH ANY SPECIAL NEEDS -- INDICATE THEM ON THE REGISTRATION FORM

Bad Weather? Please call 215-923-2116, ext. 401 to check on any delays or cancellations.

Questions? Please call Tiffany Livingston, Clerical Assistant at 215-923-2116, ext. 293.

Parking: Public transportation to BHTEN is strongly recommended, as parking is not provided at the site and metered street parking is extremely limited. Please plan accordingly. BHTEN is not able to provide or make change for the meters.

Clothing Suggestion: Maintaining a room temperature that is comfortable for everyone is very difficult; please wear layered clothing and/or bring a light sweater or jacket in case the room becomes too cool.

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Registration Information: Pre-registration is required.

- Fee: \$20.00/person - **Make personal checks, agency checks or money orders payable to:**
THE CONSUMER SATISFACTION TEAM
- Checks returned due to insufficient funds will result in a \$35.00 charge to the individual or agency.
- Please note that *cash cannot be accepted*.
- Payment & registration form must be submitted together; registration will not be done by fax or telephone.
- Please mail check and registration form to:
The Behavioral Health Training and Education Network
c/o Clerical Assistant
520 North Delaware Avenue, Suite 7C
Philadelphia, PA 19123
- **Registration Deadline: Monday, November 21, 2011**
- Registration will be closed once seating capacity is reached.
- Registration is done on first come, first served basis.
- Sign-in begins at 8:30 AM on the day of the training.

Confirmation:

- THE IDENTIFIED CONTACT PERSON WILL RECEIVE CONFIRMATION FOR ALL REGISTERED PARTICIPANTS BY FAX PRIOR TO THE TRAINING DATE;
 - CONTACT PERSON IS TO DISTRIBUTE AS NEEDED TO TRAINING PARTICIPANTS.
 - PARTICIPANTS ARE EACH REQUIRED TO BRING THEIR CONFIRMATION LETTER ON THE DAY OF THE TRAINING.

To Register: Please complete the requested information below for each attendee. Please type the information or **PRINT** clearly.

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Agency Name	Contact Person and Position
_____	_____
Agency Mailing Address	Phone Number Fax Number
_____	_____
City, State, Zip Code	E-Mail Address

Participant Names and Programs

(Please indicate any special needs of participants & call Sheyel Rorie, 215 923-2116, ext. 270)

1. _____	_____
Name	Program
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Last 4 Digits of Social Security #	Phone Number E-Mail Address
2. _____	_____
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Last 4 Digits of Social Security #	Phone Number E-Mail Address
3. _____	_____
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The Behavioral Health Training and Education Network has been approved as an Authorized Provider by the International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET), 1760 Old Meadow Road, Suite 500, McLean, VA 22102; (703) 506-3275.

