

# **Continuing Education Seminar**

# The Everyday Mind - Interplay of Stressors and Psychological Impact

Thursday, October 26, 2023 ■ 8:30 am – 11:45 am (3-hours)

Check-in & Continental Breakfast: 8:00-8:30 am

Tailored for child-serving social workers, therapists, and psychologists, this presentation provides a comprehensive exploration of the child and adolescent brain, alongside the profound impacts of anxiety, depression, and trauma on its development. Attendees will delve into developmental milestones and critical periods shaping cognitive and emotional growth. This knowledge will be the foundation for discussion on the intricate interplay between psychological stressors and neural architecture, influencing emotional resilience and cognitive pathways. The presentation will not only facilitate analytical insights but also foster collaborative discussions, encouraging participants to apply their understanding through case studies and practical scenarios. Ultimately, attendees will gain actionable insights to enhance their intervention strategies and positively influence the well-being of the youth they engage with.

### At the conclusion, attendees should be able to:

- Possess a thorough grasp of developmental milestones and critical periods shaping the child and adolescent brain.
- Develop the ability to critically analyze how anxiety, depression, and trauma impact the developing brain. This insight will enable the recognition of complex interplay between psychological stressors and neural development, enhancing emotional resilience and cognitive pathways.
- Engage in practical case studies and scenarios, allowing application learning to real-world situations. This hands-on approach will empower the creation of targeted intervention strategies that promote positive outcomes and contribute to the well-being of the youth they serve.

#### Featuring:

Dr. Amy Fortney Parks brings with her over 30 years of experience working with children, adolescents and families as both an educator and psychologist. She is a passionate "BRAIN ENTHUSIAST" and strives to help everyone she works with understand the brain science of communication, activation and relationships. Dr. Parks has a Doctorate in Educational Psychology with a specialty in developmental neuroscience. She is a Child & Adolescent Psychologist as well as the founder and Clinical Director of WISE Mind Solutions LLC and The Wise Family Counseling, Assessment & Parent Coaching in Virginia. Dr. Parks serves as a Clinical Supervisor for Virginia LPC Residents, as well as an Adjunct Assistant Professor at The Chicago School of Professional Psychology.

# **Beaver Creek Country Club**

9535 Mapleville Rd Hagerstown, MD 21740

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# **Registration Information**

Seminar Fee: \$85.00

(includes breakfast and 3CEUs)

To Register: See reverse side

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# Seminar Registration Form

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#### **Questions?**

Contact Curt Miller, Community Relations and Education Manager at curt.miller@brooklane.org or 301-733-0331 x1228.