

## **CBS in the Schools**

### **Course Description**

This course is aimed at introducing mental health professionals to information that will assist them if and when they interact with the educational system.

### **Course Objectives**

Upon successful completion of the on-line course “Community-Based Services in the Schools” the participant will have received a score of at least 80% on the Post Test. To attain this score the participant will have a general understanding of:

- The educational system and the role of the mental health professional in interacting with the schools
- School system terms and acronyms related to special education
- Federal legislation that effects education including 504 and IDEA
- Available educational services for youth with special needs
- The process involved in accessing special educational services for youth with special needs
- The role of the mental health professional in the development of the IEP
- How the mental health professional can help parents/caretakers of youth with special needs to access special education services

### **Topics Covered in CBS and the Schools**

- Terms and Acronyms Related to Education
- The Role of the Mental Health Provider in Education Planning
- Educational as a Continuum of Care
- Helping Youth who Struggle in School
- Regular Ed Interventions
- IDEA
- IEP
- Additional Services to Enable Youth to Benefit from General or Special Education
- Roadblocks to Education
- Due Process

**CEU's Awarded Upon Completion     3**