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Art therapy workshop offered for counselors

Oakland University's **School of Education and Human Services** is sponsoring an "Art Therapy for Counselors" workshop for counselors, social workers, psychologists and other counseling professionals on Thursday, May 6, at Oakland Community College's Auburn Hills campus.

Participants will learn new approaches to working with clients and visual methods to benchmark client progress during this hands-on workshop. Techniques can be modified for various settings and may be used with families, groups, couples and individuals of all ages. Multicultural strategies also will be emphasized. Drawing and artistic skills are not required for the course.

Sylvia Walworth, MA, LPC, ATR, who has more than 25 years of clinical experience, including private practice, staff training and directing community-service programs, will lead the workshop. Active in many professional associations, Walworth is past president of the Michigan Counseling Association of Marriage and Family Counselors, Michigan Association for Specialists in Group Work, and Michigan Association of Adult Development and Aging.

The cost of the workshop is \$295 if enrolled for continuing education units (CEUs). Participants have the option to take the course for two university graduate credits.

For more information or to enroll, visit the **Department of Professional Development and Education Outreach** Web site, call (248) 370-3033 or e-mail pro-development@oakland.edu. The registration deadline is Friday, April 23.

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