

MONDAY, JUNE 21, 2021

YOUTH MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID



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REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JUNE 14, 2021



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WORKSHOP DESCRIPTION:

With one in five youth experiencing mental health and substance use problems, but less than one third of them accessing treatment, early intervention and support of young people experiencing emotional and substance use challenges is critical. Youth Mental Health First Aid® USA is designed to give participants the skills to help students who are developing a mental health problem or experiencing an emotional crisis. The course demonstrates how to recognize and respond to warning signs and connect young people to professional, peer, social, and self-help care. Participants learn to support a youth in both crisis and non-crisis situations. Participants will complete a 2-hour, self-paced online instruction piece any time on their own between June 1-8. They will then participate in a virtual, instructor-led workshop on June 21 using video conferencing technology. This virtual training is based on new curricula that includes expanded content on trauma, addiction, self-care and the impact of social media.



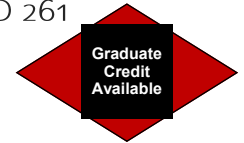
PRESENTER: ELLAMONIQUE BACCUS

Ellamonique Baccus is an art therapist and the Executive Director of Arts Partners in Wichita. She earned her Master's degree in Art Therapy from The School of the Art Institute of Chicago and was a Licensed Clinical Professional Counselor in Chicago for over 10 years. She has extensive experience providing behavioral health therapy, crisis counseling, peer support groups and diagnostic assessment for youth in grades K-12 in school based settings, residential treatment, community based settings, and counseling centers. Ella developed the Wesley Children's Hospital Medical Art Therapy Program in Wichita. In her role at Arts Partners, she has been able to continue the work she began in Chicago here in Kansas.

Dates & Time: Monday, June 21, 2021 (VIRTUAL)
8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

There is a 2-hour, self-paced, online instruction piece prior to the workshop so this counts as a 1.5 day workshop for graduate credit purposes or as 9 PDC points!

Location: The Learning Center, USD 261
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Cost: \$150 Out of District
Free to USD 261 Staff

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LIMIT 15 PARTICIPANTS!

Name: _____

E-Mail: _____

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