# Virtual Social Work Lecture Series

SHEPPARD PRATT PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAM LIVE ONLINE BROADCASTS: 9:00 A.M. - 12:15 P.M.

## Friday, October 23, 2020 Do No Harm: Working with Survivors of Sexual Violence

Mothyna James-Brightful, MS & Elisabet Martinez, MSW, LCSW-C, LICSW

### TurnAround Inc., Baltimore, Maryland

This training session is designed for a range of professionals who work with survivors of trauma. Do No Harm focuses on providing information on the definition, prevalence, and facts of the characteristics of sexual violence, how to handle care and response to victims of traumatic events, common emotional and behavioral responses to trauma, and how to effectively work on an ongoing basis with trauma survivors. Case studies will be used to support learning of concepts presented, along with interactive activities and group-based discussion.

# After attending this workshop, clinicians will be able to:

- Identify individuals and groups most vulnerable to sexual assault, and strategies to assist them.
- Practice effective trauma informed crisis management skills to assist survivors.
- Provide survivors with community resources that can help them reduce trauma and navigate the healing process.

### About the speakers:

Mothyna James-Brightful, M.S. is described as "energetic, passionate and inspirational" by audiences. Affectionately known as Sister Mothyna, her personal motto of "Community development is a lifetime commitment," stands as proof of her intense belief in the communal family. "A Nation can rise no higher than its woman," a quote by the Honorable Elijah Muhammad edifies the passionate belief that Sister Mothyna has in her mission to work with women and girls. She truly believes that healthy and whole women produce healthy and whole communities. In the last thirteen years, Mothyna has trained over 100,000 individuals in the field of sexual violence prevention and spent over 40,000 hours on

stage. During the past few years she has worked with several community and national organizations, including Urban Alliance, National Council of Negro Women, and the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, which are also committed to community development. As co-founder of Heal a Woman to Heal a Nation, Inc. (HWHN, Inc.) she has been recognized by Mayor Rawlings-Blake, Senator Mikulski, and Governor O'Malley who has proclaimed April 13th as Heal a Woman to Heal a Nation Day. In recognition of her works, she has appeared in publications such as The Daily Record, Ebony Magazine, Be What I Want to Be Magazine and The Afro-American Newspapers. Sister Mothyna is also the co-author of Because I am a Queen...100 Affirmations for Daily Living. She is the author of Engage. Inspire. Prevent. Strategies for Educating Teens on Sexual Violence. Sister Mothyna holds a Bachelor's degree in Journalism from Morgan State University and a Master's degree in Human Service Administration from The University of Baltimore.

Elisabet Martinez, MSW, LCSW-C, LICSW is a clinical social worker and holds over ten years of experience working with survivors of intimate partner violence, sexual assault, child abuse, and human trafficking. She is experienced in solution-focused therapy, cognitive-behavioral theory, child-centered play therapy, and other treatment modalities. Elisabet also provides services in Spanish. She earned her Master's degree in Social Work from the University of Houston and her Bachelor's degree in Social Work from the University of North Texas. Elisabet is currently a Senior Trauma Therapist at TurnAround, Inc. She enjoys crafting, listening to music, attending the theater, and traveling to Texas as much as she can.

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# Clinical Supervision: Tools for Enhancing the Ethical Practice of Those You Supervise

### Gisele Ferretto, MSW, LCSW-C

### Independent Consultant, Baltimore, Maryland

Supervisors have an essential role in teaching social workers professional ethics and strategies for addressing ethical issues in their practice. The purpose of this workshop is to enhance supervisory skills to help social workers understand their legal and ethical professional responsibilities. This workshop includes practice activities to apply the content covered and examples of strategies for enhanced supervision. This three-hour workshop will satisfy the three Supervision CEU requirements. (New BSWE Regulations [10.42.06.03] require that "Boardapproved supervisors complete a minimum of 3 of the required continuing education units in a content area focusing on supervision.") In addition, the recent legislative changes to the child maltreatment definitions will be covered.

# After attending this workshop, clinicians will be able to:

- Explore the functions and role of clinical supervision.
- Distinguish basic elements and terms associated with ethical decision making and the regulatory code of ethics.
- Demonstrate an understanding to instruct on the ethical concepts which impact behavioral health practice.

#### About the speakers:

**Gisele Ferretto**, **MSW**, **LSCW-C**, has 33 years of social work experience in both clinical and macro practice areas. Her areas of expertise include: policy and leadership development, field education, child welfare practice, professional ethics, confidentiality, and curriculum development. She graduated from the University of Maryland, School of Social Work in 1982. Currently, she is an independent consultant.

Ms. Ferretto was the Manager for Field Education Training and Liaison Coordinator for the Office of Field Education. In addition, she supports the instruction of students in the Title IV-E Education for Public Child Welfare Program. Her work at the SSW over the past 18 years included administrative positions in the Title IV-E Education for Public Child Welfare Program, Child Welfare Academy, and Social Work Community Outreach Service (SWCOS)

\*This workshop will satisfy EITHER the "Ethics" OR "Supervision" CEU requirements. New BSWE Regulations (10.42.06.03) require that "Board-approved supervisors complete a minimum of 3 of the required continuing education units in a content area focusing on supervision.

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# **REGISTRATION FORM**

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### Fees:

**General Registration:** Fee to attend one activity \$40. Fee to attend both activities \$70. Add coupon code: Social Work 2020 when purchasing both activities.

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- 3. Select the activity and add to cart.
- 4. Follow the prompts until payment and registration is complete.

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**October 23, 2020:** October 9, 2020 is the deadline to request a refund for withdrawal from the October 23, 2020 event. Refunds are subject to a \$15/\$10 administrative charge per withdrawal from each registered activity for general registration.

**November 13, 2020**: October 30, 2020 is the deadline to request a refund for withdrawal from the November 13, 2020 event. Refunds are subject to a \$15/\$10 administrative charge per withdrawal from each registered activity for general registration and Sheppard Pratt and affiliates, respectively. *No refunds or credits will be issued for request for withdrawal after the listed deadlines.* 

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