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The course outline or agenda for these trainings have been approved as corresponding to subject areas specified in California Rules of Court, Rule 5.225(d)(1)-(21) and/or 5.230(d)(1)(A)(i)-(v) or (d)(2). The views expressed in these trainings are those of the trainer and do not necessarily represent the official positions or policies of the Judicial Council of California or the Administrative Office of the Courts.

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All courses satisfy the BBS & BOP supervision course requirement.

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Annual 12-Hour Child Custody And Domestic Violence Update Training For California Court Rules 5.225 & 5.230

Two Days • 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. • 12 C.E. Hours

This two-day 12-hour course provides eight hours of child custody update training and four hours of domestic violence update training with an emphasis on expert witness testimony and working with high conflict couples. The course is designed for custody evaluators seeking annual child custody update training. For aspiring evaluators, the course can be applied to the 40-hour initial training requirement.

See page 1 for our home-study options to complete the annual child custody and domestic violence update training, or the 40-hour CC (and 14-hour DV) initial training requirements.

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Alyce D. LaViolette, M.S., is a licensed MFT specializing in family violence and partner abuse. She serves as an expert witness and legal consultant on cases involving child custody and domestic violence, as well as other civil and criminal cases. She is the co-author of *It Could Happen to Anyone: Why Battered Women Stay* as well as the Administrative Offices of the Court parenting curriculum entitled *For Our Children*

Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder: Advances In Assessment & Treatment

9 a.m. - 4 p.m. • 6 C.E. Hours

This course will sort through the range of information and focus on our current understanding of ADHD as we move toward the DSM V. Specific diagnostic strategies will be examined as they apply to various ages. And, with an eye on traditional as well as innovative strategies, we'll explore effective treatment plans dependent upon age, need and available resources.

Roland Rotz, Ph.D. is a licensed psychologist and nationally recognized expert on ADHD. He specializes in the diagnosis and treatment of ADHD and co-occurring conditions, and co-authored the book, Fidget to Focus: Outwit Your Boredom – Sensory Strategies for Living With ADD. Over the past 25 years, he has focused his attention on establishing and maintaining effective treatment strategies for children, adolescents, and adults with ADHD.

Clutter, Hoarding & Chronic Disorganization

9 a.m. - 4 p.m. • 6 C.E. Hours

Do you have at least one too many stacks of "important" papers lying around? Did you inherit a depression-era "save everything" philosophy? Struggling to manage the clutter in your personal and work environment can lead to frustration, stress, and the feeling of being chronically disorganized. For some, the inability to limit, organize, and let go of the "stuff" in their lives can lead to low self-esteem, shame, compromised relationships, and occupational difficulties. This course explores the psychological and environmental factors that lead to clutter, hoarding, and having too much stuff.

Roland Rotz, Ph.D., is a licensed psychologist working with those battling chronic disorganization. He is the co-author *Collaborative Therapy for Clutter Management*.

Expert Witness Fundamentals: Do You Really Want To Swim With Sharks?

9 a.m. - 4 p.m. • 6 C.E. Hours

ave you ever watched on TV the gavel-to-gavel courtroom coverage and drama when an expert witness testifies and is cross-examined, and said to yourself I can do better than that? If so, this course explores the various expert witness roles that mental health professionals can serve in a variety of civil and criminal cases; and includes lots of tips on testifying, examining the evidence, and working with attorneys.

Alyce D. LaViolette, M.S., is a licensed MFT specializing in family violence and partner abuse. She serves as an expert witness and legal consultant on cases involving assault, kidnapping, murder, child custody, domestic violence, and battered women's syndrome.

High Conflict Couples: Is It Anger Or Abuse?

9 a.m. - 4 p.m. • 6 C.E. Hours

This course examines how to work with anger and abuse in high conflict couples, and provides extensive clinical tools from the first interview through the last intervention.

Alyce D. LaViolette, M.S., is a licensed MFT specializing in family violence and partner abuse. She is the best-selling co-author of *It Could Happen To Anyone: Why Battered Women Stay* and serves as a script consultant on media programs about domestic violence.

Law & Ethics Update

9 a.m. - 4 p.m. • 6 C.E. Hours

This course examines an array of clinical issues from a risk management perspective and provides anecdotes, practical suggestions (e.g., to Facebook or not), and illustrative case analysis to prepare you to navigate the various problematic legal, ethical, and technological situations in your practice. The course also identifies current disciplinary trends of the various state licensing boards.

See page 1 for other options to complete this course requirement.

This course is designed to satisfy the BOP requirement that all psychologists complete laws and ethics training each licensing cycle, and the BBS's rule that all LCSWs, LEPs, LPCCs & MFTs complete six hours of law and ethics training with each renewal.

- **O. Brandt Caudill, Jr., J.D.** is an attorney specializing in the defense of mental health professionals in both malpractice and licensing board matters, and has had a number of precedent-setting appellate cases on issues significant to mental health professionals. He will be teaching this course in Carlsbad on November 3 and Costa Mesa on December 8.
- **A. Steven Frankel, Ph.D., J.D., ABPP** is a psychologist, an attorney, and a diplomate in both clinical and forensic psychology from the American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP). He will be teaching this course in Pleasant Hill on June 8.

Pamela H. Harmell, Ph.D. is a psychologist and the former President of the California Board of Psychology. She serves as Co-Chair of the LACPA Ethics Committee and is a past Chair of the CPA Ethics Committee. She will be teaching this course in L.A. on September 21.

Lawrence E. Hedges, Ph.D., Psy.D., ABPP is a psychologist, a diplomate of the American Board of Professional Psychology, and the author of numerous books, including *Therapists At Risk* and *Facing The Challenge of Liability in Psychotherapy*. He will be teaching this course in all locations except the four dates noted in the above speaker profiles

Relational Processes In Psychotherapy & Supervision

9 a.m. - 4 p.m. • 6 C.E. Hours

A recent summary of thousands of empirical studies identified that the factor determining the overall outcome of all psychotherapies is the relationship between you and your client. This course explores the psychodynamic and relational processes involved in both supervision and psychotherapy, and the ways those can lead toward greater relational effectiveness in the therapeutic encounter.

See page 1 for our home-study courses on supervision.

Psychologists: This course is designed to satisfy the California Board of Psychology requirement that all psychologists who provide supervision as a primary supervisor complete at least six hours of supervision training every two years.

LCSWs & MFTs: This course is designed to satisfy the BBS rule that licensees who supervise MFT trainees and interns complete at least six hours of supervision training every licensing cycle. This course also partially satisfies the California BBS requirement that licensees who supervise ASWs complete at least 15 hours of supervision training.

Lawrence E. Hedges, Ph.D., Psy.D., ABPP is a psychologist and psychoanalyst specializing in training psychotherapists and psychoanalysts. He is the author of numerous books including *Listening Perspectives in Psychotherapy, Interpreting the Countertransference, Strategic Emotional Involvement, Working the Organizing Experience*, and *Remembering, Repeating & Working Through Childhood Trauma*.

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—Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes

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