Course Description: This workshop will address the effects of domestic violence on children. Research shows that children suffer lasting effects many areas of their lives from domestic violence. Participants will review CPS policy and learn how to increase the child’s safety in violent homes. This training also will provide participants tools to ease children’s anxiety in homes where violence occurs. Various system responses will be discussed and alternatives provided. The CW worker will also learn how to address battering as a parenting style and require accountability.

Training Group: Participation is limited to 40 Child Welfare Specialists who have pre-registered on KIDS and completed CORE and Level I classes.

Credit: Participants are reminded that anyone missing more than 30 minutes of a workshop may not receive full credit or may be sent home.

Cancellation: If you find you cannot attend after you have registered please have your Supervisor email childwelfare-training@okdhs.org

OKDHS Dress Code: Business casual / work attire.

Training Location: Sooner Legends Inn & Suites Training Room—Boomer 1200 24th Avenue SW Norman, OK 73072 (405) 701-8100

Lodging: Sooner Legends Inn & Suites 1200 24th Avenue SW Norman, OK 73072

Call 405-701-8100 to make your lodging arrangements. When making reservations please indicate that you are with the OKDHS Domestic Violence Training. A block of rooms will be reserved for training participants until 02/03/16 and will be direct-billed to OU.

- If you make a reservation after this date has expired, you will be expected to pay for your room and apply for reimbursement through OKDHS.

- For individuals traveling in excess of 120 (map) miles one way, lodging is available the night before.

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