**BHSD Learning Partnership Presents:**

**Transformational Collaborative Outcomes Management (TCOM) Orientation and CANS Overview Training**

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| **Course Description:**The **Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths-Commercially Sexually Exploited (CANS-**The **Santa Clara County Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths 2.0 (Ages 5+)** is a collaboratively completed measure of youth and family strengths and needs developed specifically for youth who have experienced sexual exploitation. This evidence- based, standardized assessment was developed to support decision-making, including level of care and intervention planning, to facilitate quality improvement initiatives, and to allow for the monitoring of clinical and functional outcomes for sexually exploitedyouth. As a communication tool, it facilitates the linkage between the assessment process and the design of individualized service plans. This workshop provides an overview of the Santa Clara County CANS 2.0 5+ and Transformational Collaborative Outcomes Management (TCOM). TCOM’s overall framework, key concepts and how its multilevel approach directly benefits children and families will be discussed. The principles and best practices in using the CANS and the Commercially Sexually Exploited Module as a TCOM assessment strategy, a communication framework, and a tool to monitor outcomes and inform care plans for sexually exploited youth will also be addressed. Using vignettes and small group activities, this 6-hour, interactive session will prepare users for certification and use of the CANS and the CSE Module.**\*\*\*Santa Clara County Behavioral Health Services Department (SCCBHSD) is approved by the CA Association of Marriage and Family Therapist to sponsor****continuing education for Santa Clara County LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs, and/or LEPs. SCCBHSD maintains responsibility for this program/course and its content. This course meets the qualifications for 6 hours of continuing education for LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs, and/or LEPs, as required by the CA Board of Behavioral Sciences. The CA Association of Marriage and Family Therapist is the BBS recognized approval agency- Provider # 131775. Lunch and scheduled breaks during the training do not court towards CEU credit.****Course Objectives: Participants will:*** Articulate the philosophy Transformational Collaborative Outcomes Management (TCOM) and how it guides the development of a shared vision for children, families, providers and systems.
* Demonstrate understanding of the role of structured assessments in the mental health system as demonstrated by the ability to identify the linkage between the

assessment and the treatment planning process.* Describe the purpose of the CANS.
* Demonstrate understanding of how the Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths is be used to support system of care philosophy through identifying a shared vision for the treatment team.

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Transformational Collaborative Outcomes Management (TCOM) and utilizing the Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths (CANS). She developed the CANS-Commercially Sexually Exploited version, which is used nationally. A licensed clinical psychologist, Dr. Fernando brings her years of experience as an educator, clinician and mental health administrator to her work with TCOM and the CANS.

**Target Audience: Santa Clara County Behavioral Health Services Staff and contracted agencies.**

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