



WINTER WORKSHOP

“Ethical Considerations Related to Group Play Therapy: Concerns about Confidentiality”

Ethics in Play Therapy

Morning Presenters

Jenifer Ware, M.S.Ed., LPC-S & Dalen Dillman Taylor, M.Ed., LPC-Intern

AND

“A Knife to Mom’s Throat: Trauma Informed Play Therapy”

Afternoon Presenter

Jennifer Baggerly, Ph.D., LPC, RPT-S

When: February 11, 2012

Time: 8:30A.M. – 4:00P.M. (Continental Breakfast and Snacks included in cost of workshop)

Registration: 8:00 – 8:30A.M.

Where: The YMCA, 146 Town Center Blvd., Coppell, TX 75019

AM Workshop Information: This workshop will provide three hours of ethics. Presenters will review professional literature for purposes of discerning ethical implications of working with children in a group setting. In addition, the presenters will discuss issues such as the influence of development on the comprehension and application of confidentiality and disclosure to parents as well as the process on maintaining confidentiality between the group members and between the members and leader. Attendees will be encouraged to explore ideas about resolving ethical dilemmas through real-world examples and gain greater awareness of the implications and need for future researchers on this topic.

Presenter Information: Both Jenifer Ware, M.Ed., LPC and Dalena Dillman Taylor, M.Ed., LPC-Intern are PhD students at the University of North Texas and have worked with children in a variety of settings, both individually and in groups. Relevant to this topic, the presenters have facilitated group work with children in a mental health clinic setting. In addition, both presenters have taken a doctoral level course on ethics and one presenter has participated in the ACA Ethics Contest. The presenters have researched this topic as it applies to children and to groups.

PM Workshop Information: With the recent rise in violence involving children locally and worldwide, play therapists need to be prepared with the latest evidence-informed principles and procedures for facilitating recovery and resilience in traumatized children. In this presentation, participants will learn (a) new research on the neuro-physiological and psychological impact of trauma on children, (b) trauma-informed principles for working with traumatized children, (c) trauma-informed play therapy procedures for establishing safety with traumatized children, (d)





play therapy strategies for facilitating a restorative trauma narrative with traumatized children, and (e) play therapy methods of promoting healthy connections with community members.

Presenter Information: Jennifer N. Baggerly is an associate professor and chair of the Division of Counseling and Human Services at the University of North Texas-Dallas. She is on the board of directors of the Association for Play Therapy (APT) and the former chair of the APT research committee. Jennifer is a licensed professional Counselor, a registered play therapist supervisor and a field traumatologist. A recipient of the Outstanding Play Therapist Award from the Florida Association for Play Therapy, she has provided child mental health services locally and internationally including victims of the tsunami in Sri Lanka and Hurricane Katrina. Jennifer's multiple research projects have led to her being recognized as one of the lead play therapy researchers in the world. She has numerous publications, including many juried articles, multiple books chapters and several videos. She is also the lead editor of the recently published book "Child-Centered Play Therapy Research: The Evidence Base for Effective Practice". Jennifer is a recognized authority on play therapy and has presented papers on play therapy intervention with traumatized children in Argentina, Canada, England and Taiwan.

Registration Form

Fee Schedule

(Mail Registration Deadline – January 8, 2011)

Name _____

Address _____

Phone #: _____

Mail to: NTCTAPT Winter Workshop
C/O Connie Moulder
9728 Delmonico Dr.
Keller, TX 76244

Member by December 12, 2011:

Pre-registration	\$50
At the Door	\$70

Nonmember:

Pre-registration	\$85
At the Door	\$100

Student:

Pre-registration	\$40
At the Door	\$60

Amount Enclosed _____

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