

The Section on Psychology in Education (SecPE)  
of the Ontario Psychological Association presents:  
The 2018 Dorothy Hill Memorial Symposium  
**Friday, September 28, 2018, 8:15 am -3:30 pm**

**Sheraton Parkway Toronto North Hotel**  
9005 Leslie Street (by Hwy.7), Richmond Hill, ON L4B 1B2

***TRAUMA-INFORMED PSYCHOLOGICAL APPROACHES TO  
ASSESSING, SUPPORTING AND EDUCATING STUDENTS***

**SYMPOSIUM SPEAKERS**

Eric Rossen, Ph.D, NCSP  
Lisa Weed Phifer, D.Ed, NCSP

**Goals & Learning Outcomes**

- Identify key components of a trauma-informed school framework
- Apply individual, classroom and school-wide trauma-informed strategies, including IEP development
- Support teachers and parents in effective communication with traumatized students
- Administer trauma-focused screening and assessment
- Implement trauma-informed CBT utilizing educators as support
- Guide educators and others in teaching the thinking skills necessary for effective trauma-informed CBT

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***Thanks to the Exhibitors who are joining us at the Symposium!***



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**Program Schedule**

<b>TIMES</b>	<b>AGENDA</b>
8:15 – 9:00 am	Registration Check-In and Continental Breakfast
9:00 - 9:10 am	Opening Remarks
9:10 – 9:30 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creating Common Definition of Trauma</li> <li>• Defining a Trauma-Informed School and Its Core Components</li> <li>• How to Implement 6 Principles of Compassionate Schools</li> </ul>
9:30 – 10:00 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Examining Building and District Level Policies and Practices That Promote Trauma Sensitivity and Positive Outcomes</li> </ul>
10:00 – 10:45 am	<b>Considerations for Trauma Screening and Assessment</b>
10:45 – 11:00 am	Refreshment Break
11:00 - 11:45 am	<b>Developing Trauma-Informed IEPs</b>
11:45 – 12:00 pm	SecPE’s 2018 Award of Merit Presentation
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Buffet Lunch
1:00 – 2:00 pm	<b>Trauma-informed Skill Building with CBT</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thinking skills</li> <li>• Relationship coaching</li> <li>• Competency building</li> <li>• Brain based approaches</li> </ul>
2:00 – 3:20 pm	<b>Moving Trauma-Informed CBT Concepts into Educational Practice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Integrating CBT Into Vocabulary Development</li> <li>• Cognitive Skills Necessary for CBT to be Effective</li> <li>• CBT and Literacy</li> </ul>
3:20 – 3:30 pm	Closing Remarks
3:40 - 4:00 pm	SecPE Annual General Meeting – <i>All Welcome</i>

## 2018 Dorothy Hill Memorial Symposium Presenters

**Eric Rossen**, Ph.D, NCSP, is a nationally certified school psychologist and licensed psychologist in Maryland. He has experience working in public schools as well as in independent practice, and is currently the director of professional development and standards for the National Association of School Psychologists (NASP). Dr. Rossen has published several manuscripts and presented nationally on issues related to crisis response, trauma, and school safety. Dr. Rossen is co-editor of *Supporting and Educating Traumatized Students: A Guide for School-Based Professionals* from Oxford University Press. He also has served as a college instructor and adjunct faculty at the University of Missouri and Prince George’s Community College in Maryland.

**Lisa Weed Phifer**, D.Ed., NCSP is a a Nationally Certified School Psychologist who works in a large, diverse school system outside Washington, DC. She recently published a clinician's workbook entitled the *CBT Toolbox for Children and Adolescents* and a parent companion workbook that is currently in press. She has published additional manuscripts, presented nationally, and has developed e-learning programs for educators to address the impact of trauma on students' social, emotional and educational growth. Her most rewarding role is with her family, spending time with her husband and daughter.

### Registration and Fees

*Your registration fee includes a Continental Breakfast, Refreshments and a Buffet Lunch.*

Registration Type	Regular Fee
General (Non-Member) Fee	<b>\$220.35</b> (\$195.00. plus \$25.35 HST)
Groups of 5 or more ( <i>Contact Symposium Coordinator – see below</i> )	<b>\$203.40</b> (\$180.00, plus \$23.40 HST)
SecPE Members Fee – <i>To join SecPE, contact OPA – see below</i> .	<b>\$192.10</b> (\$170.00, plus \$22.10 HST)
Students ( <i>Proof of Student ID required when registering &amp; on-site</i> )	<b>\$79.10</b> (\$70.00, plus \$9.10 HST)

**On-Line Registration OPEN (Regular Rate) [click here](#)**

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**For group discounts** and program information, please contact, **Ingrid Norrish**, Symposium Coordinator at [norrish@sympatico.ca](mailto:norrish@sympatico.ca) or call (905) 456-0438.