March 8, 2016
8:30am -3:45pm
Madison Lakes Learning and Conference Center
581 Olive Road, Dayton, Ohio
(Free parking)

Registration, refreshments and resource tables open at 8:00 am

- What interferes with learning in children and adults?
- What difficulties do individuals with learning challenges face?
- How can we make a difference in the outcome?

Objectives

1. Identify barriers to the educational process for children and families.
2. Describe behaviors in the classroom associated with mental illness.
3. Describe the school-to-prison pipeline.
4. Discuss how race and disability affect school discipline in the Miami Valley.
5. Identify three actions to eliminate the school-to-prison pipeline.
6. Identify constraints/barriers unique to the population of college individuals with disabilities.
7. Identify three approaches to improve retention rates of college individuals with disabilities.
8. Describe learning challenges for students with psychological disabilities.

This seminar will provide professionals with information about individual and environmental factors that affect learning in children and adults in the Miami Valley. In addition, participants will learn about locally available resources related to disabilities and learning. Professionals will use this information to assist clients and their families.

Presenters

Christine M. Abbuhl, PhD, Psychologist, Dayton Children’s Hospital
Rhonda Mercs, MS, LPCC-S, Director, Urban Child Development Resource Center, University of Dayton
Michelle Sherman, LSW, Family Advocate, Urban Child Development Resource Center, University of Dayton
Vernellia Randall, JD, Professor Emeritus, University of Dayton Law School
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Continuing Education

Social Workers: 5.5 Contact hours have been approved by the Ohio Counselor, Social Worker and Marriage and Family Therapist Board. Approved for Counselor, Social Worker and Marriage & Family Therapist.
Nurses: The Ohio Board of Nursing accepts Social Worker/Counselor hours for RN licensure renewal.

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Registration Fees and Information

There is a $40 non-refundable registration fee. • Space is limited. • Registration opens January 26, 2016 and closes February 24, 2016 • 937-775-8248