



Post Adoption Services  
is Offering a Virtual Seminar for Adoptive Parents

## **Therapeutic Interventions for Parents**

*Presented by Jeanette Yoffe, M.A., M.F.T*

**Wednesday, November 17, 2021**

**9:00am-3:30pm**

This training is designed to familiarize participants with new and imaginative ways for working with children in foster care and adoption. Parents will learn new and alternative interventions, to facilitate attachment, bonding and build stronger families. Participants will be provided with a wide variety of play-body-mind based methodologies and interventions that have been proven successful in working with children over the age of five in foster care and adoption. Participants will learn structured treatment activities, view examples, and receive a detailed handout explaining the goals of treatment, materials needed, and the "how to" approach for each methodology.

### **GOALS:**

- Learn how to facilitate interventions with attachment challenged children with histories of abuse, neglect, grief and loss, and trauma.
- Develop attunement skills necessary to build the bonds between parent and child that not only facilitate safety, fun, joy and love but instill trust and security.
- Gain knowledge of new parenting tools and interventions to use with children in order to help them express anger, regulate affect and manage grief and loss.

### **Instructor:**

Jeanette Yoffe, M.A., M.F.T., is the Executive Director and Founder of Celia Center, a non-profit support center which meets the critical needs of all those connected by Foster Care and Adoption. She is also an adoptions and foster care psychotherapist and director of Yoffe Therapy. Yoffe's desire to become a therapist with a special focus on adopted and foster care issues derived from her own experience of being adopted and moving through the foster care system in NYC.



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