



TBRI®: COURT

MARCH 1, 2024



Judicial Host:
Judge Ree Casey-Jones
1st Judicial District

10am to 4:15pm
First Presbyterian Church
900 Jordan Street, Suite 102
Shreveport, LA 71101
Pre-Registration is Required

Trust-Based Relational Intervention (TBRI®) is an attachment-based, trauma-informed, whole-child approach to meeting the needs of children and youth who have experienced early adversity, toxic stress, and/or relational trauma. The TBRI® model was developed at Texas Christian University by Dr. Karyn Purvis and Dr. David Cross to address the effects of early adversity and relational trauma using three sets of principles: Connecting, Empowering, and Correcting.

The TBRI® Courts training will equip all courtroom participants with an overview of TBRI® principles and provide specific examples of application in the legal setting. Our goal with the training is to help professionals in the judicial system understand the impact of trauma and how they can use TBRI® to help disarm fear and meet the needs of families and children who appear in court.

Target Audience: All Juvenile Court stakeholders in Caddo and Bossier Parishes are invited to attend the training, including: city and district judges, attorneys, Department of Children and Family Services staff, court staff, CASA, FINS staff, court security, truancy, DARE and SRO Officers.

Learning Objectives:

- Understand what stressful experiences constitute trauma
- Understand trauma's impact on the brain, body, biology, belief system, and behavior
- Identify ways to use the TBRI® Connecting, Empowering, and Correcting Principles within the courtroom setting



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Schedule:

9:30am-10:00am	Sign-In
10:00am-11:15am	Welcome & Trauma and TBRI® Overview (1.25)
11:15am-11:30am	Break
11:30am-12:45pm	Connecting in the Courtroom (1.25)
12:45am-1:15pm	Lunch
1:15pm-2:30pm	Empowering in the Courtroom (1.25)
2:30pm-2:45pm	Break
2:45pm-4:00pm	TBRI® Correcting in the Courtroom (1.25)
4:00pm-4:15pm	Q&A (.25)



Total time requested for CLE/CEU approval: 5.25 hours

Speakers:

Lucinda Miles, TBRI® Program Director, Volunteers for Youth Justice, Shreveport, LA

As the TBRI® Program Director for Volunteers for Youth Justice Lucinda has been serving children and families in crisis since November 2013. She is a TBRI® (Trust-Based Relational Intervention) Practitioner, Certified Life Coach and author of Disciple of Joy, an Interactive Spiritual Journal. In addition to coordinating the TBRI® efforts at Caddo Parish Juvenile Court Lucinda has trained and educated hundreds of parents, caregivers and stakeholders, both locally and statewide with the TBRI® Caregiver strategies. In April of 2022 the TBRI® training team began transformational work educating inmates at Caddo Correctional Center with the healing TBRI® Caregiver training! A 2020 Blue Cross Blue Shield Angel Award recipient Lucinda pioneered the vision, design, and implementation of a Calming Studio®, a sensory rich room in Caddo Juvenile Court which provides an alternative space for children to experience playful engagement and TBRI® informed care. She is the owner and handler of Sasha, the 'Emotional Support Puppy' who daily brings joy to foster children. A passionate believer that when we create quiet and peaceful spaces, both internally and externally, transformation and healing are possible.

Laurie McGehee, TBRI Trainer, Manager, Probation Department Manager, Caddo Parish Juvenile Services

Laurie McGehee is a thirty-eight year veteran of the Juvenile Justice System and has served the Juvenile Court for Caddo Parish in many different capacities. She is presently the Probation Department Manager for Caddo Parish Juvenile Services/Juvenile Court. She has served in this capacity for fifteen years. She is a nationally recognized speaker and trainer in Restorative and Evidence Based Probation, Human Trafficking, Trauma and Adolescent Development. She has been instrumental in developing many of the Court's specialized programs such as Juvenile Drug Court and Mental Health Court. She developed the first Multi-Disciplinary Team and Specialized Intensive Probation Unit (SIU) in the State of Louisiana to address human trafficking with Court involved youth. The Multi-disciplinary Team has been recognized by the National Association of County Officials (NACo) and by the Caddo Parish Commission for their preventative work in human trafficking. She also developed the first Specialized Court for victims of human trafficking called STAR Court. Laurie is a Certified Court Administrator and Trainer for Probation Officers through the National Court Services Association and the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges. She serves on former Governor John Bel Edwards' Human Trafficking Commission and Advisory Council. In 2008, she was the first recipient of the YWCA Women Who Mean Business Award and in 2014, she received the State of Louisiana Don E. Wydra Memorial Award for Outstanding Contribution to Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. In addition to this, Laurie is the Director of The FREE Coalition to End Human Trafficking in Northwest Louisiana. She was also just recently inducted into Bossier City's Bossier High School Hall of Fame. She is a TBRI® Practitioner.

