

**Understanding the Child with Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder**  
*Creating environments and learning communication skills that positively affect behavior*

**When: March 11<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm – 9:00pm**

**Where: Brownsville United Methodist Church, 8811 Illahee Rd. NE, Bremerton, 98310.**

**Presented by: Carolyn Hartness**

**Carolyn Hartness** is known nationally & internationally as a speaker/consultant on the topic of children with Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders. Carolyn works on FASD federal grants, and consults with individuals, families and organizations on issues relating to FASD. She has chaired and been a member of several local, state and national committees and organizations on FASD. She was a member of the FAS Diagnostic and Prevention Network team at the University of Washington under the direction of Dr. Sterling Clarren. She has written a manual and co-authored an Emmy nominated series of books and videos on FASD.

**Session One, Wednesday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

- ❖ Provide participants with an understanding of what FASD is and how it impacts the behavior and functioning of an affected child.
- ❖ View the award winning 'Little Foxes' Video, an explanation of FASD.
- ❖ Discuss factors affecting behavioral outcomes for children with FASD.

**Session Two, Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

- ❖ Participants will learn how to create appropriate learning and developmental strategies to allow for optimum success at home and in school.
- ❖ Participants will learn to create environments and routines to fit their child's specific needs, using the child's strengths to guide behavior, thereby creating workable solutions that empower the child, using Intervention Mapping.
- ❖ Participants will participate in a discussion on self-Care (how to stay sane).

**Sponsored by: Brownsville United Methodist Church, Kitsap FASD Task Force, Kitsap Foster Care Association and Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board.**

**There is no charge for the training.** For reservations, please complete the form below and return to:

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