

HELP Family Service Centre
Training on
'Nurturing Youths from Single-Parent Families – Narrative Approach'

About HELP Family Service Centre

HELP (Help Every Lone Parent) Family Service Centre, affiliated to National Council of Social Service, is a voluntary welfare organisation specially helping single-parent families.

About the Training

In the two-day training the participants are invited to join the journey of exploring narrative thoughts and ideas, skills and practice to help nurture youths of single-parent families in Singapore. This is also a journey of reflection in which the dominant discourses that are shaping the youth's lives and identities will be unpacked, deconstructed and re-constructed. Through navigating and exploring the narrative maps of externalizing and re-authoring, the participants can experience how alternate story lines are plotted in the narrative conversations such that the youth's preferred identities can become visualized.

About the Trainer

Angela Tsun On-Kee is serving the Department of Social Work, Hong Kong Baptist University, as Associate Head, Associate Professor and Fieldwork Director. She got her master's degree in social work (1985) from Washington University and her Ph.D degree (2001) from the University of Bristol. In 2005, she received a post-graduate diploma on narrative practice from Dulwich Centre in Adelaide, South Australia.

In the past 20 years, Angela's job experience has spanned as school social worker, Assistant Social Work Officer, with the Against Child Abuse, Associate Director of Centre for Youth Research and Practice and teaching career at Hong Kong Baptist University. She has conducted a number of seminars, workshops and courses on counseling skills, parenting skills, child abuse and child protection, family therapy, and narrative ideas. Her research interests include child development, child abuse, parent-child relationship, self-esteem, and narrative practice.

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Workshop Information

Date : 29 – 30 March 2010, Monday & Tuesday
Time : 9.30am – 5.30pm
Venue : YWCA Fort Canning Lodge,
Pool Terrace, Level 3,
6 Fort Canning Road
Singapore 179494

Language : English
Fees : \$360 per participant (pending VCF approval)

The workshop is limited to 40 participants.

Who should attend

This workshop is specially designed for social workers, counsellors, youth workers, school counsellors and other professionals who are working with youths from single-parent families.

For further enquires, please contact Saradha or Nellie at 64575188.

Registration is on first-come-first-served basis, confirmed upon receipt of registration form and fee. Cheque should be crossed and made payable to 'HELP Family Service Centre'. All payments should reach HELP Family Service Centre by 22 March 2010. Please mail the completed registration form & cheque payment to:

**HELP Family Service Centre
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Registration Form

Name : _____
Organisation : _____
Designation : _____
Address : _____
Contact No. : _____ (Home/ Office/ Mobile)
Email Add. : _____
Date of registration : _____