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Best Practices in Clinical Supervision: Introduction to Clinical Supervision of Youth-Service Professionals – 6 CAMFT/BRN CE Credits

WHEN:

Date: May 1st 2026

Time: 9:00am - 4:30pm

For Registration:

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INTENDED FOR:

Alameda County Behavioral Health and Contracted Providers staff.

About the Course:

This course will provide an overview and introduction to the basics of Clinical Supervision for those who may be new to (or preparing to step into) the role. We will begin with an overview of the legal and ethical responsibilities of clinical supervisors and best practices in the structure and approach to supervision. The course will then review relevant research about best practices in Clinical Supervision, as outlined in Strength-based Supervision (Wade & Jones, 2015). Participants will then have an opportunity to discuss some of the most common challenges for new supervisors, including creating a coherent supervisory approach, assessing supervisees areas for growth, and navigating challenges in the supervisory relationship. Participants will end the day with an opportunity for self-assessment and creating a professional development growth plan for continued learning.

6 hours instructional time – 1.5 hours breaks

About the Presenter:

Nicole Nelson is a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist, with a Masters of Arts degree in Counseling Psychology and Bachelor of Arts degrees in Cross-Cultural Studies and Sociology. She has nearly 20 years of experience working with youth and families in a variety of settings, including residential, school-based, and community-based programs. New clinical supervisors can benefit from hearing perspectives from all of these settings as well as decades of experience in the field that includes practical, hands-on tips for best practice. Nicole has provided clinical supervision for over 10 years as well as experience supervising and onboarding new Clinical Supervisors. She has also held roles as a Program Director, Regional Executive Director, and now Training Content & Delivery Director at Seneca Family of Agencies.

Educational Goals:

- Participants will improve their understanding of legal requirements and ethical issues when providing clinical supervision and will be able to use these frameworks to guide clinical decision making.
- Participants will have an increased ability to communicate their own supervisory approach and clinical orientation to supervisees.
- Participants will utilize information gained from the self-assessment activity to create a growth plan for themselves to implement after the training to continue to improve their supervisory skills.

Measurable Learning Objectives:

- Identify the legal responsibilities of a Clinical Supervisor.
- Explain how to navigate the 3 most common challenges of new supervisors.
- Identify 2 key strengths and 2 challenges of their supervision style.

Continuing Education Credits

This training meets the qualifications for 6 hours of continuing education credit for LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs, and/or LEPs as required by the California Board of Behavioral Sciences. Seneca Family of Agencies is approved by the **California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists** to sponsor continuing education for LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs, and/or LEPs. Provided by Seneca Family of Agencies, Provider #135057. Seneca Family of Agencies is a provider approved by the **California Board of Registered Nursing**, Provider #15222. This training meets the qualifications for 6 hours of continuing education credit for Registered Nurses as required by the California Board of Registered Nursing. BRN approval extends only to continuing education courses and does not include tour arrangements.

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