



## **2021 Iowa ASCD Fall Academy**

### **Trauma Responsive Schools: Foundation and Application**

***October 27, 2021***

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It is estimated that one in four children experience trauma. That number has likely increased due to numerous, sudden and drastic changes - bringing mental stress, loss and turmoil into our lives.

This **one day training combines 2 three-hour workshops** designed to give educators the tools needed to create effective learning environments that support the needs of traumatized students. Join us for this highly interactive learning opportunity incorporating videos, music, and discussion to increase the level of impact and application.

Understanding neurological and psychological development is an imperative part of working effectively with all students. To apply effective strategies, educators must:

#### Foundation Outcomes:

- be prepared to effectively serve this population
- understand the diverse experiences of children to better serve them
- make adjustments to interactions with students
- design intentional strategies to engage traumatized students
- Tools for purposeful and solution focused teaming that supports educators education will be discussed in order to achieve continuous improvement and accountability.

Maintaining clear role definition, an informed perception of student learning capabilities, and specific curricular strategies, assists with rigor and engagement.

#### Application Outcomes:

- Recognize risk factors for systemic impact due to roles that are not clearly defined;
- Outline a structured plan to intentionally position your team for the establishment of solution-focused momentum moving forward.
- Tools for purposeful and solution focused teaming that supports educators education will be discussed in order to achieve continuous improvement and accountability.

During this interactive session, Administrators and teams will focus on the impacts of trauma on the learning environment and will return to their buildings with a plan for addressing them. The power of this workshop is in the team approach to examining current practices and defining roles to impact change.

**Who** should attend: Administrators, Counselors, Coaches, and School Leadership Team - any building leaders.

**Registration** <https://iowaascd.org> events tab

Iowa ASCD Members: \$175.00

Iowa ASCD Non-members: \$220.00 includes a one year membership in Iowa ASCD.

-- **Check with your districts** about the possibility of using ESSER III funds to support attendance.

-- **Special Offer!!** ISEA School Counselor Members: information as to a scholarship through Ross Trust for this registration.

How? Two steps this time.

Step 1: Register and pay for the event on the [Iowa ASCD site](http://iowaascd.org): <http://iowaascd.org> events tab.

Step 2: Complete the Ross Trust Scholarship form on the **ISEA website** to be reimbursed for registration fee. The form will be available beginning the week of September 12, 2021.

**Where:** The FFA Enrichment Center on the DMACC campus in Ankeny, Iowa. Parking is free.

**When:** October 27, 2021 8:30 am – 4:00 pm

- 8:30 AM check-in and updates
- 9:00 – 12:00 Session - Foundation
- 12:00 - 12:30 Lunch Break (Lunch will be served. Please note dietary needs in the registration link)
- 12:30 – 4:00 Session - Application

**Updates and links to handouts:** will be emailed to the address used at registration prior to the event

**Lunch & Afternoon Snack Provided:** Lunch served on site. If you have any dietary needs, contact Paul Hayes ([phayes@crschools.us](mailto:phayes@crschools.us)) by October 15, 2021. We will not be able to accommodate special dietary needs after October 15, 2021.

**Lodging October 26, 2021:** Courtyard by Marriott, 2405 SE Creekview Drive, Ankeny, IA 50021  
Rate: \$109 night + tax, register before October 6, 2021 and mention the Iowa ASCD Conference.

We "**go green**," so be sure to bring your tablet/computer to access the presenters' handouts and presentation materials.

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**Dress** to learn - and in layers!

**Iowa ASCD Event Cancellation Policy:** Please note that our cancellation policy is a full refund up to one week in advance of the conference. Send your cancellation in writing to Becky Martin. Within 7 days of the start of the program, you may send a non-registered person in your place with written authorization/notification from you. Contact us with the substitution information.

**Registration/Cancellation Questions:** Contact Becky Martin [rjmartin@mchsi.com](mailto:rjmartin@mchsi.com) [319-533-8050](tel:319-533-8050)

*We look forward to learning with you!*

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