

HOPE

for the Journey

CONFERENCE

The Hope for the Journey Conference will premiere Friday, April 9, 2021, with a rebroadcast period through May 31, 2021, and includes the Trust-Based Relational Intervention® (TBRI®) model for caring well for children impacted by adoption and foster care. The conference remains low-cost, high-impact as Show Hope works to resource churches, agencies, and other organizations as they support and equip the families, caregivers, and the communities they serve.

While the Empowered to Connect Conference has historically been a two-day event, the Hope for the Journey Conference will move to a one-day format, targeting parents and caregivers meeting the everyday needs of children impacted by adoption and/or foster care. In an effort to make the conference more accessible to this audience, the information will be succinct and consumable in its delivery. To that end, Show Hope will be leveraging video content as a major component in the 2021 conference. Additionally, to provide greater flexibility for hosts to tailor the conference to meet needs in their community, the Hope for the Journey Conference will be modular in nature. This will allow the event to be consumed in one day or shared over multiple training sessions or weeks.

Structurally (outlined below), the Hope for the Journey Conference will include five high-level learning modules based on the foundational principles of TBRI along with a new teaching component, The Gospel + TBRI. Embedded within each learning module will be a "Going Deeper" teaching video on a select topic, and also included will be two practical, encouraging "Practical Perspectives" videos featuring the voices of adult adoptees and foster youth alum as well as adoptive and foster families.

Learning Module 1: An Introduction to Trust-Based Relational Intervention (TBRI)

(Approximately 1 hour, 40 minutes)

- + Led by Daren Jones of the Karyn Purvis Institute of Child Development (KPICD) at TCU
 - Going Deeper Segment: Topic to include the importance of understanding ACES
 - » Led by Paris Goodyear-Brown, founder and director of Nurture House, a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, and a Registered Play Therapist-Supervisor with 20 years of experience in treating families in need
 - Practical Perspectives Segment 1: Nina and Frazier Dyson
 - Practical Perspectives Segment 2: Dr. David Cross

Learning Module 2: Connecting Principles

(Approximately 1 hour, 40 minutes)

- + Led by Amanda Purvis of the KPICD at TCU
 - Going Deeper Segment: Topic to explore sibling dynamics
 - » Led by Jana Hunsley of the KPICD at TCU
 - Practical Perspectives Segment 1: Terri and Dan Coley
 - Practical Perspectives Segment 2: Tara VanderWoude

Learning Module 3: Empowering Principles

(Approximately 1 hour, 40 minutes)

- + Led by Amanda Purvis of the KPICD at TCU
 - Going Deeper Segment: Topic to unpack the need to acknowledge one's own limitations and implement self-care strategies as a care provider.
 - » Led by Dr. Melody Aguayo, parenting consultant working with "at-risk" children and their families at Real Child Consulting LLC
 - Practical Perspectives Segment 1: Anna and Jon Palmer
 - Practical Perspectives Segment 2: Dr. Devin DeLaughter

Learning Module 4: Correcting Principles

(Approximately 1 hour, 40 minutes)

- + Led by Daren Jones of the KPICD at TCU
 - Going Deeper Segment: Topic to feature a discussion of the challenges to and importance of finding rhythms to promote unity as parents during the day-to-day
 - » Led by Tona and Mark Ottinger, co-founders of the Memphis Family Connection Center (MFCC)
 - Practical Perspectives Segment 1: Glorya and D.J. Jordan
 - Practical Perspectives Segment 2: Chelsea Sobolik

Learning Modules 5: TBRI and the Gospel

(Approximately 1 hour)

- + Led by Emily Chapman Richards, Executive Director of Show Hope
 - Going Deeper Segment: Topic to discuss the hope and relational nature of God and the incarnation of Jesus as foundational cornerstones informing the efficacy of TBRI
 - » Led by Scotty Smith, founding pastor and pastor emeritus of Christ Community Church in Franklin, Tennessee as well as current Teacher in Residence at West End Community Church
 - Practical Perspectives Segment 1: Mary Beth and Steven Curtis Chapman
 - Practical Perspectives Segment 2: Joshua Christian Oswald

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