Workshop for Birth Workers

Bereavement & Loss

June 1, 2013 from 9:00 am till 6:00 pm

This is a one-day workshop for birth workers to learn how to provide compassionate, comprehensive support to families enduring loss, including *why* and *how* to establish strong support resources for yourself.

If you are an aspiring doula, birth doula, postpartum doula, monitrice, midwife or nurse, this workshop is right for you.

Subjects we will explore:
- providing support *prior* to loss.
- how to *be* supported.
- how to support *after* a loss.
- providing support *during* the actual physical event of loss.

What you will gain:
This will be a hands-on, interactive workshop. Using demonstrations, examples, projects and discussion, we will look at a variety of scenarios, and you will leave with tools you need to be better prepared in all birth situations. You will identify similarities and differences in loss to other traumas a family may experience, you'll strengthen your understanding of the connections between events in a mother's obstetrical history, you'll learn the importance of being supported yourself, and you'll see how your trust in your own support network will impact your response to your client. You'll begin to build a strong foundation of support for yourself that you need to be the best you can be, for your clients, and for yourself.

You'll bring your own lunch, and we will take breaks between segments. Dulles Airport is closest airport. I have hotel information for those that need it.

This workshop is available through collaboration with Doran Richards of Blessing God's Way (www.blessingGodsway.com).

$50 per person
Register Here: http://www.stillbirthday.com/workshop-for-birth-workers/

All workshop attendees are also automatically gifted with a 50% discount off of the Fall 2013 full SBD doula training, a training applicable for birth workers of all levels. This is a $100 value! Discount redeemed at time of workshop purchase.

Quuestions?
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