

EMPIRE STATE COALITION OF YOUTH & FAMILY SERVICES  
is pleased to announce  
THE 2010 SERIES OF THE  
NEW YORK STATE TRAINING INSTITUTE  
WEBINARS

**Registration deadline: Thursday, July 22<sup>nd</sup>!**



## Identifying and Working with Trafficked Youth for Programs Working with Runaway and Homeless Youth in NYS

Trafficked youth...Runaway and Homeless Youth...Commercially Sexually Exploited Youth: Who do we identify? How do we best identify them? Once we've identified them, how do we work with them?

This Webinar will discuss Best Practices for identifying, engaging and serving the needs of trafficked young persons, including foreign-born and U.S. citizens, females, males and transgender youth, minors and young people both older and younger than 18 years old and discuss the needs of these different populations, with a focus on domestically trafficked minors. Best Practices will focus on a variety of approaches that can be applied with these young people being sexually exploited. This training session aims to increase understanding of the phenomena of human trafficking, describe methods to help victims, and discuss resources provided to victims under the state law.

Our presenters will be providing a statewide perspective and then focusing on different strategies for identifying and engaging this population of youth who are, or risk becoming, disenfranchised as a result of having been or currently being commercially sexually exploited.

The presenters will aid participants to gain a better understanding of Commercially Sexually Exploited Youth and Young Adults; how to establish a framework to identify, engage and effectively provide services in the context of Best Practices. We will encourage programs to discover ways in which Commercially Sexually Exploited Youth can be prioritized from the service provider to the agency.

**Presenters:**

- Christa Stewart, Esq., Anti-Trafficking Program Coordinator, OTDA - Bureau of Refugee and Immigrant Assistance
- Johannah Westmacott, Coordinator for Trafficked Minors, Safe Horizon's Streetwork Project
- Prema Filipone, LMSW, Program Director, Girls Educational and Mentoring Services (GEMS)

**Facilitator:** James Bolas, Director of Education, Empire State Coalition of Youth and Family Services

Tuesday, July 27th 12p - 2p  
Tuesday, July 27th 3pm-5pm  
Tuesday, August 3rd 2pm-4pm

Please fill out and return the registration below  
**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JULY 22<sup>ND</sup> !!**

~ Each webinar class size is limited to 10-15 Registrants! ~

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**REGISTRATION FORM**

(All information is REQUIRED for REGISTRATION –  
Please READ the “Directions to Register and Participate”.)

**(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY)**

I (we) will call in and participate in the web-inar training at :

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(All information required)

Agency Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Program Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Program Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Program Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor's Email (required): \_\_\_\_\_

Participant(s) Name(s) and Email Addresses (please print clearly!):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Participant's e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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REQUIRED APPLICATION QUESTIONS

What Question about Identifying and Working with Trafficked Youth would you like to be addressed in this Webinar?

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# Directions to Register and Participate

Upon Empire State Coalition's receipt of the registration above for the training:

- ⇒ After the deadline for registration for this webinar (**July 22<sup>nd</sup>**), we will submit those registered individual's names/email addresses to Readytalk.com for the date/time they registered to participate in the webinar.
- ⇒ Readytalk.com will then send you a notification email to register online (it's a green box at the bottom of the email that says "Register Now")
- ⇒ **Once you receive the email from ReadyTalk, you will be asked to register online. HOWEVER, you will NOT receive a registration request from ReadyTalk, unless you actually complete and return the above registration form.**
- ⇒ **Upon completion of the Readytalk.com online registration form, you will receive a confirmation with the website address to sign on and see the webcast and the phone number to call in and hear the presentation. (This is not a perfect process, so we do not have the exact amount of time it should take for you to receive a confirmation...if the day has passed after you have registered online without confirmation, please feel free to contact us.)**
- ⇒ **If you have difficulty registering please email us, or contact [www.Readytalk.com](http://www.Readytalk.com) for support.**
- ⇒ A packet of information (including call-in number and website link which participants MUST register with online to access the webinar), handouts and some brief questions to consider in advance will be emailed / mailed to the supervisor at least 1 week prior to the training;
- ⇒ The supervisor will be expected to distribute the packets to the staff who are registered for the training and provide time for them to review the packet and answer the questions (approx. 30 minutes);
- ⇒ **At the time the class is scheduled, the staff person registered for that session will dial into a conference call center and sign onto the webinar on their computer and will be connected to the trainer and the other members of the group;**
- ⇒ The class will be scheduled to run 2 hours with time for Questions and Answers;
- ⇒ During the training, the participant can view the Power Point, online if a computer is available, if not a printed copy of the Power Point will be emailed out in advance;
- ⇒ At the end of the class, the participant will receive a questionnaire and evaluation. They will be expected to complete the questionnaire and evaluation and email it to Empire State Coalition;
- ⇒ Upon receipt of the evaluation, a certificate and copy will be e-mailed to the registrants email on the registration that includes the training topic and number of training hours (including time for pre- and post-class preparation) and version of the Power Point presentation