



Impact of Abuse, Trauma and Neglect on Child Neurodevelopment

Exciting new brain research indicates that positive relationships can rewire and repair the damage from trauma, abuse, and alcohol/drug-related neurological disorders. Compare normal childhood development and its tasks with development clouded by abuse, neglect, and trauma. Learn about intervention strategies such as affect regulation, Circle of Security, sensory integration, early identification of neurodevelopmental profile risk, parent education on expected behavioral/developmental patterns, the role of psychopharmacological interventions, and, most importantly, the healing power of relationships. Identify specialized parenting skills to promote positive neurological progress.



Presenter:

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He is a Developmental-Behavioral pediatrician with a special emphasis on infants and young children's emotional, behavioral and developmental difficulties. As Co-Founder and current Director of the Center, Dr. Willis has led the development of our unique regional multidisciplinary organization that focuses not only on a new clinical services model – our "Developmental Home," but also focuses on community collaborations for prevention and science-to-practice innovations for infants, young children and their families.

When: Friday, June 17, 2011
Time: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (registration at 8:30 a.m.)
Where: Department of Human Services
4600 25th Avenue NE, Salem, OR 97301

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- ✓ *Morning and afternoon beverages and snacks provided*
- ✓ *Lunch is "on your own" from 12:00 noon to 1:30 p.m.*
- ✓ **Register with ORPARC at 1-800-764-8367 or orparc@nwresource.org**

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