



the
interpreter
making sense of
senseless behaviour



Children and young people who have experienced trauma often reveal their internal world through their behaviour, this is their language. Adults who support their healing process must become 'interpreters' of this behaviour in order to effect positive change. Children and young people's behaviour often represents the opposite of what they need and being able to identify and respond to what lies "underneath their skin" is critical.

05 September 2012 Presenter: **Gregory Nicolau**

Objectives:

- To understand how one's 'internal working model' develops
- To discover why children act out
- To develop the ability to translate behaviour
- To understand how your own personal responses can help or hinder the outcome of an intervention
- To explore interventions that work well and those that don't
- To develop the ability to stay calm when all around is chaos

Suitable Audience:

- Carers & workers from foster, permanent, residential, adoptive & kinship care
- Child Protection
- Family Services workers & clients
- Teachers / teacher's aide
- Student welfare / wellbeing professionals

**REGISTER
NOW**
[click here](#)



Gregory Nicolau is the company Director and Consultant Psychologist of Australian Childhood Trauma Group. He has a 30 year career working with the most marginalised and vulnerable children, young people and families in our community and the agencies, organisations and education facilities who support them. He has an exceptional reputation dealing with complex cases and situations in a compassionate and focused manner. He's transparent in dealing with staff and organisations and able to challenge when appropriate. He enjoys supporting people to deliver the best outcomes for infants, children and young people and is an experienced trainer, facilitator and case supervisor. Gregory is also founder and chair of Random Acts of Kindness.



the
interpreter
making sense of
senseless behaviour



5 September 2012

9.30am Registration
10am - 1pm Seminar

VENUE

Edgar-Lynch Training & Meeting Rooms
3 St David Street, Fitzroy 3065

COST

Workers: \$100+GST
Carers / Full-time Students: \$85+GST

Refreshments, morning tea & notes provided

PAYMENT OPTIONS

- Cheques/Money Orders made payable to "Australian Childhood Trauma Group"
- Electronic direct deposit to: "Australian Childhood Trauma Group" BSB: 083 218 Account: 519 963 647
- Credit Card/ EFTPOS available on the day

Please provide remittance

RSVP

By 29 August 2012. Please register via our website (preferred) or complete registration form and post/fax. Cancellations must be received no later than 5pm, 29 August 2012.

Places are limited so please book early to avoid missing out!

Print this form for manual registration

Agency:

Program:

Contact Person:

Contact Number:

Email:

Mailing Address:

(Please provide billing contact details if different from agency details provided above)

Name & Email Address of Each Participant:

PARTICIPANT NAME	EMAIL ADDRESS	CARER / WORKER

- Participants will receive a letter of confirmation via email upon receipt of payment
- Please advise of any special requirements e.g dietary
- Receipts can be provided upon request

Seminar Enquiries and Registrations to:
info@theactgroup.com.au
PO Box 236, Fitzroy 3065
t 9415 6066 f 9415 6085 m 0419 853 888



**australian
childhood
trauma
group**