MEGA® Risk Assessment Training: Assessing Sexually Abusive Youth

If you work with youth with problematic sexual improprieties and need to assess risk for coarse sexual improprieties, and/or sexually abusive behaviors; then this training is for YOU!

Come and learn to administer and interpret an evidence-based risk assessment tool for youth for assessing risk for coarse sexual improprieties, and/or sexually abusive behaviors.

- Applicable for adjudicated and non-adjudicated, males, females, transgender-females, including youth with low intellectual functioning.
- Tested on an international sample of 3,901 youth creating normative data and calibrated risk levels according to age and gender
- Generates a comprehensive individualized risk assessment report according to age and gender which can be used in forensic settings
- Tool is able to chart changes in the youth's risk level and protective factors over time (an outcome measure)

Our one-day specialized training includes the dynamics of risk assessment in general, administering, scoring (data is confidential and secured), and interpreting the MEGA® findings.

About the Author/Presenter:

Dr. Miccio-Fonseca, a clinical psychologist, a leading expert in the field of child sexual abuse, is author of numerous articles on sexually abusive individuals. Dr. Miccio-Fonseca’s ongoing research on sex offenders (all ages and genders) led to developing unique tools for assessing sexually abusive individuals, including MEGA® and the Personal Sentence Completion Inventory (PSCI, 1994). The PSCI is a first of its kind versatile inventory used in exploring erotic development.

Assisting in the MEGA® training is Dr. Lucinda Rasmussen, Senior Research Consultant. Dr. Rasmussen is Associate Professor at School of Social Work, San Diego State University. Her areas of research include risk assessment of sexually abusive youth, effects of trauma on sexually abused and sexually abusive youth.

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Who Should Attend?
- Social workers who work in dependency, or with foster-care, or with adoptions, or with cases in juvenile courts that place and/or house youth with problematic sexual improprieties,
- Case managers and supervisors who work in residential care and/or group homes
- Probation officers who need a tool to assess baseline levels and/or track changes in risk for assessing risk for coarse sexual improprieties, and/or sexually abusive behaviors
- Attorneys who need risk assessment and reports acceptable in forensic settings
- and more!

Registration Details
May 16, 2020 | 8:30 am - 5:30 pm
San Diego, California

For information about schedule, registration and costs please contact Mark Yunker MarkY@ivatcenters.org or L.C. Miccio-Fonseca lcmf@cox.net

MEGA attendance is limited, so please register early. Required manual is included with registration.

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