

Strengthening Foundations to Support Healthy Families:

Integrating Infant Mental Health Considerations into Children's Court



March 29-31, 2017

Sheraton Albuquerque Uptown

CLEs available for \$35.00

CEUs pending approval

**Registration deadline:
March 10, 2017**

NO Registration Fee for training!

Infant Mental Health Teams and PIPs (Parent Infant Psychotherapy Programs) are spreading across New Mexico. Come explore how their expertise and work with babies and young children can be integrated into an abuse or neglect case for the benefit of the whole family. Judges, lawyers and mental health professionals will share their experiences incorporating infant mental health work into the complex child welfare system. Join us for this exciting training designed for judges, attorneys, CYFD personnel, CASAs, and infant mental health professionals working in the courts.

Training will include the following:

- Mental Health Considerations for Children 0-5 involved in the Child Welfare System
- Current Status of New Mexico Infant Mental Health Teams and PIPs
- Lessons from Other Jurisdictions' Work with Young Children/Babies
- Legal Conundrums in Child Welfare Cases Involving Families of Young Children/Babies
- Special Legal Issues for Child Welfare Cases Involving Children Zero to Five (including reasonable efforts and visitation issues)
- Effects of Implicit Bias in Child Welfare Cases, Particularly Involving Young Children
- Young Children/Babies in the Child Welfare System: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow

Trainers:

Charles Zeanah, MD, Tulane Institute of Infant & Early Childhood Mental Health ♦ Judge Madeleine Landrieu, Louisiana 4th Circuit Court of Appeals ♦ Judge William Thorne (ret.), Utah Court of Appeals ♦ Tara Ford, JD, Pegasus Legal Services for Children ♦ Cassandra Porter, JD ♦ Michael Fleischman ♦ Jane Clarke, PhD ♦ Deborah Harris, LISW ♦ Soledad Martinez, LISW

Training Dates/Time:

March 29, 2017: Registration, 1pm; Training Start Time, 1:30pm

March 30, 2017: 8am to 5pm (lunch on your own)

March 31, 2017: 8am to 12:30pm





Training

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Location

2600 Louisiana Blvd NE, Albuquerque

Lodging — Book by February 28th

⇒ **For Contract Parent/GAL/Youth Attorneys, CCAs and Judges ONLY:** Special funding is available for lodging on Wednesday (3/29) & Thursday (3/30) for those judges and attorneys **who must travel over 75 miles one way to attend**. Will you need lodging?

Yes No

If you respond “yes,” the Center for Child and Family Justice will make a room reservation for you.

If you require special accommodations, please contact Tracey Kincaid at the Center for Child and Family Justice as soon as possible: 505.277.9170 or tkincaid@unm.edu.

⇒ **For All Other Attendees:** You must make and pay for your own room reservations, by clicking here: <https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/StarGroupsWeb/res?id=1701235464&key=37DD5933>



Name _____ Title _____

Organization _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

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Check the category or categories that best describe you: you:

Judge/Hearing Officer

CYFD Staff

Guardian ad Litem/Youth Attorney

CASA

Parent’s Attorney

Infant Mental Health Provider

Children’s Court Attorney

Other: _____

Ways to Register:



By Mail:

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