|  |  |
| --- | --- |
|  | ***Uplifting Voices: Conversations on Trauma & Recovery with the Consortium****October 18th and 19th, 2021* *Request for Proposals* |
| Don’t want to wait until October 2022 for the next biannual *Trauma & Recovery Conference*? Join the Connecticut Women’s Consortium on October 18th and 19th, 2021 at ***Uplifting Voices:* *Conversations on Trauma & Recovery with the Consortium***. Spanning 2 days, this virtual event will bring together experts in the field of behavioral health to continue to explore the realities of trauma as it manifests through individual and community experiences whilst simultaneously acknowledging the multiple pathways to recovery. Join us as we strive to push the boundaries of traditional trauma treatment and expand the definition of recovery, creating comprehensive, inclusive systems of care. **Conference Objectives:**1. Understand ways in which trauma impacts individuals and communities.
2. Become familiar with a variety of ways to prevent and treat trauma.
3. Understand the role of individual and community resilience.

All presentations will run for 80 minutes. Presenters will be assigned to Monday, October 18th or Tuesday, October 19th by the Consortium based on topic—**your submission of this RFP indicates that you are available from 9am – 4pm on both training dates listed above**. Please note that due to the nature and limited time of these presentations, small breakout groups will not be permitted. **Instructions:**Please complete the following application in full, following all word count and character specifications. Additional materials (outlined below) should be returned along with the proposal by the deadline. You may submit more than one proposal. **Please note that all breakout sessions must focus on trauma and recovery.** You will be asked to identify what topic area your presentation falls under within the application.  |
| **PRESENTER AND WORKSHOP INFORMATION** |
| **Presenter name(s) and credentials**,exactly as you would like them to appear on all marketing materials: |       |
| **Presenter(s) email address:** |       | **Presenter(s) phone number:** |       |
| **Presenter(s) organization/job title** (if applicable)**:** |       |
| **Presentation title (80 characters max):**  |       |
| **Topic:** | Choose an item. | **If “Other,” please identify topic:** |       |
| **Presentation description exactly as you would like it to appear on all marketing materials. Description should be brief and engaging, making it clear to participants what they will learn in your session (550 characters maximum, 3 – 4 sentences):** |
|       |
| **Learning/Educational Objectives**  |
| *List 3 one-line learning objectives for your session.*  |
| At the end of this workshop attendees will:1.
2.
3.
 |
| **Is there any additional information you would like to include?** |
|       |
|  |
| **TERMS OF AGREEMENT** |
| **Please note that your proposal submission indicates that you agree to the following should your presentation be selected:*** I must register for the conference and pay any associated registration fees if I choose to attend the conference in full. Presenters may receive a discount, to be disclosed at a later date. [ ]
* I understand that photos and video footage taken during the conference may be utilized by CWC in print and media. [ ]
* I understand that I must send my PowerPoint to CWC to be loaded to the breakout room laptop no later than Monday, September 27th, 2021. [ ]

Please check the boxes above to confirm your agreement to these expectations. |
| **SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS** |
| **Presenter Checklist** |
| *Please submit the following items to the Connecticut Women’s Consortium along with this application. If your workshop will include more than one presenter, please include the following for all presenters:*[ ]  Presenter(s) Curriculum Vitae/Resume[ ]  Short Presenter Biography (no more than 3-5 sentences, biography may be edited for length)[ ]  Headshot(s) |
| **Deadline and Submission Instructions** |
| **All proposals must be submitted in full by Friday, April 16th, 2021 at 4:00 PM to Shannon Perkins at** **sperkins@womensconsortium.org****.** You will receive an email confirming your application within 2 business days. If you do not receive a confirmation, we may not have received your application—please call to confirm. All applicants will be notified of their acceptance status by Friday, April 30th, 2021.Please submit all attachments in a .doc or .docx format.For questions, contact Shannon Perkins, Director of Education & Training, at sperkins@womensconsortium.org, (203) 909-6888 x17. |