

***ACBH Children and Young Adult System of Care
is pleased to offer a FREE training:***



Eating Disorders Treatment Applying Social Justice Lens for Healing and Liberation

Date & Time: Friday, March 7, 2025

9:30AM -12:45PM

Location: The training is offered virtually via Zoom. Link will be provided upon registration.

Audience: Alameda County Behavioral Health staff, and it's contracted community-based organization (CBO) providers; Therapists, Psychologists, Social Workers, Psychiatrists, mental health Interns, Post Doc Residents, Physicians, Nurses, Dietitians.

Description:

I. Participants will be able to identify 2 ways they can advocate for change and promote social justice amongst clients that struggle with eating to support successful outcomes.

II. Participants will be able to safely and compassionately move through their discomfort when discussing social justice with clients and their team.

Learning Objectives – at the end of the training, participants will be able to:

1. Participants will be able to identify 2 of the research/practice gaps with regard to EDs and treatment
2. Participants will be able to identify 2 holistic, social justice informed conceptualizations of eating disorders treatment.
3. Participants will be able to identify 2 ways to translate awareness into action in our understandings of and approaches to ED treatment.

Trainer: *Marcella Raimondo, PhD, MPH is a passionate and spirited clinical trainer speaking from her heart on social justice and eating disorders since 1995. In 1997, Marcella worked with About-Face, a nonprofit organization that addresses media impact on body image serving as the Director of Media Literacy until 2005. She currently serves on the About-Face Board of Founders and a consultant. Marcella received her B.A. from UC Berkeley, and master's degree in public health from the University of Michigan. Marcella's desire to address eating disorders drove her to pursue her doctorate in clinical psychology, receiving her PhD in 2012. Marcella currently serves as a Licensed Clinical Psychologist (PSY # 27037) in Kaiser Permanente's eating disorder clinic in Oakland and runs a private practice focusing on client work, trainings, consultations and supervision. Marcella is hoping to get more into policy work. Marcella herself recovered from anorexia nervosa over 25 years ago. She also trains in the martial art of Kajukenbo at Hand to Hand Self Defense Center in Oakland. Her eating disorder recovery and her martial arts training inspire her dedication to multicultural body nurturance and community celebration.*

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REGISTRATION:

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Continuing Education (CE):

CE credit is available for completing full 3-hour class for 3 CEs

CE credit is only provided for County and ACBH contracted Provider staff. This course meets the qualifications for up to 3 hours of CE credit for **LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs, and/or LEPs** as required by the California Board of Behavioral Sciences; Alameda County Behavioral Health Care Services (ACBHCS) is approved by the California Assoc. of Marriage and Family Therapists to sponsor continuing education for the target audience of this training, Provider No 65749; for **Addiction Professionals** by the California Consortium of Addiction Programs & Professionals Education Institute (CCAAP_EI), Provider No. 4C-04-604-0624; and for **RNs** by the California Board of Registered Nurses, BRN Provider No. 12040. **Psychologists** as an approved provider by the California Psychological Assoc., Provider No. ALA006.AC BHCS maintains responsibility for this program/course and its content.

Please note: To earn CE credit, it is the participant's responsibility to attend full training via Zoom, sign in and out, achieve a score of at least 70% on the post-test(s), and complete the evaluation.

CE Certificates will be emailed to qualifying participants within 30 days after the training.