



July 26, 27 & 28 (Wednesday - Friday)

Location: West Los Angeles

**Death is a part of life.** Grief is the natural response. Yet many professionals have not had the training nor developed the skills to support clients through this tumultuous journey. This experiential course will provide you with theoretical and practical approaches to use in your work with grieving children, adolescents, and/or adults. You will have the opportunity to enhance and practice your skills and to reflect upon your own comfort in dealing with death and bereavement.

**OUR HOUSE**, the leading grief support center and training facility in Los Angeles, offers comprehensive trainings for mental health clinicians, clergy, school personnel, and medical and hospice professionals. Through lecture, case discussions, small group activities, and role plays these trainings will enhance your ability to counsel grieving clients in both private practice and agency settings.

## **Training Objectives:**

- Learn a state-of-the art model for understanding the grief process
- Explore how your own grief experiences impact your work
- Acquire effective intervention strategies for use with groups and individual clients Experience all this in a safe, supportive environment as you practice these skills under the guidance of experienced clinicians specializing in grief.

## Quotes from previous attendees:

"When I think of all the grieving clients I've had in the past, I wish I knew then what I know now after this training." "Thoughtful, sensitive approach to a very difficult topic. All activities handled with a great deal empathy and time to appropriately respond to issues."