QIC-EC Learning Network Webinar: Current Research on the Adult Outcomes of Child Maltreatment

Please join us for an interactive webinar on Current Research on the Adult Outcomes of Child Maltreatment. This webinar will add to our knowledge base about the impact and importance of working to prevent child abuse and neglect.

DATE: Friday, March 26, 2010
TIME: 3:30 – 5:00 Eastern Time

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The Quality Improvement Center on Early Childhood (QIC-EC) is a five-year project to generate and disseminate new knowledge and robust evidence about programs and strategies that contribute to child maltreatment prevention and optimal development for infants and young children (0-5) and their families. A service of the Children’s Bureau, Administration for Children and Families, USDHHS, the QIC-EC was awarded to the Center for the Study of Social Policy, partnering with ZERO TO THREE: National Center for Infants, Toddlers, and Families and the National Alliance of Children’s Trust and Prevention Fund.

LEARN

- What are adult outcomes of child maltreatment
- What is the current research on adult outcomes of child maltreatment

DISCUSS

- What are the adult outcomes of interest?
- How does maltreatment impact individuals, communities and society?
- What are the implications of this topic for prevention practitioners and researchers?
- What further research is needed?

INFLUENCE
• Research and practice on prevention of maltreatment and the adult outcomes of child maltreatment.

INFORM

• Inform the field about current research on adult outcomes of child maltreatment and implications of these findings for practice and further study.

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Presenter:

David S. Zielinski, Ph.D., is a health science policy analyst in the Office of the Director of the National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH). He received his doctorate in developmental psychology from Cornell University and served on the faculty of Duke University’s Sanford School of Public Policy prior to joining NIMH. His research interests focus on family violence from a human ecological perspective, with particular emphasis on the causes, developmental consequences, and prevention of child maltreatment. He is the recipient of the American Psychological Associations’ Section on Child Maltreatment dissertation award, postdoctoral fellowships from the National Institutes of Health and the National Consortium on Violence Research, and several awards for service to NIMH.

The webinar will focus on Dr. Zielinski’s recently published paper examining the long-term socioeconomic effects of child maltreatment. This paper is the first nationally representative research on this topic and has significant implications for child development policy and practice. He will also touch upon related research he has conducted with the Nurse Family Partnership and outline future directions for research in this area.

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