

Child Guidance Resource Centers  
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# SOCIAL JUSTICE & MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS: Issues, Acts, and Ethics

August 9, 2024  
10 am- 12 pm  
via Zoom



## COURSE OVERVIEW

During this workshop, participants will explore the concept of social justice and how it relates professional ethical responsibilities.

Participants will learn how to identify social justice concerns based on a client's psychosocial history and to use practical strategies to advocate for social justice within the boundaries of clinical practice.

## COURSE OUTLINE

- *Part I will highlight how social justice is addressed in various professional codes of conduct.*
- *In Part II, participants will learn about relevant economic and political theories, as well as how the concept of social justice has evolved over time.*
- *Part III will address issues of social justice specific to the mental health system. It will also explain opportunities for addressing social justice issues within an ecological framework.*
- *In Part IV, a psychosocial history of a family will be presented.*

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This course is intended for Social Workers, Professional Counselors, Marriage and Family Therapists, Graduate Students, and others supporting the mental health and well-being of children and youth.

**For more information**

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## REGISTRATION LINK

This course is **free-of-charge** due to a generous grant from the Pew Charitable Trusts.



## CE CREDITS

Participants will be awarded **2 CE Credits** upon completion.

Child Guidance Resource Centers (CGRC) is approved by the Pennsylvania State Board of Social Workers, Marriage and Family Therapists, and Professional Counselors to offer continuing education for social workers, marriage and family therapists, and professional counselors. CGRC maintains responsibility for the program.



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**PRESENTER:** Kelly Ace holds a Master's degree in Psychology & Counseling, as well as a law degree and a Ph.D. in Human Sexuality. She is licensed as both a Professional Counselor and as an attorney. She is also credentialed through the National Board for Certified Counselors, the American Board of Forensic Counselors, and the American Association of Sexuality Educators, Counselors, and Therapists.