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Donation \$ _____

Because membership dues only partially off-set the expenses of the Association, donations in excess of dues are extremely valuable.

Dues and donations are both tax-deductible. Make check payable to: MeAIMH, Inc. The membership year is January 1st to December 31st. Detach the completed application and mail to:

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If you are not now a member of the Association, and would like to join and take advantage of the 10% discount in conference registration costs, you may either join as an Individual Member to December 31, 2017 upon payment of \$35.00 or to December 31, 2018 upon payment of \$52.50 (in addition to payment of the \$130.50 member conference registration fee). For either option, please complete the above form, in addition to the conference registration form on the reverse side.



The Maine Association for Infant Mental Health

Presents:

Tackling the Tough Stuff: Supporting Families at Risk



Featuring:

**Stephan A. Viehweg, ACSW,
LCSW, IMH-E (IV)**

**May 12, 2017
8:15 AM – 4:00 PM**

**Hilton Garden Inn
Freeport Downtown
5 Park St.
Freeport, Maine**

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PRESENTER

A well-respected, sought-after therapist, presenter, and consultant, Stephan A. Viehweg is an Assistant Research Professor and the Associate Director of the Riley Child Development Center, a nationally recognized interdisciplinary leadership training program supported by the Indiana Maternal and Child Health Bureau. He serves as a faculty member of the Indiana University School of Medicine, Department of Pediatrics and the School of Social Work. He is the founding chair of Infancy Onward (Indiana's Infant Mental Health Association), founding president of Family Voices Indiana, and co-author of the book **Tackling the Tough Stuff: A Home Visitor's Guide to Supporting Families at Risk**.

Conference Overview

Everyone knows that babies need consistent, responsive and sensitive caregivers to develop in emotionally healthy ways—however, sometimes we forget that relationship needs continue even for adults. Relationship experiences in early childhood not only set the stage for how we think about ourselves and others, but also continue to influence our behaviors as we grow into adulthood. Many parents encountered by early childhood workers have not had histories of positive relationships; as a result, it can be hard to gain their trust and engage them in partnerships. Participants will learn how to build partnerships with caregivers in order to facilitate parental ability to support their young child's regulation, social and emotional skills. Strategies to effectively support challenging child behavior from this perspective will be shared.

Participants will be able to...

- Recognize and describe links between early experiences and adult behaviors related to relationships and caregiving.
- Demonstrate relationship-based methods to connect with parents and teach parenting skills to address challenging child behaviors.
- Explore and discuss the PAUSE framework as a tool to build relationships and enhance successful outcomes.

Schedule of the Day

8:15 - 9:00	Registration
9:00 - 9:15	Welcome and Introduction
9:15 - 10:30	Relationship-based Practice and Reflective Skills in Early Childhood Fields
10:30 - 10:45	Break
10:45 - 12:00	Introduction to the PAUSE Framework
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch and MeAIMH, Inc. Presentation
1:00 - 2:15	Using Relationship and Reflection to Help When Children Display Difficult Behaviors
2:15 - 2:30	Break
2:30 - 4:00	Round Table Reflection: PAUSE in our Work Q & A and Wrap-Up with Steve
4:00	Adjourn

REGISTRATION

Registration is **\$145.00** for non-members and **\$130.50** for **MeAIMH members, Casa Inc., and Other Sponsor Attendees**. Lunch is included. University of Maine and Psychology CEUs will be available. All participants will receive a certificate for 5.0 contact hours.

NO REFUNDS OF REGISTRATION FEES ARE POSSIBLE AFTER MAY 5th

Name _____

Agency/Position _____

Mailing Address _____

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Phone _____

MeAIMH Member or Sponsor Yes No

If so, which organization _____

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(or Purchase Order #) **Make Check Payable to MeAIMH, Inc.**

Registration online is also available through PayPal by visiting our website: www.infantmentalhealth.org

Please indicate any special accommodations required:

Please return to *Conference 2017*, c/o Debra Nugent Johnston, 592 Sawyer Road, Greene, Maine 04236, by **May 5th** with your check payable to MeAIMH or a Purchase Order Number. Questions to Debra at phone/fax 207-375-8184 or e-mail debranj@aol.com The Hilton Garden Inn Freeport (207-865-1433) has a limited number of hotel rooms at a rate of \$119.00 for May 11th. **Be sure to mention it is for the infant mental health group.**

