



Mental health approach and management of patients with trauma

Date/Time: April 14, 2022, 8:00-11:00 AM EST

In light of the recent widespread conflict and trauma in northern Ethiopia, the overall objective of this training workshop is to equip health care workers, leaders and educators with the basic knowledge and competency of trauma-informed care. The workshop is organized by the Public and Mental Health Taskforce of the Alliance for Research, Innovation, and Education (AfRIE) in partnership with Bahir Dar University (BDU), Barrow Neurological Institute (BNI), and Harvard Medical School (HMS). Leading experts from Harvard Medical School and Barrow Neurological Institute in the USA will lead and facilitate the workshop.

Specific learning objectives

Participants will learn about:

1. Methods for trauma screening.
2. Best practices for taking history of traumatized patients.
3. Approaches in gender-based violence.
4. How to identify and address wide range of clinical manifestation and presentations of trauma.
5. Trauma-informed and focused approaches.
6. A user friendly and evidence-based psychological intervention.
7. Identifying resources of resilience, and empowerment, such as faith-based approach and inspiring stories of courage in the face of adversity.

For registered attendees, details including Power Point slides for the workshop will be distributed ahead of time so valuable time will be allocated to emphasize key points and for discussion.

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