



Recognizing and Intervening in Domestic Violence and Abuse

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Time: 11:00 AM to 2:15 PM ET (*All times East Coast USA Local Time*)

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| 11:00 am – 12:30 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction and overview• Allies in Change• Common misconceptions about domestic violence• Why should you care about domestic violence as a mental health professional?• Prevalence of domestic violence• Gender• Children and domestic violence• Rates of convictions• Understanding abuse• Definitions |
| 12:30 – 12:45 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Break |
| 12:45 – 2:15 pm | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Definitions, continued• Relational impact and neglect• Controlling behaviors• Patterns of abuse as the main issue• Belief systems• “Why don’t they leave?”• Being hostage to the abuse• The only one who knows both sides of the abusive partner |

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