

How to Support LGBT+ Children in Child Welfare

Curriculum: Cultural humility/cultural competence: Supporting LGBTQ

Date/time: **Friday August 2, 2019**
9:00 AM-12:15pm
Location: **Andrews University, Randal Student Lounge**
8488 East Campus Circle Drive,
Berrien Springs MI, 49104
Social Work: CECH's: 3 hours --Approval pending
Presenter: **Shannon Trecartin, PhD LMSW**



Training Objectives: As a result of this training, participants will be prepared to:

- Understand the common experiences of LGBT+ children in child welfare settings.
- Understand the mental health and social health needs of LGBT+ children in child welfare.
- Utilize approaches to help prepare foster families to support LGBT+ children in child welfare.

Description: The purpose of this training is to teach attendees about the unique experiences and needs of children who are LGBT+, to identify the common mental and social health risks of this population, and to provide social workers with tools to help families better serve these children. We will discuss teen homelessness, suicidality, and substance use. In addition, we will explore resources to prepare families to support these children. This training will utilize role playing, small and large group discussions, and visual displays.

Registration Form

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Name: _____

Employer: _____

Address: _____

Email address (for confirmation): _____

Phone number: _____

Cost: Free to all DHHS and private agency child welfare workers
\$45.00 all others; \$15 for students

Method of Payment:

Check (*Made payable to: Andrews University*)

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