SM 101 – Understanding Selective Mutism

Presented by Annie DiVello M.S.,CCC-SLP

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Time: 8:30 am - 3:30 pm Check-in 8:00 am

Course Description:

This interactive course is intended to help a variety of professionals, parents, and caregivers to better understand the social emotional, physiological, and neurophysiological components of Selective Mutism. Attendees will also have a greater awareness of

Presenter Bio: Annie is a licensed and ASHA certified Speech-Language Pathologist. She has worked with children across the country including

the initial therapeutic targets for individual with SM and better understand the Dos and Don'ts for intervention.



West Virginia, Georgia, and South Central Los Angeles. Her particular area of clinical interest is Selective Mutism. Annie follows a "whole child" philosophy. She enjoys working closely

Outcomes

As a result of attending, participants will be able

*Name three or more common traits for SM

*List three or more frequently coexisting conditions

*Differentiate between shyness and SM

*Name at least three myths for SM

*List at least three Dos and Don'ts for intervention

*Describe in your own words this mysterious disorder



with family members, school teams, and other service providers to create a collaborative model of support for the children and families she serves. Annie is the Selective Mutism Association State Coordinator for NH and ME. She leads a Selective Mutism Parent Support Group. Annie is passionate about her field and about helping individuals to find their voices. She feels that the ability to communicate is a beautiful gift.

Who should attend: SLPs, SLAs, mental health workers, special educators, classroom teachers, paraprofessionals, administrators, parents, caregivers.

Registration:

Cost: \$210.00 for professionals Early Bird: \$169.00 (by 2/1/18) \$179.00 for parents & caregivers Early Bird: \$139.00 (by 2/1/18)

If paying by check: Make check payable to New England Pediatric Services.
If paying with Purchase Order: Send copy of signed Purchase Order by fax (603 606-2443) or via email.

Payment in must be received prior to attendance.

Registered but cannot attend?

Registration is non-refundable. However, substitutions for a future workshop are accepted.

New England Pediatric Services reserves the right to cancel or postpone all workshops due to weather and/or low registration.

Questions?

Contact Annie DiVello Phone - (603) 860-5669 <u>annie.divello@newengland</u> <u>pediatricservices.com</u>

CEUs – This course will count for 5.5 CEU hours.



Schedule for the day:

8:00-8:30 Guest check-in

9:00-11:30 A clinical overview of SM

11:30-1:00 Lunch on your own

1:00-1:15 Question from the morning session

1:15-2:45 Initial therapeutic targets, where does this journey begin?

2:45-3:00 A brief review of resources for SM

3:00-3:30 Open Forum for Questions. Completion of course evaluations/surveys

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