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SAPA Announcements

MESSAGE FROM THE CE CHAIR

Hello SAPA members,

As CE chair, I try to be on the lookout for other CE opportunities for SAPA members. I have included info on some opportunities available online through the DCOE (Defense Centers of Excellence for psychological health and traumatic brain injury)

For any of you who provide behavioral health services to any active or retired military personnel or their families (you do not need to do this exclusively to qualify), you can attend webinars for free and earn CE credit. They have 1 webinar per month on psychological health and 1 webinar per month on TBI.

Here is the link for the webinar list:

http://www.dcoe.mil/Training/Monthly_Webinars.aspx

There is also a 3-day summit coming up in early Sept. that folks are able to attend online (also for free).

Here is the link:

<http://www.dcoe.mil/Training/Events/2015-Psychological-Health-and-Resilience-Summit.aspx>

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JOB OPENING

MTC Medical - Psychologist Arizona State Prison Complex (Kingman)

At MTC, caring about others, giving back, and making a social impact are the foundation of all we do. Since 2005, MTC Medical has made a social impact by improving the healthcare that offenders receive. We providing quality medical, dental, and mental health services to more than 19,000 offenders at 15 facilities, while also promoting healthy lifestyles.

MTC Medical is currently seeking a full or part-time Psychologist at the Arizona State Prison Complex – Kingman in Golden Valley, Arizona. This position is responsible for directing the facility mental health program and ensuring that appropriate care is accessible and provided to the inmate population in a timely fashion.

This position requires Doctorate in Psychology, Social Work, Counseling or related field and current license from the appropriate state board. Two years of experience in the corrections or criminal justice field is preferred. Qualified candidates should also possess a valid driver's license in the state of Arizona with an acceptable driving record.

MTC Medical offers a competitive compensation and benefit package. To learn more about this opportunity or to apply online, visit our website at www.mtcmedical.com. If you have questions or would like more information, please contact Suzi Campbell at [800-574-4682](tel:800-574-4682) or suzi.campbell@mtctrains.com.

MTC Medical is an Equal Opportunity Employer Minority/Female /Disabled/Veteran.

Upcoming SAPA Events

Culturally Competent Therapeutic Services for the Muslim Individual

Date: Friday, August 28
Time: 8:30 am - 12:30 pm
Location: CPSA Training Center (2502 N. Dodge Blvd.)
Presenters: Nafisa Sekandari, Psy.D., Aneesah Nadir, MSW, Ph.D.,
Cymande Zalzala, M.A.
CEUs: 4

For more information, and to register, click [here](#).

Registration ends on 08/26.

Neurobiology of Trauma

Date: Saturday, September 19
Time: 8:30AM - 4:30PM
Location: Hilton El Conquistador (10000 N. Oracle Rd.)
Presenter: David Lisak, Ph.D.

CEUs: 6

For more information, and to register, click [here](#).

Early birth registration ends on August 19.

Other Events

SAPA neither sponsors nor endorses the following events, but provides the information as a service to our members.

IMPROVING CARE FOR VETERANS FACING ILLNESS AND DEATH

Date/Time: Tuesday, August 25, 3:00 - 6:00PM

Location: Tucson Medical Center Marshall Conference Center
(5301 E. Grant Rd.)

Presented by: The Hospice Foundation of America

The Hospice Foundation of America's Living with Grief program, Improving Care for Veterans Facing Illness and Death, will assist end-of-life care provider organizations and health and human service professionals in enhancing their sensitivities and understanding of veterans and to provide professionals with new interventions to better serve dying veterans and their families. Attention is placed on veteran generations now aging and most likely to be seen in end-of-life care (WWII, Korean War, Vietnam). The program also looks organizationally at military benefits and intersections with VA systems and will explore the traditions and sensitivities of grieving families and resources that can assist them.

This is a free program. CE credits are available (\$15 processing fee per certificate) for nurses, social workers, counselors, funeral directors, clergy, nursing home administrators, and more. A "Certificate of Attendance" will be provided at no cost.

Moderator: Frank Sesno, Director of the School of Media and Public Affairs at the George Washington University

Featured Panelists: Scott T. Shreve, DO; Deborah Grassman ARNP; Jenneth Doka, PhD, MDiv; Paul Tshuci, MA, EdS, LPC; Ryan Weller, MSW, LCSW.

Review Committee: Pam Kushner, MA, MD, FAAFP

Required 15-minute local discussion led by local hospice volunteers.

For more information and to register, contact Susan Howard at susan.howard@carondelet.org, or (520)205-7575.

CLASS ON TRAUMA AND DID

Hi Everyone,

I'm a psychologist whose specialty is Trauma and DID. I'm on the faculty of the International Society for the Study of Trauma and Dissociation (ISSTD). Given that there is still so much skepticism

about this diagnosis, before I retire I would like to offer another educational opportunity in this area of psychotherapy.

To this end, I will be starting a ISSTD class on October 5th which will meet evenings once a month for 8 months and will provide 20 CEU's. Please contact me by phone (323-2670) or email (seretarobinson@yahoo.com) for more information, if you are interested. At that time I can tell you how to register for the class. Enrollment will be limited to 8 students.

Sincerely,

Sereta Robinson, Ph.D.

DEVELOPING AND EXPANDING YOUR BEHAVIORAL SLEEP MEDICINE PRACTICE: A CASE-BASED APPROACH

Date: October 17-18

Location: AASM National Office - Darien, Illinois

Presented by: The Society for Behavioral Sleep Medicine

The Society for Behavioral Sleep Medicine announces their Fall Course Developing and Expanding your BSM Practice: A Case-Based approach. This course is being chaired by Tucson psychologist and professor Patricia Haynes, PhD, CBSM.

This one-and-a-half-day course will examine state-of-the-art assessment and treatment strategies in behavioral sleep medicine through lectures incorporating a case-based approach. Sessions will focus on managing common sleep disorders with an emphasis on patient-centered care. Discussion will focus on state-of-the-art management strategies for clinicians to employ in their behavioral sleep medicine practice.

For more information, and to register, click [here](#).

SAVE THE DATE! 8 CLOCK HOURS ON ETHICS & DIVERSITY

Date: Friday October 21

Location: The Omni Resort (2727 W. Club Dr.)

Presented by: Arizona Counselor's Association Southeast Chapter (hosted by the Arizona Association of Marriage Family Therapy)

For more information, click [here](#).

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