



GUNDERSEN NATIONAL CHILD PROTECTION TRAINING CENTER 2014 TRAINING CATALOG

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The Gundersen National Child Protection Training Center (Gundersen NCPTC) works to end all forms of child abuse, neglect and exploitation through training, education, advocacy, prevention and awareness, providing care and treatment for children, families and adult survivors.

Since its inception in 2003, more than 100,000 child protection professionals have been trained in all 50 states and 17 countries. Training topics include: child abuse, investigations, forensic interviewing and multidisciplinary team training. Gundersen NCPTC actively strives to prepare future front-line professionals to recognize and report the abuse of children, through the implementation of Gundersen NCPTC model curricula. Furthermore, the staff provides technical assistance to child protection professionals and victim/survivor assistance on an ongoing basis. They also publish monthly and quarterly newsletters and distribute them to tens of thousands of child protection professionals.

In February 2013, NCPTC merged with Gundersen Health System (GHS). Gundersen's Integrated Center for Education enhances NCPTC's ability to train professionals in the field.

This premier conference facility offers:

- The latest in communications technology
- Distance learning capabilities
- Support facilities and personnel on site
- Seating for up to 225 people
- A central and beautiful location in southwest Wisconsin

While this partnership brings change, Gundersen NCPTC's mission remains the same. In fact, it means Gundersen NCPTC is that much stronger and that much closer to its goal of ending child abuse.

Training Centers

Gundersen NCPTC's main training center is located on the Winona State University (WSU) campus. This state-of-the-art complex includes five mock court rooms, four forensic interview training rooms and a mock house in which simulated child abuse investigations are conducted. As part of the collaboration with WSU, Gundersen NCPTC staff and WSU faculty have developed the model undergraduate minor curriculum and certificate program entitled Child Advocacy Studies (CAST).

NorthWest Arkansas Community College (NWACC) currently serves as Gundersen NCPTC's Southern Region Training Center. The Melba Shewmaker Center opens January 2014 and includes mock court rooms; interactive video and flexible use space. This center will provide training, publications and the CAST curriculum implementation, as well as technical and forensic interviewing assistance, specifically to the 15 southern U.S. states.

New Mexico State University (NMSU) serves as Gundersen NCPTC's Southwestern Region Training Center. NMSU is an ideal partner due to the university's extensive community outreach, the quality of its CAST curriculum and NMSU's experience in delivering training and services over large, mostly rural distances, as well as its experience in working with underrepresented and limited resource populations. NMSU's region includes New Mexico, Arizona, Southern California and West Texas at its initial launch, and may expand to serve other states.

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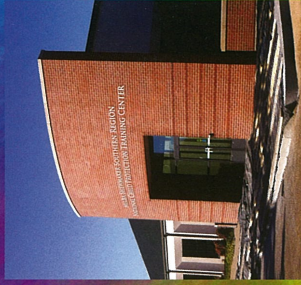
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Gundersen NCPTC's main training center



NorthWest Arkansas Community College (NWACC)

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March 11-14	11th Annual Hawaii Conference: Preventing, Assessing and Treating Child, Adolescent and Adult Trauma	Honolulu, HI
May 8-9	La Crosse Child Maltreatment Conference	La Crosse, WI
July 14-18	NDAAC ChildProtect: Trial Advocacy Course for Civil Child Protection Attorneys	Winona, MN
Aug. 11-14	Dallas Crimes Against Children Conference	Dallas, TX
Sept. 7-10	19th International Conference and Summit on Violence, Abuse and Trauma	San Diego, CA

Training and Speakers Bureau

Many of our training opportunities can be brought to your location. Topics can be tailored to meet the needs and goals of your group, as well as the time you have. We will work with you to determine the best curriculum.

The ChildFirst® protocol, a three-day training program is available for up to 40 participants. Forensic interview training (non-specific protocol) is available in one-, two- or three-day formats. Please call for a quote.

Our Speakers Bureau consists of specialized trainers and experienced professionals in many areas of child protection prepared to travel to your event. Speakers are equipped to train prosecutors, law enforcement officers, social workers, forensic interviewers, multidisciplinary teams, etc. They can create a training session that is customized to fit your needs. Our speakers offer a variety of topics and a wealth of experience.

Contact rakieff@gundersenhealth.org or (507) 457-2898 for more information.

Refund policy: Refunds for training conferences are available if requests are received 30 days prior to the event. For all training conferences that cost more than \$100 per registrant, Gundersen NCPTC will reserve an administration fee of \$25 per refund. Please complete the form, available on the website located on the Training Conferences tab, and allow 10 business days to process your refund request. Please make sure Gundersen NCPTC receives this request before the refund policy deadline. Please allow an additional 20-30 days for all check refunds. There are no refunds issued for webinar trainings.



