

Presented by Dr. Tiffany Bridgett

Elements of Mental Health Interpreting

Saturday, August 12, 2023
9:00-12:00pm ET via Zoom

0.3 PS RID CEUs (M/MH in MI)
FREE for Michigan Interpreters
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This workshop is made possible by a grant from Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) and is sponsored by DEAF C.A.N.! in cooperation with CWoodPD.



DESCRIPTION

The goal of this workshop is to allow participants to become familiar with the elements of mental health interpreting settings, so they can 1) determine if they will be comfortable interpreting certain assignments, 2) identify their current competence and areas of potential growth, and 3) identify the "goodness of fit" for each mental health assignment.

During this workshop, Dr. Bridgett will describe various mental health settings and specific clinical treatment approaches. She will also discuss different types of psychological testing measures and the importance of transliterating for assessment, including test standardization.

OBJECTIVES

Participants will be able to:

- Define three to four mental health settings.
- Describe three to four common treatment approaches in mental health settings.
- Identify three to four clinical purposes of psychological testing.
- Summarize the significance of "test standardization".
- Use the elements of mental health interpreting to evaluate their own interpreting skills to determine "goodness of fit" when reviewing assignments.

POLICIES

- This workshop will be offered at no charge. If you need to cancel please contact Cindy at cwoodpd@gmail.com as soon as possible.
- Please contact Cindy at cwoodpd@gmail.com at least 14 days in advance of the event with any ADA accommodation requests.
- CWood Professional Development promotes a learning environment free from discrimination and bias, and encourages mutual respect for all participants.

DETAILS

- Workshop approved for 0.3 PS RID CEUs (or M/MH in Michigan).
- This workshop will be presented in ASL.
- This workshop is based in the Eastern Time Zone.
- Target Audience: This workshop is intended for interpreters who work with Deaf clients, and Deaf and hearing professionals in the Mental Health arena.
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ABOUT THE PRESENTER



Tiffany Bridgett, Ph.D., graduated magna cum laude from Rochester Institute of Technology with her bachelor's degree in psychology and pre-med with a minor in criminal justice.

Upon graduation, she began her doctoral studies in clinical psychology at Gallaudet University and received training in various settings in healthcare: university psychology departments, outpatient clinics, psychiatric hospitals, Crisis Text Line and domestic violence services. Dr. Bridgett completed her postdoctoral internship at Saint Elizabeth's Hospital in the District of Columbia.

Throughout her studies, she has devoted her clinical and research interests to eradicating systemic, cultural, and linguistic barriers in the psychology field with a special focus on trauma. In August 2022, Dr. Bridgett started her postdoctoral fellowship with the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Child Resilience Center at Gallaudet University where she continues to address the gap in psychological services for deaf and hard of hearing children and families who have experienced trauma.

She currently resides in Washington, D.C. with her CODA daughter.

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