The Southeast Collaborative Regional Organization proudly presents:

2017 Behavioral Health Symposium

Supporting Students & Building Capacity within our Schools

December 14 & 15, 2017
8:00 AM – 3:30 PM

Holiday Inn Mansfield
31 Hampshire Street
Mansfield, Massachusetts 02048

Registration Information:
One day: $150 per person
Two-day: $250 per person
Group Rate (4 or more): $100 per person

SCRO SmartPD DISTRICTS - register through SmartPD on your District’s website
ALL OTHERS - register online at www.readscollab.org
DEADLINE TO REGISTER: November 15, 2017

**Paper registrations will NOT be accepted**

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Thursday, December 14, 2017

**Featuring Key Note Speaker: Dr. Ross Greene**

Ross W. Greene, Ph.D., is the originator of the innovative, research-based model of intervention now known as **Collaborative & Proactive Solutions (CPS)** as described in his influential books *The Explosive Child, Lost at School, Lost & Found*, and *Raising Human Beings*. Dr. Greene served on the faculty at Harvard Medical School for over 20 years, and is now on the faculty of the Department of Psychology at Virginia Tech and on the Faculty of Science at University of Technology Sydney in Australia. He is also the Founding Director of the non-profit *Lives in the Balance* (www.livesinthebalance.org), which aims to disseminate the CPS model through no-cost web-based programming; advocate on behalf of behaviorally challenging kids and their parents, teachers, and other caregivers; takes a strong stand against the use of corporal punishment at home and school, the use of restraint and seclusion in schools and restrictive therapeutic facilities, and the use of detention, suspension, and expulsion in schools, preschools, and daycare settings; and encourages the use of non-punitive, non-adversarial interventions. His research has been funded by the Stanley Research Institute, the National Institutes of Mental Health, the U.S. Department of Education, and the Maine Juvenile Justice Advisory Group. He lectures and consults extensively to families, general and special education schools, inpatient psychiatry units, and residential and juvenile detention facilities throughout the world.

7:45-8:15 Registration ~ Light refreshments

8:15-8:30 Welcome & Opening Remarks

8:30-11:45 **Collaborative and Proactive Solutions: Understanding and Helping Students with Social, Emotional, and Behavioral Challenges** ~ Dr. Ross Greene

11:45-1:00 Lunch ~ Courtyard Buffet

12:00-12:45 Lunch Discussion Group with Dr. Ross Greene

1:00-3:15 **Reducing Anxiety in the Classroom** ~ Jessica Minahan, M.Ed., BCBA

3:15-3:30 Evaluation/Wrap Up

Friday, December 15, 2017

**Featuring Key Note Speaker: Charlie Appelstein**

Charlie Appelstein, M.S.W. is a nationally prominent youth care specialist and author whose primary focus is on teaching positive, strength-based theories and techniques to professionals who guide at-risk children and youth. President of Appelstein Training Resources, LLC, Charlie trains and consults throughout the United States as well as internationally, with treatment facilities, foster care associations, parent groups, schools, and juvenile justice programs. He has authored three youth care books that are widely used within the field, including *No Such Thing as a Bad Kid: Understanding and Responding to Kids with Emotional & Behavioral Challenges Using a Positive, Strength-Based Approach*.

7:45-8:15 Registration ~ Light refreshments

8:15-8:30 Welcome & Opening Remarks

8:30-11:45 **“No Such Thing as a Bad Kid!” Understanding and Responding to Students with Emotional and Behavioral Challenges Using a Positive, Trauma-informed, Strength-Based Approach** ~ Charlie Appelstein, M.S.W.

11:45-1:00 Lunch ~ Courtyard Buffet

12:00-12:45 Lunch Discussion Group with Charlie Appelstein

1:00-3:15 **Mindsets, Relationships, and Practices to Support Student Learning and Growth** ~ Dr. Jacqueline Zeller, Ph.D.

3:15-3:30 Evaluation/Wrap Up