**July 12, 2020 – On ZOOM**

**9:15am -4:30pm Mountain Time**

**Perinatal Mental Health and Criminal Justice**

**Expert Witness Course**

George Parnham, Guy Smith, Margaret Spinelli, Diana Lynn Barnes

Moderators: Tiffany Ross, Gina Wong

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| 15      | 09:15 | I. INTRODUCTION  
  a. Intro to seminar + speakers  
  b. PSI: YCMF Justice and Advocacy Program  
  c. Resources  
    i. Toolkit  
    ii. Video Link | Tiffany |
| 45      | 09:30 | II. What is an expert witness?  
  a. Role of the attorney + role of expert witness  
  b. What to expect when attorney interviews you  
  c. What is the attorney looking for? | George/Guy |
| 35      | 10:15 | III. The criminal justice system and perinatal mental illness  
  a. Instructive Case Example(s):  
  b. Key steps in preparation | George/Guy |
| 10      | 10:50 | IV. Questions for attorneys | George/Guy |
|         | 11:00 | BREAK | 15 min break |
| 45      | 11:15 | V. PMH diagnoses and categories re criminal justice  
  a. Common types of cases related to PMH  
  b. Psychosis/ Types of filicide  
  c. Risk Factors | Meg/Diana |
| 30      | 12:00 | VI. QUESTION and DISCUSSION | |
|         | 12:15 | LUNCH | 45 minutes lunch |

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| 01:00 | VII. Assessing and Evaluating Client  
| 01:30 | a. Best Practices + Challenges  
| | b. Options for creating “portrait” of client and symptoms before treatment | All |
| 01:30 | VIII. Preparing the expert witness for court/proceedings  
| 03:00 | a. Key points in preparation – attorneys’ advice (30 minutes)  
| | b. Developing your confidence – experts’ advice (15 minutes)  
| | c. ROLE PLAYS (45 minutes) | All |
| 03:00 | BREAK | 15 min break |
| 03:15 | IX. Q &A, Panel Discussion | All, facilitated Gina moderate |
| 04:30 | | |

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