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# INTRODUCTION TO FETAL ALCOHOL SPECTRUM DISORDERS (FASD)

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*For CMHSP clinicians, child welfare staff, parents, educators, medical, substance use, JJ professionals, and others who are interested in learning about working with families with a child or youth with a suspected or diagnosed FASD.*



## Summer 2023 Training

June 27 & 29, 2023  
(9 AM – 12 PM)

Register @

<http://events.mphi.org/sed-ndd/>

This training addresses the importance of recognizing a FASD in those with whom we live. FASD is often undiagnosed or misdiagnosed and is more common than Autism or Down Syndrome. Most children/youth with FASD look like their peers but their brain damage cannot be seen. Because of this, FASD is known as an invisible disability. Children/youth may display behaviors that repeatedly get them into trouble. Strategies for improving outcomes for the child/youth, family, and programs that serve them are highlighted.

Presenter: Daniel Dubovsky, MSW, FASD Specialist, has worked for over 40 years in the field of behavioral health as a therapist in residential treatment, inpatient, outpatient, and community settings. He has been involved in the field of fetal alcohol spectrum disorders (FASD) for over 30 years. Dan has presented regionally, nationally, and internationally on FASD focusing on interventions and prevention for children, adolescents, and adults.

***Participants must attend both days to successfully complete this training and receive CEUs.***

***Location:***

This will be a **virtual**/online training opportunity.

**6 Social Work CEUs are available.**

Registration for this event will close  
**1 week before each learning event.**

This 2-part virtual training is provided by the **Serious Emotional Disturbance-Neuro Developmental Disorder Initiative** through the Division of Mental Health Services to Children and Families at MDHHS with **NO COST** to participate.

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