Abuse, Neglect, & Poverty

For professionals in psychology, behavioral health, and social work

Child abuse and neglect is a daunting topic. This training will highlight when and how to report child abuse and neglect. Additionally, the relationship between poverty and abuse or neglect will be discussed. The training will review the effects and myths of poverty. Participants will also gain insight into what to look for and how to take a people-first approach when working with children and families living in poverty.

OBJECTIVES
1. Identify who the number one reporters of child abuse and neglect are and describe how to report child abuse and neglect.
2. Discuss what questions to ask a child who may be experiencing abuse or neglect and what questions to ask a child who discloses to you.
3. Identify the types of poverty, myths surrounding poverty, and effects of poverty and discuss how those relate to child abuse and neglect.

LOCATION
Zoom Meeting

COST
No fee to attend this training.

REGISTER ONLINE
go.unl.edu/reg_abuse_neglect_poverty

CONTINUING EDUCATION
INSTRUCTIONAL LEVEL: Intermediate
This training has been approved for 2.75 continuing education credits for psychologists* and 2.75 continuing education credits for Nebraska LMHPs/LIMHPs. Credits will be awarded to participants who attend the entire training.

*Continuing education for psychologists may be used by other licensed behavioral health professionals. Please check with your licensing board. Continuing education credit is granted on a one credit per one instructional hour basis.

The University of Nebraska Public Policy Center (NUPPC) is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. The NUPPC maintains responsibility for this program and its content.

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