



## TRAUMA INFORMED SCHOOLS

A Starr Global Learning Network Training

January 22, January 29, and February 5 (Please hold Feb. 12 as a make-up day in case of a weather cancellation.)

5:00-8:00 – Dinner is provided! The training is free!

Longview Early Childhood Center

You must attend all three trainings to receive credit for training.

8 SCECH hours are offered for this training is needed.

### Trauma Informed Schools

Designed for All school staff this training provides ALL educational staff with the 10 steps to creating a trauma-informed school.

Topics Include:

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| 1.) understanding trauma and its impact on students | 6.) fostering connections                         |
| 2.) viewing trauma as an experience                 | 7.) promoting play                                |
| 3.) the link between private logic and behavior     | 8.) collaborating with families and the community |
| 4.) prioritizing social-emotional skill development | 9.) supporting staff                              |
| 5.) establishing safety                             | 10.) collecting and utilizing data                |

In addition to these topics we will discuss how school staff can incorporate findings from the Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE) study into their education and support services. We will view and discuss a film on resilience and how this new science and fresh approach can change the lives of students for the better. We will explore strategies you already use such as CSEFEL, Conscious Discipline and others viewing them through a trauma-informed lens.

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**If you are not a member in MI Registry, please email Micki Gibbs at [mgibbs@mcesa.k12.mi.us](mailto:mgibbs@mcesa.k12.mi.us) or call 492-7702 x1173 to register.**

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**Starr Global Learning Network Trainer**

Betsy Sullivan is a Licensed Professional Counselor and an experienced classroom teacher who consults with parents, teachers and schools to help all children reach their full potential. After spending many years working as a teacher and a counselor in schools, a private therapist and a trauma specialist and consultant Betsy knows and understands children and how we, as educators and parents, can help them happily achieve their personal best.

Betsy has been training with The Center for Trauma and Loss in Children (TLC) since 1990, is a trauma specialist/consultant and a Starr Global Learning Network Trainer.

