

**Wednesday,
June 19, 2019
10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
and Thursday,
June 20, 2019
9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Great Bend, KS**

Improving Responses to Survivors: Examining the Intersections Between Oppression, ‘isms and Violence

Presented by

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AUDIENCE: For community-based victim advocates, system-based victim advocates, law enforcement, prosecutors, court personnel, healthcare professionals (APRN, RN, LPN), physicians, SANE/SAFEs, mental health professionals, and other professionals who work with victims of sexual assault or domestic violence.

The #metoo movement has created a national awareness about sexual and domestic violence. In addition, this movement has led to a call for justice for survivors and for perpetrator accountability. To hold perpetrators accountable and receive justice for survivors, there needs to be a critical examination of the root cause of sexual and domestic violence. By using the self-reflection lens, during this two day training, participants will fully examine the history of the violence against women movement and participate in a critical analysis of their understanding of oppression. At the conclusion of this training, participants will be better prepared to understand and use the anti-oppression framework to engage survivors and provide meaningful, holistic services.

As a result of this training, participants will be able to:

- Define and identify important terminology related to oppression, ‘isms and violence, and how they impact victim service providers and survivors.
- Express the importance of having an anti-oppression framework for victim centered services.
- Evaluate the correlation between biases, power, privilege, and SV/DV.
- Examine thoughts and preconceptions about oppression, ‘isms, and violence.
- Distinguish between culture, cultural humility, and equity.
- Evaluate how to include an anti-oppression framework to a victim centered approach; and
- Engage in reflective practice.

Participants will be sent three sources of information a week before the training. Reviewing this information is highly recommended, to receive the full benefits of this training.



We welcome people of all abilities. For questions about accessibility or to request an accommodation, please select your needs on the online registration form. Requests should be made at least 14 business days prior to the training.

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Cost:

Free to attend

Details:

June 19-20, 2019

Front Door

Community Center

1615 10th St.

Great Bend, KS 67530

REGISTER by June 13, 2019

Registration begins at

9:30 a.m. on Wednesday and

9:00 a.m. on Thursday.

Lodging:

Super 8

911 Grant St.

Great Bend, KS 67530

620-793-9000

KCSDV has reserved a block of hotel rooms at the rate of \$93/night. Contact the hotel directly and reserve your room by June 5, 2019 for the “KCSDV” rate.

Questions:

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