To register go to gundersenhealth.org/ncptc, and enter promo code CATALOG14.

Webinars for professionals

Gundersen NCPTC's webinar trainings for professionals include a live question-and-answer portion to allow for interaction between presenter and participants. Gundersen NCPTC applies for MN CLE and MN POST Board credits, as well as AR CLEST and CLE Board credits for all webinars. Webinars are approximately 1.75 to 2 hours.

Webinars cost \$30 per registrant. All registrants must register individually and log into the webinar room with their first and last name. Registrants will be emailed detailed instructions and a URL link to log into the webinar meeting room prior to the webinar date.

To pay with credit card, please visit our website: gundersenhealth.org/ncptc and click on Webinars. To pay with check or money order (payable to Gundersen Health System), download the application form online and submit your form with payment to the Winona address.

Time: 2 p.m. Central Standard Time Zone. Most 2014 webinars will be LIVE. Please check our website for topic updates, to register or for more information at gundersenhealth.org/ncptc. Click on Webinars. Turn to page 16 for a list of our prevention webcasts provided at no cost.

2014 webinars

Date	Presentation	Presenter
Feb. 20	Vicarious Trauma and Child Abuse Professionals	Amy Russell, MEd, JD, NCC, executive director, Gundersen NCPTC
April 17	Shadow Children: Addressing Child Sexual Abuse and Commercial Sexual Exploitation within the Family	Rita Farrell, forensic interview specialist, Gundersen NCPTC
June 18	Excuses, Excuses: What To Do When Someone is Just Looking for a Way Out	Rita Farrell, forensic interview specialist, and Stephanie Smith, southern region director, Gundersen NCPTC
Aug. 21	Because the Bible Tells Me So: Working with Parents using Scripture to Justify Violence	Victor Vieth, JD, executive director emeritus, Gundersen NCPTC
Oct. 16	You are More Than Your Past: Healing from Childhood Abuse	Rhonda Bryhn, MSW, MA, psychotherapist, and Denyse Olson-Dorff, PsyD, clinical director, Child and Adolescent Section of Behavioral Health, Gundersen Health System
Dec. 18	Parenting after a Child Abuse Disclosure: How to Help	Susanne Walters, victim assistance specialist, Gundersen NCPTC

ChildFirst® and When Words Matter

ChildFirst®

May 12-16, 2014 in Las Cruces, NM
 Registration deadline: March 14, 2014
 Refund deadline: April 11, 2014

Nov. 17-21, 2014 in Winona, MN
 Registration deadline: Oct. 3, 2014
 Refund deadline: Oct. 17, 2014

ChildFirst® is the forensic interview training program of Gundersen NCPTC. This course is designed for investigative teams of law enforcement officers, social workers, prosecutors, child protection attorneys and forensic interviewers. Students receive training on the ChildFirst® Forensic Interview Protocol, child development, memory and suggestibility, testifying in court, legal issues and preparing children for court. This training incorporates lecture and discussion, review of electronically recorded interviews, skill-building exercises and an interview practicum.

Registration fee: \$450

When Words Matter:

Emerging Issues in Forensic Interviewing

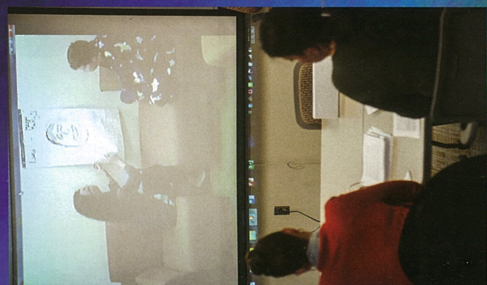
June 2-5, 2014 in Baltimore, MD
 Early bird deadline: April 21, 2014
 Registration deadline: May 16, 2014
 Refund deadline: April 28, 2014

When Words Matter is the largest annual conference for forensic interviewing professionals in the United States. It is designed to extend the concepts of the ChildFirst® training program. When Words Matter is a four-day national conference hosted each year in a state that has implemented the ChildFirst® Forensic Interview Training Program. The conference brings together nationally recognized experts from different areas of the child protection field for an informative and innovative conference. The topics covered are useful for prosecutors, law enforcement officers, child protective service workers, forensic interviewers, child counselors/psychologists, medical professionals, victim advocates and anyone else who interviews children or prepares them for court.

Early bird registration: \$400
Registration fee: \$450



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