

Engagement, Assessment, and Treatment Planning

Overview:

This workshop will outline a directive play therapy model for assessing children and families. Creative engagement and assessment activities will be presented. Participants will learn how to translate assessment information into a treatment plan, and guidelines for report writing will be discussed. Participants will receive a packet of assessment activities that they can use immediately in their practice.

Learning Objectives:

- 1) Apply several innovative techniques to engage children in play therapy
- 2) Implement techniques to assess children, adolescents, and families
- 3) List the steps for developing a treatment plan
- 4) Identify key guidelines for writing assessment reports and providing feedback to caregivers