



SELF-DIRECTED VIOLENCE WORKSHOP

Protect International is pleased to present a 3-Day Self-Directed Violence Risk Assessment and Management Workshop. The workshop is taking place between 17-19 November 2020 in Toronto, Ontario.

This workshop will provide participants with an opportunity to learn new skills and build on existing skills in assessing and managing risk for self-directed violence. In recent years, there has been an emphasis on the importance of using structured methods that incorporate clinical judgment and evidence-based guidelines to assess and manage risk for self-directed violence rather than relying solely on clinical judgment, basic checklists, or actuarial methods.

During the 3-day workshop, participants will learn how to identify warning signs and determine what immediate actions to take related to self-directed violence risk using the Self-Directed Violence Risk Triage (SDVRT). In addition, participants will learn about general principles of self-directed violence risk assessment and management with a focus on the Guidelines for Preventing Self-Directed Violence (SDV).

The Guidelines for Preventing Self-Directed Violence were designed for the comprehensive assessment and management of self-directed violence and were developed according to the Structured Professional Judgment (SPJ) model. The guidelines are based on research, supported by best practice, and acceptable in a court of law. Successful completion of the workshop will be recognized with a certificate of completion for each participant.

Thousands of professionals from hundreds of settings across the world have taken part in our workshops to date and the procedures developed by our Threat Assessment Specialists are among the most widely used in the field. Our violence risk assessment and management workshops are the

only ones in this field that have been subjected to systematic empirical research and evaluations indicate that the vast majority of participants recommend our workshops.

WHY ATTEND?

Develop your skills

Build your expertise when making decisions about cases that involve future risk of self-directed violence.

Implement best practices

Learn about best practices related to assessing and managing risk for future self-directed violence to help prevent future harm and protect from liability.

Network with others

Strengthen your relationships with other professionals with a shared interest in and responsibility for self-directed violence risk assessment and management.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

This workshop is designed for professionals whose work involves risk assessment and management, including those working in criminal justice, security, victim services, forensic mental health, civil mental health, general health care, social services, human resources, occupational health and safety, and legal services.

Workshop Overview

NOVEMBER 17

Self-directed violence risk triage and implementation issues

- Focuses on triaging for self-directed violence risk to determine when comprehensive assessment is necessary
- Focuses on legal issues (e.g., human rights, privacy and information sharing, occupational health and safety)

NOVEMBER 18

Principles of self-directed violence risk assessment and management

- The nature of self-directed violence and self-directed violence risk
- Principles of self-directed violence risk assessment focusing on Structured Professional Judgment (SPJ)

NOVEMBER 19

Assessing and managing risk for self-directed violence

- Administration of the Guidelines for Preventing Self-Directed Violence (SDV)

CONFIRMED PRESENTER



Dr Brianne Layden works as a Threat Assessment Specialist at Protect International Risk and Safety Services, Inc. She holds a doctorate in clinical-forensic psychology and her work focuses on conducting assessments, providing training and developing, implementing and evaluating strategies related to preventing, assessing and managing risk for violence toward the self or others.

DAILY SCHEDULE

The workshop will run from 0900 to 1630 each day, with morning and afternoon breaks and a lunch break from 1200 to 1300. Registration is from 0830 to 0900 on the first day of the workshop.

LOCATION

Venue TBD
Toronto, ON

HOTEL

Participants are responsible for arranging their own accommodations as necessary.

COST

Early Bird Rate
Up to 20 October 2020 \$1140 + HST

Regular Rate
After 20 October 2020 \$1440 + HST

DISCOUNT

CATAP Discount
Members in good standing receive a 10% member discount

Student Discount
Graduate students in full-time professional training programs receive a 50% student discount

Group Discount
Groups of 5 or more: free registration for every fifth person from the same institution

Costs include materials and refreshments

REGISTER

Submit your completed registration form via:
Email: info@protect-international.com
or online at: www.protect-international.com

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: 3 November 2020

QUESTIONS?

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REGISTRATION

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BILLING INFORMATION

Name
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REGISTRATION FEES

Early Bird Rate: \$1140+ HST per participant
participants = _____

Regular Rate: \$1440+ HST per participant
participants = _____

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PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

NOTE: Free registration for every fifth person from the same institution.

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CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellation or changes to registrations must be received in writing. 80% of the registration fees received will be refunded 4 weeks before the event. 50% refund will be received within 4 weeks before the event. We reserve the right to cancel the workshop by 20 October 2020 if we fail to reach the minimum paid enrollment number. Participants will receive a full refund in the event of a workshop cancellation.