



# ACES FALL 2023 SOCIAL WORK COURSE OFFERINGS

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**ACES Social Work Registration Form**

First Name:
Last Name:
E-mail:
Phone Number:
Discipline (e.g., social worker, addiction counselor):
Credentials (e.g., LCSW, LPC, CADAC)
Street Address:
City, State, Zip code:
<b>Course(s) Costs [3 hrs. course \$50; 5 hrs. course \$90; 6 hrs. course \$99; 10 hrs. course: \$150]</b>
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3.
Total Fees: \$
<b>Remit payment to:</b> <b><a href="https://paypal.me/tamarathorn1?country.x=US&amp;locale.x=en_US">https://paypal.me/tamarathorn1?country.x=US&amp;locale.x=en_US</a></b>
<b>The Zoom link will be emailed to the registrant upon receipt of payment.</b>



ACES is owned and operated by Dr. Tamara Idette Thorn, a dually licensed, doctorally trained LCSW, PA-C, and certified clinical supervisor with extensive experience, allowing for a multidisciplinary approach for mental health professionals' clinical supervision and continuing education needs.

#### **About Dr. Tamara I. Thorn:**

**Education:** Doctor of Medical Science (DMSc), Master of Science in Physician Assistant (MSPAS), Master of Social Work (MSW), Bachelor of Social Work (BSW); Expected Dec 2023/Doctor of Social Work (DSW)

**Counseling Credentials:** NCSE, MAC (NAADAC), E-CADC, MATS, CAADC, CCS (ADABGCA); LCSW, BCD of Social Work and Clinical Supervision, ACS, BC-TMH, DCSW

**Physician Assistant Credentials:** Nationally Certified PA (PA-C) Certification of Additional Qualifications (CAQ-Psychiatry), Distinguished Fellow of AAPA (DFAAPA)

**License(s):** LCSW, PA-C in both NC and GA

#### **Fall 2023 Calendar (SWK, MH)**

**1 Title: 1013s, 1014s, and Mental Health/Substance Use Disorders: Ethical Considerations, Cultural Competence, and Trauma-Informed Approaches in Level of Care Determination.** This 3-hour social work course delves into the intricacies of 1013s and 1014s, exploring involuntary commitment laws and processes. (9/8/23; 3 hrs.: \$50).

**2. Title: Ethical Considerations for Social Workers in Trauma-Informed Care (TIC).** This 3-hour virtual workshop aims to provide a comprehensive understanding of the ethical considerations that social workers encounter when providing trauma-informed care. Through interactive sessions and case studies, participants will explore the intersection of ethics and trauma-informed practice, gaining practical insights to enhance their professional competence. (9/9/23; 3 hrs.: \$50).

**3. Title: Integrating Social Justice and Cultural Competence in Psychopharmacology Practice.** This 2-part comprehensive 10-hour course empowers social workers and mental health professionals with the knowledge and skills to integrate social justice concerns, cultural competence, health equity, and ethical considerations into their psychopharmacology practice. (1 day/\$90; Both days/\$150; 11/3/23, 11/10/23\* \$150)

**4. Title: Navigating social media: Understanding Social Constructs and Ethical Considerations for Social Workers.** This 6-hour social work course is designed to equip social workers with the knowledge and skills to navigate the dynamic landscape of social media while understanding the influence of social constructs and upholding ethical principles. (11/17/23; 6-hrs. \$99)



ACES Fall 2023 continuing education courses provide essential knowledge and skills for social work professionals in crucial areas of emergency mental health, ethical considerations related to social media, and psychopharmacology with a focus on social justice concerns, cultural competence, health inequity, antiracism, antioppression, and dual diagnosis, including HIV/AIDS and ethical practices. These courses equip social workers to respond to mental health crises effectively, navigate the ethical challenges of social media, and deliver comprehensive care that addresses diverse populations' unique needs. By incorporating intersectional perspectives, the courses promote equitable and inclusive social work practice, empowering professionals to make a meaningful impact in their communities.

<b>ACES Fall 2023 Social Work Offerings</b>	
<b>Friday 9/8/23</b>	
8:45 am-12:15 pm.	
<b>1013s, 1014s, and Mental Health/Substance Use Disorders: Ethical Considerations, Cultural Competence, and Trauma-Informed Approaches in Level of Care Determination.</b>	
3.0 (\$50)	
GSCSW Approval #080123	
<b>Saturday 9/9/23</b>	
8:45 am-12:15 pm;	
<b>Ethical Considerations for Social Workers in Trauma-Informed Care (TIC).</b>	
3.0 (\$50)	
NASW-NC # E-214-6232023	
<b>Friday 11/3/23; 11/10/23</b>	
8:45 am-3:15 pm;	
<b>Integrating Social Justice and Cultural Competence in Psychopharmacology Practice.</b>	
10.0 [*1 day/\$90; Both days/\$150; 11/3/23, 11/10/23* \$150]	
GSCSW #080223	
<b>Friday 11/17/23</b>	
8:45 am-4:00 pm	
<b>Navigating social media: Understanding Social Constructs and Ethical Considerations for Social Workers.</b>	
6.0 (\$99)	
GSCSW # 080323	



**Fall 2023 SWK CEUs Approvals and endorsements.**

**1. National Association of Social Workers (NASW-NC)**

**9/9/23 NASW NC # E-214-6232023**

Session Title: Ethical Considerations with Providing Trauma-Informed Care  
Provider: ACES

Endorsement #: E-214-6232023  
Endorsement valid through: 9/9/2023  
CE Hours: 3

NASW NORTH CAROLINA CHAPTER  
National Association of Social Workers

**2. The Georgia Society for Clinical Social Work (GSCSW)**

**9/8/23 GSCSW #080123**

**11/3/23 GSCSW #080223**

**11/10/23 GSCSW #080223**

**11/17/23 GSCSW # 080323**

