



April 15, 2018 Seminar

Sponsored by the New Jersey Society for Clinical Social Work (NJSCSW) and The Clinical Social Work Guild (CSWG)

Sunday
4/15/18

“Play Therapy with Children and Families” By Colleen Daly Martinez, PhD, LCSW, RPT-S

Play is the language of the child. Attempting to assess and treat children in a primary talk therapy modality can be difficult for the client and the clinician. Play therapy is growing in popularity in the mental health professions, and is recognized as an effective means of addressing many developmental and psychological issues of children and adolescents. In this 2 hour discussion, the presenter will provide an introduction to play therapy and review some of the predominant types of play therapy that are used with children and families. The presenter will discuss what the most basic play therapy materials needed are and provide cost-effective strategies for making or obtaining the basic tools. Case examples will be used for illustrative purposes.

11:00 am –

1:00 pm

2 CEUs

*2 CEUs provided by the NJSCSW, a recognized provider of Continuing Education Units by the NJ State Board of Social Work Examiners.

**This training has been approved for 2 contact CEUs by the Association For Play Therapy.

APT Approved Provider
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Goals

- Participants will be introduced to play therapy in an accessible manner
- Participants will use play therapy techniques in their clinical work

Objectives (participants will....)

- Be able to explain the rationale for using play in clinical assessment and intervention
- Know the basic equipment and supplies necessary to conduct play therapy
- Engage in at least one play therapy activity
- Have information on how to obtain play therapy equipment and supplies
- Have information on how to obtain more play therapy information and training

No charge for NJSCSW members.

Cost

\$40 fee for non-members

Location

Mountainside UMC Hackensack Hospital, private dining room
1 Bay Ave. Montclair, NJ 07042

Directions to Mountainside UMC Hackensack Hospital can be found at:

<http://www.mountainsidehosp.com/patient-information/directions/>

To RSVP

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** Please provide contact information (email/phone #) and membership info w/your RSVP.

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****Board Meeting 9:30am-11:00am, all members welcome!**