



The Drive to Thrive: A Strength-Based Model of Leadership and Service

Rushmore Plaza Holiday Inn, Rapid City, South Dakota
Wednesday & Thursday, July 26-27, 2017, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

The Drive to Thrive is a research-grounded training for professionals who seek to build strengths in young people, enabling them to overcome adversity, learn, grow, and flourish. Content draws from the Model of Leadership and Service, developed by Cal Farley's, which identifies six areas of innate human need (biosocial drives) that apply equally to leaders, team members, and the children and families we serve. Once these needs are met (safety, belonging, achievement, power, purpose, and adventure), individuals are free to reach their potential and flourish.

The 2-day training will:

- Examine the current mandate for evidence-based practice in light of the principle of consilience.
- Compare and contrast deficit-based and developmental approaches to working with children and families facing difficult challenges.
- Explore research and practical strategies to meet the six biosocial drives (safety, belonging, achievement, power, purpose, and adventure).
- Apply these evidence-based principles to creating transformational change in persons, organizations, and communities.

About the Trainer



Larry K. Brendtro is a psychologist and special educator who holds a doctorate from the University of Michigan and has been central in the development of the worldwide reclaiming youth movement. He has published over 200 articles and a dozen books on strength-based strategies and has trained professionals in 20 nations.

Schedule

8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily

Optional University Credit

Participants can enroll for graduate workshop university credit in either Psychology or Special Education. Registration forms will be provided at the training. A course syllabus is available on the CF Learning website (www.cflearning.org). There is a \$300 (USD) tuition fee in addition to the training registration fee (for 3 credits). Payment for university credit is made to **CF Learning** and given to the instructor onsite at the training. Graduate credit is offered through CF Learning and Augustana University, a fully accredited, 4-year university located in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, USA.

Workshop Site and Accommodations

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Rushmore Plaza Holiday Inn, 505 N. 5th Street, Rapid City, South Dakota 57701

Phone: 605-348-4000; **Website:** holidayinn.com/rap-rushmore; **Room Rate:** \$143-\$173 + tax

Group: CF7; **Deadline for hotel rate:** June 22, 2017

Travel Arrangements

All participants are responsible for their own transportation.

Rapid City is located in western South Dakota on Interstate 90. When traveling on I-90, take the Haines Avenue Exit (#58). Travel south on Haines Avenue (Haines Avenue becomes N. 5th Street). The Rushmore Plaza Holiday Inn is located adjacent to the Rushmore Civic Center at 505 N. 5th Street, Rapid City, South Dakota. Phone: (605) 348-4000.

Rapid City Regional Airport (RAP) is serviced by several airlines (American, Allegiant, Delta, Frontier, United). The Rapid City Regional Airport is approximately 20 minutes from the Rushmore Plaza Holiday Inn. Complimentary shuttle service is offered to guests staying at the Rushmore Plaza Holiday Inn. There are also several car rental agencies available at the airport.

Registration Fee (includes two-day workshop, training materials, and lunches)

All fees are listed in US Funds.

Pre-registration and pre-payment are required for all events. This includes Purchase Orders.

Standard Fee: **\$395** per person

Group Discount Rate: **\$375** per person (for groups of 4 or more; must be submitted together and pre-paid)

Early Bird Discount Rate: **\$385** per person (payment must be received by June 1, 2017)

Note: Registrations will be accepted based on space availability.

Note: Pre-registration and pre-payment are required for all events. *Purchase Orders are accepted but not considered pre-payment.* Class size is limited to 30 participants, so please register early.

Register/ Contact Us:

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