FREE TRAINING An Introduction to EMDR Therapy Presented By: Jill Strunk, Ed.D., L.P.

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<u>Date</u>: Tuesday, June 15, 2021 <u>Time</u>: 3–5:00 pm <u>Location</u>: Online via Zoom

Registration is required for the training as availability is limited. Registration will close at 5:59am on Monday, June 14, 2021. Register using this link: <u>https://www.eventbrite.com/e/an-introduction-to-emdr-therapy-tickets-148808876355</u>

Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing (EMDR) therapy is a psychotherapy that enables people to heal from the symptoms and emotional distress that are the result of disturbing life experiences. This training is an introduction to EMDR Therapy. Extensive research has shown that EMDR therapy is effective in resolving trauma for clients. Dr. Francine Shapiro, who developed EMDR therapy, says her specific approach allows the Adaptive Information Processing system in the brain to reprocess how traumatic material is stored so that the memory of the upsetting incident is integrated into the big picture of our lives and no longer causes upset.

Attendees will:

- Be introduced to what EMDR Therapy is;
- Gain an understanding of how the therapy is used in practice; and
- Learn what diagnoses EMDR can be helpful to treat.

Please join us! This training is intended for those living with mental health issues, providers, family members, and community members who work in or are residents of Benton, Sherburne, Stearns, or Wright County.

A Certificate of Attendance will be provided for CEUs through the MN Board of Social Work

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