

Working with Families After Sexual Abuse Has Occurred

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Length: 4 hours

- **1hour and 30 minutes** Introduction to the issues involved
 - Barriers to connection
 - Determination of where the adolescent who abuses will live
 - Engaging families
 - Family therapy

- **1hour and 15 minutes** Family therapy (continued)
 - Family grief and other emotional responses
 - Barriers to family engagement
 - Working with families (and other caregivers)
 - Addressing victimization
 - Addressing helplessness

1hour and 15 minutes • Reunification

- Clarification
- Creating safe spaces in treatment
- Facing the Future
- Client responsibility
- Possible setbacks
- Additional Q&A and discussion

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