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January 26-29, 2011
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Problem Gambling Training Workshops
Basic and Advanced Levels
Presenters:
Bo Bernhard, PhD
Joanna Franklin, MS, NCGC-II
Linda Graves, MS, NCGC-II
Joyce Sundin, BRI-II, CCDC-II, NCAC-II

Linda Graves, MS, NCGC-II is the Problem Gambling Program Manager, Division of Behavioral Health and Recovery, State of Washington. Prior to moving to Washington, Linda was the Deputy Director for the Delaware Council on Problem Gambling. Linda served as Chair for the National Problem Gambling Helpline Committee from 2001-2005. She served as Secretary for the Delaware Certification Board for four years, and was a member of that Board for six years.

Joyce Sundin, BRI-II, CCDC-II, NCAC-II works primarily in the field of chemical dependency and has been successfully doing interventions since 1979 on eating disorders, gambling, smoking cessation, sexual compulsivity, internet addiction, and unhealthy dependencies in the workplace and relationships. Joyce received her formal education from Seattle University, and later become adjunct faculty of their Addiction Studies Program. She has been trained in the Johnson Institute, the Invitational Family Systems, the ARISE, and the Storti Models of Interventions. She has also served on various Boards dealing with addiction and recovery. She is a board member of the Network of Independent Intervention Specialist, an international professional group.

Bo J. Bernhard, PhD is an honors graduate of Harvard University, where he majored in sociology and psychology. His undergraduate thesis (on the social impacts of gambling in Las Vegas) received magna cum laude honors from both departments. He received his PhD in sociology from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (UNLV), in 2002. A frequent lecturer on the impacts of the gaming industry in communities around the world, he has delivered dozens of keynote addresses on six continents. Dr. Bernhard currently holds professorships in UNLV’s departments of sociology and hotel management, and serves as Director of Gambling Research at the university’s International Gaming Institute.

Joanna Franklin, MS, NCGC-II is Director of Training and Network Development for Trimeridian Inc., serving states, tribes, the Navy, and the Army to provide gambling-specific treatment protocols, clinical training, and supervision toward national certification in gambling counseling. She is Co-chair of the International Gambling Counselor Certification Board, President of the Institute for Problem Gambling, and on the Board of Directors of the National Council on Problem Gambling.

Continuing Education/Certification
Continuing Education accreditation pending for the following organizations: NAADAC, The National Association of Social Workers (NASW), the American Academy of Health Care Providers in the Addictive Disorders (AAHCPAD), Washington Mental Health Counselors Association (WMHCA), American Counseling Association (ACA), National Board for Certified Counselors (NBCC), Certified Addiction Specialist (CAS) credential, and the American Academy of Family Physicians Continuing Medical Education (CME).
The Schedule

PLEASE NOTE: Each session will begin at stated time.
Attendees must be present for entire session to receive CEU credit

Wednesday, January 26, 2011
8 am – 5 pm*
Sliding Down the Slippery Slope (8 CEU)
(Basic Education in Gambling Addiction)
Presenter: Linda Graves, MS, NCGB-II

Approximately 4 of every 100 people in the United States have a gambling problem. For each one of those, an average of seven people is affected by the gambler’s behaviors. It is a hidden disorder. This workshop lays the groundwork for treating problem gambling, starting with basic definitions so there is common understanding. Includes definitions of gambling, types of gamblers, action and escape gambling. The progression of the disease and its similarities with chemical dependence will be discussed. Participants will learn to use several different assessment tools to screen and assess for problem gambling. Using interactive learning, films, and group discussions, participants will learn to develop a treatment plan for clients impacted by gambling behavior.

Thursday, January 27, 2011
8 am – Noon*
Bio and Psycho and Social...Oh My! (4 CEU)
(Problem Gambling: A Bio-Psycho-Social-Sociological-Historical-Anthropological Perspective)
Presented by: Bo Bernhard, PhD

A lively, interactive, and fresh perspective on problem gamblers and how we might best understand their plight, Dr. Bernhard’s presentation focuses on how “big picture” processes have come to affect the life and times of today’s problem gambler. His research reveals the history of the problem gambler in America in the 18th, 19th, and 20th centuries, and how this history continues to haunt problem gamblers’ lives in the 21st century. He examines cross-cultural dimensions of problem gambling, which is a vital exercise in a rapidly globalizing gambling world. He closes with an extension of the traditional “bio-psycho-social” model by arguing that it stops too short – well before engaging important sociological, anthropological, historical, and economic perspectives on the gambling act.

1 – 5 pm
Interventions and Family Dynamics (4 CEU)
Presented by: Joyce Sundin, CCDC-II, NCAC-II

This session is a step-by-step guide to the intervention process, describing how to break through the addicted person’s denial without hostile confrontation. Explore the sensitivity and care inherent in professionally guided interventions that can break the cycle of addiction and help someone accept help with dignity. Review of family systems and the concept of helping versus enabling. Participants will learn practical strategies for motivating loved ones into recovery.

Friday, January 28, 2011
8 am – 5 pm*
Women’s Issues and Gambling Addiction (8 CEU)
Presented by: Joanna Franklin, MS, NCGB-II

Research indicates some forms of gambling are “gendered” and there is a growing number of women developing gambling problems today. This workshop will review recent research and focus on the treatment implications for effective care of women with gambling problems.

Saturday, January 29, 2011
8:00 am – Noon (4 CEU)
Clinical Supervision and Case Management
Presented by: Joanna Franklin, MS, NCGB-II

Clinical Supervision is an integral process for good clinical care. This workshop will review a working definition of clinical supervision and case management that is inclusive, collaborative, and focused on support for counselors as they continue to meet increasing demands in the provision of good clinical care. Cases will be discussed in this interactive workshop.

* MEALS: Beverage service will be provided. Lunch is on your own.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS: Directions will be included with your registration confirmation.

HOTEL

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- Tom Ten Eyck, MA, CPGC
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Registration Form

Registration Deadline: Tuesday, January 11, 2011

Please check days you plan to attend: Fee

- January 26-29, 2011 Basic and Advanced Workshops $125 (ECPG Member Discount Rate: $115)
- January 27-28 Advanced Workshops (only) $75 (ECPG Member Discount Rate: $69)
- January 29 Clinical Supervision and Case Management Workshop $25 (FREE to ECPG/NCPG Members and counselors with Washington State or National Problem Gambling Counselor Certification)

Total Amount Enclosed $______________

CANCELLATION POLICY: Refunds will be issued, less a $25 administrative fee, if received in writing six (6) days prior to each event. No refunds will be issued after that date.

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