Understanding and Diagnosing Complex Behavioral Health Conditions

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Target Audience: Counselors, family and youth support partners, therapists, case managers, teachers, social workers, probation officers, and other individuals working with children, youth, and families.

Course Description: The County of San Diego Behavioral Health Services Children, Youth and Families (BHS-CYF) provides services to children who are insured by Medical as well as unfunded youth up to age 21 who have serious/severe behavioral health difficulties. This course will help training participants to understand and diagnose complex conditions in the Children’s System of Care and develop treatment recommendations that follow the diagnoses. This training will provide tools to facilitate a rapid and reasonable identification of issues that a particular child or family may bring and methods for arriving at a diagnosis or set of diagnoses that represents the complexity of the needs of the child or family. Specific treatment concepts will also be presented. *This training will be offered multiple times over the next 4 months. Look for upcoming flyers.

Learning Objectives:
Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Determine the level of complexity of behavioral health conditions experienced by children and their families
- Recognize tools and methods that can be used to identify complex symptoms

REGISTRATION: This training is free of charge. If you already have an account, click here to register. If you do not already have an account in the LMS you will need to open an account. Please see Creating an Account on our website for more details. Email BHETA@mail.sdsu.edu if you have any questions.

This course meets the qualifications for 7 hours of continuing education credit for MFTs, LPCCs, LEPs and/or LCSWs as required by the California Board of Behavioral Sciences, PCE 3776. The Academy is approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider Number BRN CEP-15014; CFAAP/CAADAC, Provider Number 15-98-398-0816 CAADE Provider Number CP10-906-C0317, and CAS Provider Number 5107, for 7 contact hours/CEHs. The Academy for Professional Excellence is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. The Academy maintains responsibility for this program and its content.

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