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# The Road to Recovery: Supporting Children with Disabilities Who Have Experienced Trauma

## Train-the-Trainer Opportunity

You are invited to attend a two-day train-the-trainer institute designed to teach basic knowledge, skills and values related to working with children with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD) who have had traumatic experiences. Attendees will learn how to use this knowledge to support children's safety, well-being and recovery through trauma-informed practices.

This training institute is designed for educators and trainers in the fields of mental health, disability service, child welfare and protection, domestic violence, sexual assault and education; as well as family members and others involved in the care of children with disabilities who have experienced abuse, neglect, medical trauma, abandonment, bullying and other traumatic events. Training topics include:

- understanding child traumatic stress and its relationship to children with IDD
- the impact of trauma on children's behavior, development and relationships
- assessment of a child's traumatic experiences
- providing support to the child, family and caregivers
- working across systems
- managing professional and personal stress

This training program is a collaborative effort of the Hogg Foundation for Mental Health at The University of Texas at Austin, the National Child Traumatic Stress Network, the Texas Council of Community Centers and SAFE, and the domestic and sexual violence center of Austin/Travis County.

**SAFE** | stop abuse for everyone  
A merger of Austin Children's Shelter and SafePlace

**NCTSN** The National Child Traumatic Stress Network



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### WHEN

Feb. 7-8, 2018  
8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
(Registration 8:30 - 9:00 a.m.)

### WHERE

Community Connections  
501 Pine Tree Rd.  
Longview, Texas 75604

### TRAINERS

Leslie Fierro  
Laura Buckner

**Space limited/lunch provided**  
for this no-cost training.

Register at:  
**[safeaustin.org/trainreg](http://safeaustin.org/trainreg)**

Social work and licensed professional counselor CEUs and CRC CEUs available upon request at registration.

Family members of children with disabilities and training participants with disabilities may apply for a stipend to cover some travel expenses and/or childcare costs to attend.

For more information:  
**[safeaustin.org/hogg](http://safeaustin.org/hogg)**