



ABOUT

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Dr. Cheryl Lanktree is a licensed Clinical Psychologist and Research Associate Professor of Psychiatry and the Behavioral Sciences at the Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California. She graduated with a PhD in Clinical Psychology from the University of Manitoba and completed a predoctoral internship at Yale University and postdoctoral fellowship at Harbor-UCLA Medical Center. Dr. Lanktree has held academic appointments at the University of California-Los Angeles, California State University, Dominguez Hills, California State University, Fullerton, and the University of Manitoba.

Dr. Lanktree previously served as Director, Miller Children's Abuse and Violence Intervention Center and Clinical Director, Stuart House, Santa Monica-UCLA Medical Center. Dr. Lanktree developed the evidence-based treatment model, Integrative Treatment of Complex Trauma for Children (ITCT-C) and co-developed Integrative Treatment of Complex Trauma for Adolescents (ITCT-A) with grant support from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration. From 2012 to 2021, she was Project Director/Co-PI of the University of Southern California Adolescent Trauma Training Center, a Category II Center of the National Child Traumatic Stress Network, training thousands of clinicians through webinars, conferences, and workshops.

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