

## When Anxiety Shows up as Perfectionism and People Pleasing: What Is It, Where Does It Come From, and How Can We Help Our Clients?



### **FEATURING:**

- Insights on perfectionism and peoplepleasing as trauma responses, not just traits
- Strategies to reduce these behaviors and build self-trust

Wednesday, August 20, 2025
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Eastern time
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### **PRESENTED BY:**



## Bethany Comeau, MA, LPC

Bethany Comeau is a licensed professional counselor in private practice based in Americus, Georgia, with nearly 20 years experience in the mental health field. In addition to working with clients whose anxiety is rooted in perfectionism and people pleasing, her clinical areas of focus also include grief and loss, infertility, and The Highly Sensitive Person. Bethany is also a recovering perfectionist and people pleaser, and deeply passionate about helping others who are struggling with types of trauma responses learn how to find their way back to themselves.

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## **AGENDA** (all times are Eastern)

**11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.** Log in and Virtual Networking

**12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.** Presentation

This course aims to assist clinicians in recognizing that perfectionism and people pleasing are actually trauma responses and coping skills, not just personality quirks or behaviors that clients can easily "just stop doing if they tried hard enough." These are also behaviors that keep clients stuck and feeling unseen and unknown in their relationships. Participants will learn how and why these traits and behaviors showed up in the first place. They will also learn how to effectively support clients in beginning the shift toward reducing perfectionism and people-pleasing behaviors. By reducing these behaviors, clients will experience more authentic relationships, learn to trust themselves, increase self compassion, boost esteem and confidence, and decrease anxiety and depression.

## By the end of the session, the participant will be able to:

- 1. Recognize and identify behavioral patterns and triggers of people-pleasing and perfectionism-related anxiety in patients across various life domains.
- 2. Demonstrate proficiency in the application of evidence-based interventions tailored to address people-pleasing and perfectionism-driven anxiety.
- 3. Integrate strategies to promote healthier coping mechanisms and cultivate self-compassion in patients struggling with anxiety rooted in people pleasing and perfectionism.

Course Interaction and Technical Requirements: This live webinar is fully interactive. Attendees may ask and answer questions throughout the presentation and participate in instructor-led discussions. A computer or mobile device is required. Zoom account is not required. You will receive a reminder email approximately 24 hours prior to the start of the training and a link to the webinar will be in your CEU Creations account.

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Target audience: Social workers, counselors, nurses, case managers, and other healthcare professionals.

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