Lyda Hill Institute for Human Resilience



Customized training to reduce burnout and traumatic stress

Why a Resilience Workshop?

Mental health providers are at an elevated risk of psychological trauma resulting from exposure to stressful events and situations encountered while working with clients. This increases the likelihood of issues such as depression, anxiety, substance use, and other psychiatric disorders, potentially leading to a variety of negative health and workplace outcomes.

The Lyda Hill Institute for Human Resilience provides **customized workshops** to help organizations become trauma- and resilience-informed, giving mental health providers tools to overcome these negative experiences.

Workshops are ideal for clinicians and administrators working in organizations specializing in substance use and domestic violence, among other specialties, where workers routinely encounter stressful or traumatic situations as part of their job. In the trainings, individuals will gain a basic understanding of the effects of stress and how they can foster resilience within themselves and their organizations. Workshops provide virtual or in-person, interactive training, covering numerous topics which can be tailored to address the specific resilience needs of the organization.

Workshop topics may include (but are not limited to)

- The biology of stress
- Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)
- Substance use
- The stress injury continuum

- Secondary traumatic stress
- Compassion fatigue/burnout
- Suicide prevention
- De-escalation techniques

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