ETHICAL BOUNDARIES IN PSYCHOTHERAPY AND COUNSELING

DATE & TIME: October 2, 2012 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

All registration is completed on the Learning Net prior to the training. Sign-in begins 30 minutes prior to the training time. All participants must arrive during the sign-in period. Late arrivals will not be admitted.

PLACE: 695 S. Vermont Ave., 7th Floor Conference Room

Los Angeles, CA 90005

PARKING: Shatto Parking Structure or

685 New Hampshire Ave. (All Day Flat Rate: \$5.00)

This is an intermediate-advanced course addressing the complexities of boundary issues in psychotherapy and counseling. Included in the discussion are self-disclosure, gifts, touch, home visits, confidentiality, interventions outside the office, e-mail, texting, internet issues, and multiple clients/loyalties. This unique course will incorporate popular movie clips to highlight context-based applications of therapeutic boundaries. It also emphasizes that flexible therapeutic boundaries can enhance alliances and clinical outcomes. The course additionally focuses on the effects of modern technology, such as the Internet on psychotherapy, clinical assessments and counseling.

TARGET AUDIENCE: DMH licensed clinical staff

OBJECTIVES: As a result of attending this training, participants should:

- 1) Review current standards of practice, codes of ethics and CA laws in regard to boundaries in therapy.
- 2) Define and document boundary issues/violations and dual relationships.
- 3) Identify non-sexual, non-exploitative boundary concerns and ethical actions.
- 4) State clinical rationale and knowledge of law and ethics in clinical situations.
- 5) List boundary concerns in client treatment planning.
- 6) Identify two examples of documenting appropriate boundary crossing and dual relationship issues in a clinical record.

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DEADLINE: When maximum capacity is reached

COST: None

CONTINUING 6 hours for BBS, BRN, CAADAC

EDUCATION: CE for Psychologists

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