

Santa Clarita Valley SELPA  
presents:  
**Ethics and Distance Therapy**  
**Navigating the most Challenging Issues with Teletherapy**



**September 30, 2020**  
**8:30am – 2:30pm**

**OVERVIEW**

This workshop will share the system the CSS Workgroup has updated to address the following areas: This training will equip you with essential knowledge, tools, and resources that you need for the ethical and legal provision of distance therapy.

Working with minors and their parents presents unique challenges and problems but also provides unique rewards for therapists. **There is often confusion and misunderstanding about the myriad of ethical and legal issues to consider when working with minors.**

**This training will dive into some of these key issues and how to navigate them:**

- Vulnerability of minors & power differentials
- Consent: Who can provide it and when
- Special rights of older adolescents
- Challenges of divorced parents
- HIPAA vs FERPA
- Boundary Social media & texting issues
- Parental access to child’s records
- Mandatory reporting of abuse

You will learn how to **use an effective and easy-to-use decision-making model that can be used in any situation when working with minors.** Vignettes are used to illustrate how to navigate challenging situations involving minors and you’ll receive additional resources to assist you beyond this training.

**Objectives**

1. Assess select ethical and legal issues unique to working with minors.
2. Determine how to effectively navigate codes of ethics, laws, and licensing rules when working with minors.
3. Utilize recommended methods for reducing risk and avoiding problems.

To register please contact the SCV SELPA office at 661-259-0033 ext. 742.

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER: September 25, 2020**

**NOTE:** Tuition includes one free CE Certificate (participant will be able to print the certificate of completion after completing and passing the on-line post-test evaluation). **Continuing Education Information:** Listed below are the continuing education credit(s) currently available for this non-interactive self-study package. Please note, your state licensing board dictates whether self-study is an acceptable form of continuing education. Please refer to your state rules and regulations. If your profession is not listed, please contact your licensing board to determine your continuing education requirements and check for reciprocal approval. For other credit inquiries not specified below, please contact [cepesi@pesi.com](mailto:cepesi@pesi.com) or 800-844-8260 before the event.