

ON-LINE COURSE: A Look at the Lives of Children and Families Affected by HIV/AIDS

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This is the first time TAPE has offered a course related to working with children and families who are affected by HIV and AIDS. To register for **HIVON-110: A Look at the Lives of Children and Families Affected by HIV/AIDS** go to:

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HIVON-110: A Look at the Lives of Children and Families Affected by HIV/AIDS

Date: November 10 - December 8, 2010

Instructor: Jennifer Kindy-McPherson, Simone Shindler & Megan Porter

Price: \$287.61 + HST = \$325.00 or 90 Scholarship Rewards points

Early Bird Price: \$261.06 + HST = \$295.00. Ends 30 days prior to start date.

Overview: This module is designed for practitioners and front-line workers who are working with children and families who may or may not have disclosed that they are living with HIV. The felt impact of HIV on a child's life can be overwhelming, even devastating, whether they have HIV themselves or one of their family members is HIV-positive. This module explores this impact and the issues that surround children and youth who are living with the effects of HIV. The first unit covers the facts of HIV/AIDS, including transmission, symptoms and statistics. Next, the psycho-social effects of living with HIV in the family are discussed. The last units of the module examine issues of disclosure and grief.