

BATTERER INTERVENTION PROGRAM ONE-DAY ADVANCED TRAINING FOR FACILITATORS

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California PC 1207.097 mandates that anyone convicted of a domestic violence offense to complete a court-approved program consisting of weekly 2 hour group sessions for a period of 52 weeks. John Hamel and his staff at John Hamel & Associates conduct such a program in the San Francisco Bay Area, serving convicted clients, as well as individuals referred through Child and Family Services, Family Court and those seeking help on a voluntary basis. This 8 hour seminar now makes the program available to certified batterer intervention providers, or facilitators-in-training who have previously completed the 40-hour core requirements of PC 1207.098. Features:

- Overview of relevant family violence research
- Detailed, week-by-week review of Facilitator's Manual and the 52 weekly lessons
- Thorough review of 100+ page Participant Workbook, including introduction, progress logs, informational handouts and exercises
- Master copies of Facilitator Manual and Participant Workbook *provided free of charge to all facilitators for future use at their agency*

The 26-52 week program is suitable for adult men and women who have been convicted of a domestic violence offense, as well as for any individual who has been verbally and/or physically abusive towards his or her intimate partner. Psychoeducational, small group format encourages client participation, while providing practical strategies for overcoming aggression and improving relationship skills. Workbook includes progress logs and weekly exercises to facilitate learning. The program addresses intimate partner and family violence, and covers: the dynamics of partner abuse, power and control, socialization of violence, gender roles, the impact of domestic violence on children, anger management, coping with stress, communication and conflict resolution skills.

Agency Rate: \$1,575

Individual Rate: \$895 (\$695 each when 2 or more enrolled)

(Includes unlimited future use of course materials)

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Trainings conducted on Fridays, 8:30 am – 5:00 pm

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John Hamel, LCSW, has a Masters in Social Welfare from U.C.L.A., and has conducted batterer intervention and parent programs in the San Francisco Bay Area since 1992. He is the author of *Gender-Inclusive Treatment of Intimate Partner Abuse* (Springer, 2005), and co-editor with Tonia Nicholls, PhD, of *Family Interventions in Domestic Violence: A Handbook of Gender-Inclusive Theory and Treatment* (Springer, 2007). Mr. Hamel is Editor-in-Chief of the peer-reviewed professional journal, *Partner Abuse*, published quarterly by Springer Publishing. He regularly speaks at conferences on domestic violence, and has provided consultation and training to mental health professionals, victim advocates and shelter workers, social service organizations, teachers, attorneys, judges and law enforcement officers. He also provides case consultation and expert witness testimony. His latest book, *Intimate Partner and Family Abuse: A Casebook of Gender Inclusive Therapy*, was published by Springer in Spring, 2008.