

SPECIALISTS OF SCHOOLS

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the *PSCP: The Psychology Network* are pleased to offer:

THE SCHOOL-SAVVY THERAPIST: WORKING WITH KIDS, FAMILIES AND SCHOOLS

Clinical knowledge of children and families does not necessarily translate into knowledge about when and how to contact schools or how to work with them collaboratively. This workshop is designed to provide a framework and guidelines for doing so. We will review how therapists (and other clinicians) can come to understand the child and family in the school setting, and what we can do to foster a supportive child-family-school dynamic.

Mary M. Eno, Ph.D. is a psychologist, family therapist and former school consultant who worked at the interface between families and schools for over forty years. Trained at the Philadelphia Child Guidance Clinic, she treated children and families and coordinated the Clinic's consultation services to local public and private schools. Throughout her teaching career—at the University of Pennsylvania and Byrn Mawr College—she taught a graduate course on the topic of families and schools. For over twenty-five years she was the consulting psychologist at Abington Friends School. Mary is in private practice, treating children, adults, couples and families. Her book *The School-Savvy Therapist: Working with Kids, Families and Schools* was recently published by W.W. Norton & Company.

Date: Friday, April 24, 2020

Place: **The Montessori School - Dresher**

1701 Jarrettown Road

Dresher, PA 19025

215-542-0740 - School

www.themontessorischool.us

Time: 12:30 P.M. to 2:30 P.M.

Please bring a bag lunch. Dessert and beverages will be supplied

Tour of the school with previous request.



FEES: This workshop is free for members of SOS, PSCP, and staff at the host school. There is a \$15.00 admission fee for others. CE credits and Act 48 credits are \$30.00 each. Payment must be made online, by check, or money order made out to SOS. **NO CASH PLEASE.**

CANCELLATION POLICY: You are holding a spot so reservations for this workshop are non-refundable. If you cancel at least 48 hours before the event, you will be issued a credit memo (minus a \$10 transaction fee) to use for another SOS workshop within the year.

TO REGISTER: visit www.specialistsofschools.org (if you are a member please sign-in), click the name of the event, select the appropriate registration option and click the "Register Now" button, then follow the onscreen instructions to pay by credit card. This is strongly recommended, as it will decrease a lot of waiting time and confusion at the registration table.



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LEARNING OBJECTIVES: Upon completion of this training, participants will be able to:

- Apply a framework and tools for conducting school savvy therapy sessions
- Characterize a practical framework for building collaborative school relationships
- Utilize guidelines for participating in family-school meetings

CE CREDITS: This session is co-sponsored by the Philadelphia Society of Clinical Psychologists (PSCP) and Specialists of Schools. PSCP is approved by the American Psychological Association to offer Continuing Education (CE) for psychologists. PSCP maintains responsibility for the program and its content. This program provides 2 hours of CE credits for Licensed Psychologists, Social Workers, Licensed Professional Counselors, and Marriage and Family Therapists.

DIRECTIONS: Sign for TMS School appears on white sign outside on road in front of school and also above the front of the school (big letters).

- How to enter school property: There are 4 driveways: take either the 3rd or 4th one (ignore 1-way sign) to the *lower lot.
- Parking: use all spaces—including those that may indicate a designation for the local park.
- Entering the school: Walk up along the drive right in front of the school. There is one front entrance to the school--right under the "The Montessori School" sign above the front door.
- Meeting room: go into the room on the right immediately inside the entrance hall: that is the library where we will meet.

***Dismissal begins at 3:00 PM. SOS Workshop attendees will avoid the parent pickup traffic by parking in the lower lot.**