We are Family: Play Therapy Interventions!

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Liana Lowenstein, MSW, RSW, CPT-S, is an author, sought-after speaker, and practitioner who has worked with children and their families since 1988. She completed her Master of Social Work degree at the University of Toronto, and she is a Certified Child and Play Therapist (Supervisor) with the Canadian Association for Child and Play Therapy. She provides clinical supervision to mental health practitioners, runs a play-therapy internship program, and consults to several mental health agencies. She has a reputation as a dynamic workshop leader and has presented trainings across North America and abroad.

Liana is the founder of Champion Press publishing company and has authored numerous publications, including the highly acclaimed books Paper Dolls and Paper Airplanes: Therapeutic Exercises for Sexually Traumatized Children (with Crisci & Lay, 1997), Creative Interventions for Troubled Children & Youth (1999), Creative Interventions for Children of Divorce (2006), and Creative Interventions for Bereaved Children (2006). She has also edited the books Assessment and Treatment Activities for Children, Adolescents, and Families: Practitioners Share Their Most Effective Techniques (Volumes One through Three) and Creative Family Therapy Techniques: Play, Art, and Expressive Activities to Engage Children in Family Sessions.

Schedule for Friday

8:00-9:00: Morning Registration and

Continental Breakfast

9:00-12:15: Morning Session

12:15-1:45: Friday lunch (included) &

NCAPT Annual Meeting

1:45-5:00: Afternoon Session 5:00-6:00: Networking Social

Schedule for Saturday

8:00-9:00: Morning Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00-12:15: Morning Session

12:15-1:15: Saturday lunch (on your own)

1:15-4:30: Afternoon Session

Target Audience

This conference is designed for licensed counselors, social workers, psychologists, marriage and family therapists, and other licensed practitioners and graduate students who practice or wish to learn more about play therapy techniques and theory.

Continuing Education

Up to 12 CE's are provided at no extra cost. APT Approved Provider 03-125 and NBCC Approved Provider #6137 will be available to each attendee. Participants with other credentials should confirm approval from their state professional organizations. NCAPT maintains responsibility for the program.

Hotel Reservations

Hotel reservations must be made on your own.

Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites (Raleigh SW NC STATE): 919-854-0001 Rates: \$90 and \$103 (before 3/1). For reservations, mention code NCAPT.



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NCAPT 10th Annual Spring Conference

March 23-24, 2012

Junior League of Raleigh Center for Community Leadership Raleigh, NC



FRIDAY, MARCH 23rd - 6 CEUS Creative Play Therapy Interventions for Children and Families

This very practical training will present creative engagement, assessment, and treatment interventions to make individual, group, and family sessions meaningful and effective. Interventions will be presented to address issues such as anger management, social skills, stress reduction, and self-esteem. Techniques to strengthen parenting skills will also be highlighted.

Learning Objectives:

- 1) Use at least 3 play therapy interventions to engage clients in counseling.
- 2) Implement an innovative model for assessing children and families.
- 3) Describe three common challenges in family play therapy and identify strategies to overcome these challenges.
- 4) Utilize many new and creative techniques in play therapy sessions with families.

SATURDAY, MARCH 24th - 6 CEUS Creative Play Therapy Interventions for Bereaved Children and Children of Divorce

This dynamic workshop will present an innovative model for working with school-aged bereaved children and children of divorce. Structured assessment and treatment techniques will be illustrated for use in individual, group, and family therapy. Participants will come away with many innovative techniques. Although the focus will be on loss, interventions can be adapted for use with a variety of other populations.

Learning Objectives:

- 1) Define grief, traumatic grief, and disenfranchised grief.
- 2) Articulate the continuum of parent-child relationships after separation and divorce.
- 3) Identify factors that mediate the child's experience of loss.
- 4) Implement a step-by-step model for assessing bereaved children and children of divorce.
- 5) Apply many new and innovative play therapy techniques to the treatment of bereaved children and children of divorce.

FEES & REGISTRATION

BEST DEAL!!! Before January 21st:

Fees	One Day	Two Days
APT members	\$110	\$205
Non-members Students	\$140 \$35	\$260 \$65

Between January 22 and March 1st:

Fees	One Day	Two Days
APT members	\$120	\$230
Non-members	\$150	\$280
Students	\$35	\$65

Between March 2nd and the day before the conference:

Fees	One Day	Two Days
APT members	\$135	\$245
Non-members	\$165	\$295
Students	\$50	\$80

Add a \$20 fee for on-site registration.

Student scholarships and volunteer positions available.

A \$25 administrative fee will be charged for any cancelled registrations.

Conference will be held at:

Junior League of Raleigh Center for Community Leadership Junior League of Raleigh 711 Hillsborough Street Raleigh, NC 27603 919-787- 7480 Parking in Rear of the building.

Conference Registration

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Title		
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City	State	Zip
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□ Full-time student Professor's signatur	at	
Faculty advisor mus	st verify student	status.
Please indicate which like to attend. Friday, March 23 rd Saturday, March 2	d (6 hours)	ays, you would

Please make checks payable to NCAPT.

Online registration can be accessed via our website: www.ncapt.org. Credit cards are accepted through Acteva for a fee.

Questions? Email atburg@gmail.com

Mail registration form and payment to:

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