

# Teaching Family Homes Training Bulletin

*October 2015*

This bulletin only covers the month of October. Dates of trainings are subject to change based on predicted attendance. You can RSVP for all trainings with Jake (jbilodeau@tfhomes.org).

## Supervisory Trainings

### **10/23 Residential Service Delivery Plan Training (10am—12pm)**

This training will outline the new consultation service delivery requirements for residential supervisors. We will discuss new supervision and documentation strategies per TFA recommendations.

**(Presenter: Jake Bilodeau)**

### **10/27 Supervision in Child Welfare: Strategies to Engage and Support Workers—Webinar (9am—10:15am)**

Recommended for all supervisors, this webinar will explore an overview of strategies for child welfare supervisors to engage and support workers. Included in these strategies will be (1) supportive engagement within a developmental framework, (2) mitigating the impact of secondary trauma and workplace stress, (3) managing the impact of technology changes on worker engagement. We will broadcast the webinar in the large conference room. You may also access the training remotely.

**(Presenter: MSU Social Work Department)**

## Direct Service/Supervisory Trainings

### **10/1 Working with Traumatized Children (4pm—5pm)**

Traci Baxendale Ball will be back on campus to discuss the impacts traumatic experiences have on our children. The presentation will also address secondary and vicarious trauma for employees.

**(Presenters: Traci Baxendale Ball, LMSW, CAADC)**

### **10/30 Who's in Control? (9am—12pm)**

This training will explore the culture of control and how this culture affects our perceptions related to a child's behavior. Gentle Teaching techniques will provide the framework for the session. This training will function as a follow-up to the trauma trainings we have been holding as a component of the EAP program.

**(Presenters: Mark Holliday & Jake Bilodeau)**

## Licensing & Contractual Trainings

**Upcoming CPI Dates:**

10/20 (9-12 & 1-4)

**Upcoming CPR/First Aid Dates:**

TBD