

THE SECOND ANNUAL CAPITAL DISTRICT SYMPOSIUM
**ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES (ACES),
TRAUMA, AND RESPONSE**

FRIDAY MARCH 27, 2015

*PERFORMING ARTS CENTER ON THE UALBANY UPTOWN CAMPUS
TIME: 9:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.*

IMPORTANT PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

- **Registration opens February 2, 2015**
To register, copy and paste following web site address into your browser:
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/ACE0315>
- There will be no conference fee for participants.
- *Four hours of CEUs available through UAlbany - \$80.00 - Follow instructions at Symposium registration site*
- See following page for Symposium program details, and CEU requirements
- More details can be found at: www.lasalle-school.org

Nationally recognized presenters to include:

ROBERT ANDA, MD, MS

In the early 1990's, Dr. Anda began a collaboration with Dr. Vincent Felitti at Kaiser Permanente in San Diego to investigate child abuse as an underlying cause of medical, social, and public health problems. This effort led to a large-scale study funded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to track the effects of childhood trauma on health throughout the lifespan. They called it the Adverse Childhood Experiences Study (ACE Study). Dr. Anda played a principle role in the design of the study, and serves as co-founder and co-principal investigator.

The Capital District Symposium will offer individuals with various responsibilities across a wide span of human services, a unique opportunity to gain important and useful knowledge about the effects of trauma on brain development, how both prevention and trauma informed care can be of significant benefit, and how ACE informed practice can assist with prescriptive treatment and improved use of resources. The program will be especially targeted to DSS Caseworkers and Supervisors, Child Welfare Administrators, Clinicians and Therapists, Juvenile Probation, Special Educators, Health Care Practitioners, Direct Care Staff and Supervisors within the non-profit provider sector and others working with children.

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A Capital District Symposium

Friday, March 27, 2015 | 9:00am – 3:00pm | University at Albany Performing Arts Center | Main (uptown) Campus

PROGRAM FOR THE DAY

9:00 a.m.:

Welcoming Remarks

John D. Bennett, MD — *President & CEO, CDPHP*

Immediately

following:

Keynote: The Lifelong Impact of Adverse Childhood Experiences on Health and Society: Neurobiology and Epidemiology Converge

Speaker: Robert F. Anda, MD, MS — *Co-Principal Investigator and Co-Founder
Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE) Study*

Findings of Dr. Anda's groundbreaking research has resulted in more than 70 major publications influencing health research, policy and legislation across the U.S. and around the world.

10:45 a.m.:

Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) in Action: How ACE Informed Practice Can Transform Behavioral Health Programming and Culture

***Speaker: David Wallace, LCSW-R** — *Clinical Director, LaSalle School*

Mr. Wallace is currently the Director of Clinical Services at LaSalle School and Adjunct Faculty at Sage Graduate School, in Albany, NY. With 20 years of experience in child welfare, Mr. Wallace has developed an expertise in treating youth and families and has presented to audiences throughout the nation and New York State. Mr. Wallace also serves on a number of state and national associations, boards and committees, dedicated to the improvement of services to youth and families.

1:15 p.m.:

Implications of ACE Informed Practices on Public Policy

Speaker: Raymond Schimmer — *CEO, Northern Rivers Family Services (recently retired)*

Mr. Schimmer is a highly respected leader whose career, in addition to serving as CEO at Northern Rivers Family Services, included service on numerous non-profit boards, and advisory roles on a number of panels and commissions involved with the development of policy related to services for children and families.

***2:00 p.m.:**

Panel: Practical applications for the ACE Study findings: Research into practice

Participants: Dr. Robert Anda, David Wallace, Raymond Schimmer

Moderator: Dr. Heather Larkin, *Associate Professor, University at Albany*

OTHER SITE INFORMATION

- Box Lunch Provided (NO special dietary needs can be addressed)
- Paid Parking On Campus Available
- Program Updates, Parking Instructions and Map will be Sent via Email to Registrants

CEU REQUIREMENTS

- 4 Hours, Only, Available
- \$80 (50% Discount for Current UAlbany Field Instructors)
- Advance Registration Only
- Credit Card Only
- Have License Number and Credit Card Ready

Please be advised that the NYS Board of Education, which sets the standards for social work licensure, does not provide credit for partial attendance. Therefore, late arrival or early departure will affect your eligibility to receive CE credit. You will receive a CE certificate at the close of the program.