

## Valuable In-Depth Training Opportunity

Topic: **A Collaborative Approach To Stop Sexual Harm by Youth** (see attached syllabus)

**February 13-24, 2012 Albuquerque, NM**

You are invited to apply for a full scholarship to attend a two-week training by internationally recognized adolescent sex offender therapist, JoAnn Schladale, MS, LMFT.

The New Mexico Coalition of Sexual Assault Programs, Inc. (Coalition) has been awarded a contract from the NM Department of Health, Office of Injury Prevention (OIP).

When: The training is scheduled for **February 13-24, 2012**. (Weekend of February 18-19 is a break from training).

Where: State Bar of New Mexico, Albuquerque

Scholarship:

- All registration costs and materials (a \$2,000 value)
- Eleven nights hotel (up to \$85 per night)\*
- Mileage for one round trip for each week of training (a total of two round trips will be covered)\*
- \$30 per diem for the 10 actual days of training (\$300.00)\*.

This amounts to a total of \$3,225 allotted for each participant. For those who live within an hour away, daily round trip mileage is also available if participant does not wish to stay overnight. However, all out of towners are encouraged to stay overnight in Albuquerque in order to have the time to complete the required nightly readings.

\*For those living at least 30 miles outside Albuquerque. \$15 per diem for those from the Albuquerque area.

### **Eligibility: 20 New Mexicans will be chosen for participation**

1. Participant must have a Masters in counseling, social work, psychology or related field and is a current, licensed practitioner providing services in New Mexico, **or** service providers who work with children or adolescents such as juvenile probation officers, school personnel, SORT members, etc.
2. Agency supervisor must approve participant's two week 'training leave.'
3. Participant agrees to provide treatment to children and/or adolescents who have sexual offensive behavior problems for a minimum of one year upon successful completion of this program. Services must be free or provided at an approved rate negotiated with the Coalition.

Any New Mexican meeting the above requirements may apply; however, priority will be given to therapists currently working in existing Rape Crisis Centers, Community Mental Health Centers, non-profit youth serving agencies, school related employment, and members of the NM SORT and NM Sex Offender Management Bd. Priority will also be given to applicants who have not participated in an earlier in-depth training with Ms. Schladale.

Please send in your application as soon as possible. E-mail to Ellen Gatewood at [elleng@swcp.com](mailto:elleng@swcp.com) **AND** fax the signature page to 505 883-7530.

**Application – A Collaborative Approach To Stop Sexual Harm – February 13-24, 2012**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_

Agency Name \_\_\_\_\_

Agency Address \_\_\_\_\_

Personal Address (will be kept confidential) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax # \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisors Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisors Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

- I have participated in an earlier in-depth training with JoAnn Schladale (in-depth: a week or longer).
- I am available to attend the training February 13-24, 2012.

**Signature Page**      **Name of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Supervisor’s Guarantee:**

*I certify that the applicant is able to attend the full two weeks of the training. I further certify that the applicant will be permitted to offer treatment to adolescent sex offenders at our agency upon successful completion of the course. I understand that I will be given a copy of applicant’s course completion certificate.*

**Supervisors’ Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

All Applicants – please complete:

**Check the box if you meet this requirement**

- I have at least a Masters in counseling, social work, psychology or related field, **or** I am a service provider and work with children or adolescents. I have attached a copy of my diploma and current certification. I have attached my most recent resume and current job description.
- I commit to complete the required readings prior to the training, and each night of the training. (All materials will be forwarded to you upon your scholarship acceptance.)
- I understand that submission of an application for this scholarship is proof of my intent to participate, that this is a very valuable scholarship and that, other than a personal emergency, I will not cancel my participation. I understand that I am responsible for reimbursing the Coalition \$200 if I am cancelling without an approved reason.
- I agree to provide treatment services to children and/or adolescents who have sexual offensive behavior problems in New Mexico for a minimum of one year, with continued support from Ms. Schladale.
- Services to youth will be provided free of charge, or for an approved fee negotiated with the Coalition.

**Applicant’s signature** verifying the above information: \_\_\_\_\_

You will be notified no later than January 13 for the February training, as to whether you have received one of the 20 available scholarships.

Upon selection, you will be provided with a map to the training site, the selected hotel near the site, and other logistical instructions.

In addition to e-mailing your entire application to Ellen Gatewood ([elleng@swcp.com](mailto:elleng@swcp.com)), you must FAX this signature page to 505 883-7530. A cover sheet is unnecessary.