

Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center  
**2011 – 2012 Registered Play Therapist Certificate Program**  
Erin Dugan, Ph.D., LPC-S, RPT-S  
Monthly Friday RPT/S Series 9am-2:30pm (1/2 hour lunch)  
\$100 Professionals; \$75 Students

#1 August 26, 2011

*Introduction to Play Therapy:* This workshop will present an introduction to theories, principles, historical background, theorists, rules, and approaches will be discussed.

#2 September 9, 2011

*Play Therapy Skills and Techniques:* This workshop will focus on skills and techniques used in play therapy settings. A variety of basic skills will be presented with additional advanced skills to demonstrate how the integration of play therapy skills are utilized in play therapy sessions.

#3 October 21, 2011

*Documentation in Play Therapy:* This workshop will focus on the development and use of forms and documentation in play therapy. Specifically, an overview of forms related to child play therapy sessions, parent consultations, release/consent forms, psychosocial intakes, agency policy and procedures, weekly caregiver reports, play therapist's notes, etc will be presented.

#4 November 18, 2011

*Engaging the Caregiver in Play Therapy:* This workshop will help play therapists engage parents in the process of understanding play therapy. Models will be presented to invite parents into the play therapy process.

#5 December 9, 2011

*Play Therapy with Pre-Adolescents and Adolescents:* This workshop will provide an overview of play therapists working with the older child age populations. Basic and advanced skills will be presented. More specifically, an overview of direct interventions will be demonstrated to the audience.

#6 January 20, 2012

*Play Therapy for Attachment Issues:* This workshop will review major attachment theories and theorists. Play therapy models and observational assessments will be reviewed to benefit play therapists who are working with children with secure and insecure attachment styles.

#7 February 10, 2012

*Using Child Parent Relationship Therapy in Play Therapy:* This workshop will discuss the basic theoretical orientations and concepts used to illustrate how parents can become therapeutic agents in their child-parent relationship.

#8 March 9, 2012

*Themes in Play Therapy: Identifying and Determining Themes Related to Play Therapy Sessions:* This workshop will focus on themes discovered and presented in the play therapy sessions. Participants will be provided a framework for identifying and coding themes in the playroom.

#9 April 13, 2012

*Play Therapy Supervision\*:* This workshop will focus on theories and practice of play therapy supervision. Supervision models and techniques will be reviewed. *\*This workshop may only be counted once, toward RPT hours OR supervision training. It cannot be used twice.* \* All workshops will begin at 9am and end at 5pm. A 1-hour lunch break will be observed. Lunch will not be provided.

#10 May 11, 2012

*Directive Play Therapy Techniques*

This workshop will present various means of metaphorical communication used in the play therapy process. Techniques, activities, and games will be presented.

Dr. Erin Dugan is a Licensed Professional Counselor and a Registered Play Therapist - Supervisor. In addition to her clinical work, Dr. Dugan is an Assistant Professor at LSU Health Sciences Center in the Rehabilitation Counseling Department. She specializes in her work in play therapy with children (ages 2-12), attachment disorders, and filial therapy. She also provides counseling services to adolescents and families, offering parent training classes. Dr. Dugan also conducts workshops and training seminars to promote play therapy to students, professionals, and the community. She has presented both nationally and internationally at professional conferences. She is committed to servicing the children and families for whom she provides counseling services.

*LSUHSC's rehabilitation counseling program is approved by the Association for Play Therapy to offer continuing education course in Play Therapy. APT Approved Provider # 07-203*

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Erin Dugan, Ph.D., LPC-S  
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\* A 24-hour cancellation is required for a 50% reimbursement.

Check which workshops you will be attending:

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