



**PCIT INTERNATIONAL THERAPIST TRAINING - APPLICATION**

<b>Dates:</b>	<p><u><a href="#">PRE-WORK CALL (VIA ZOOM)</a></u>          Wednesday September 6, 2023 12:00pm-1:00pm Central</p> <p><u><a href="#">LEARNING SESSION 1</a></u>          Thursday, September 28, 2023          Friday, September 29, 2023          Monday, October 2, 2023</p> <p><u><a href="#">LEARNING SESSION 2</a></u>          Friday, November 3, 2023          Monday, November 6, 2023          Tuesday, November 7, 2023</p> <p><b>**Both Learning Sessions and follow-up consultation with session reviews are required portions of the training.**</b></p>
<b>Time:</b>	8:00am – 5:00pm Central daily for learning sessions
<b>Location:</b>	Live, Synchronous Virtual Format (VIA ZOOM)
<b>Cost:</b>	\$1,500 for Nebraska providers, \$4,500 for out-of-state
<b>Application Deadline:</b>	<b>Wednesday, August 23, 2023</b>

Always look for the PCIT International logo for official PCIT International trainings.

**Description**

Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT) is an internationally-recognized, evidence-based parent management program for families who have children with primary or secondary externalizing behavior problems. The program is unique in comparison to other parent management programs because it involves coaching parents as they interact with their young child (ages 2

years to 6 years, 11 months). There are two phases to PCIT: Child-Directed Interaction (CDI) and Parent-Directed Interaction (PDI).

This clinical workshop serves as an introductory training for mental health providers who are interested in becoming PCIT International Therapists. This professional training includes foundational skills in the PCIT protocol, Dyadic Parent-Child Interaction Coding System (DPICS), and the CDI and PDI phases of treatment. Experiential learning opportunities in coding and coaching techniques will be provided, with a particular emphasis on developing PCIT competencies, coding reliability, and fidelity to the PCIT model.

### Prerequisites

All interested participants must complete the attached **PCIT International Therapist Training Application as well as the PCIT Agency Readiness Application** to confirm eligibility. Please complete the application form **first**. Once your application has been reviewed and you are approved for the training, you will be issued an invoice from Children's Hospital and Medical Center and you will need to submit a check for the full amount of the training. **Payment must be received no later than September 6, 2023.**

\*\*Following successful:

1. receipt of the PCIT International Therapist Training Prerequisite Application
2. receipt of the PCIT Agency Readiness Application (one per agency)
3. payment for the PCIT International Therapist Training

participants will be notified of their acceptance status for the training.\*\*

### Who Should Attend

The intended audience includes clinicians who have a master's degree or higher, or an international equivalent of a master's degree, in a mental health field who are independently licensed mental health service providers, or license-eligible and working under the supervision of a licensed mental health service provider. Alternatively, clinicians may be advanced psychology doctoral students who are conducting clinical work under the supervision of a licensed mental health service provider.

***You must share your video during the entirety of the workshop to attend this training.***

### Content Covered

40 hours of workshop training with a PCIT International Certified Global Trainer and Regional Trainer Candidate covering:

- Implementation procedures, background theory, and research evidence for PCIT.
- The latest advances in PCIT practices, including the PCIT protocol, Dyadic Parent-Child Interaction Coding System (DPICS), and the CDI and PDI phases of treatment.
- Experiential learning opportunities in coding and coaching techniques, with a particular emphasis on developing PCIT skills, coding reliability, and fidelity to the PCIT model.
- Integration of telehealth and diversity, equity, and inclusion practices.

Following the PCIT International Therapist Training, participants receive:

- 12 months of twice monthly, hourly group web-based consultation calls led by a PCIT International Certified Trainer and Regional Trainer Candidate.
- Four (4) live or video reviews of PCIT sessions with written feedback from a PCIT International Certified Trainer.
- Assistance in documenting competencies toward Certification

## Instructional Levels

Beginner and Intermediate

## CME Credits

Children's Hospital & Medical Center is accredited by the Nebraska Medical Association to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Application for CME credit is pending. **Full attendance from the participant is required to receive credit. Video is required to receive credit.**

## Cost

- Total cost is \$4,500\*, consisting of:
    - 6-day on-site virtual workshop, with 40 CME awarded (pending approval). The workshop includes the PCIT Therapy Protocol, the DPICS Clinical Manual, and the DPICS Clinical Workbook necessary to conduct PCIT.
    - Required consultation (twice monthly group consultation for 12 months; 4 live or video session reviews; paperwork preparation for certification).
- \*Cost is subsidized through grant funding for Nebraska providers

**While cancellations and refunds are not available, with notice by 9/14/2023, fees may be applied toward a future training.**

## About the Presenters

**Christina Warner-Metzger, Ph.D.**, hails from Oklahoma State University with a doctorate in Clinical Psychology. Born, raised, and educated throughout parts of the lower Midwest, Dr. Warner-Metzger has a keen interest in expanding access to rural mental health care. True to her organization's motto of *Doing good and doing it well™*, Dr. Warner-Metzger founded Evidence-based Practices and International Consulting (EPIC), LLC, to promote increased accessibility and excellence in professional training, consultation, and program development within the mental health and wellness sector. With a focus on training culturally humble and socially responsible professionals, she has directed the Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT) and early childhood assessment service and training clinics at university-affiliated medical and community mental health organizations. She is 1 of 21 PCIT International Certified Global Trainers worldwide and a Child-Adult Relationship Enhancement (CARE) co-developer, which provides her with clinical expertise in PCIT and CARE training and dissemination. Dr. Warner-Metzger is also the co-developer of Trauma-Directed Interaction (TDI), an adaption to PCIT which addresses intergenerational trauma. She has served as a trainer and consultant for dissemination and learning collaborative efforts across the United States, as well as Indonesia, Australia, and Moldova. Her contributions as an expert trainer and consultant on institutional, regional, federal, and international grant-funded projects has spanned the greater part of the past decade. Dr. Warner-Metzger's clinical and research interests include Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD), developmental disabilities, disruptive behavior disorders, trauma-informed systems, underserved populations, barriers to treatment participation, and dissemination efforts. She has contributed to these topics through numerous peer-reviewed and invited presentations at national and international conferences, as well as authored peer-reviewed journal articles, government publications, and edited book chapters.

**Lynne Clure, Ph.D.**, is a pediatric psychologist at Children's Hospital and Medical Center in Omaha, NE. She completed her PhD in school psychology at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and a pre-doctoral internship at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital through the University of Tennessee Professional Psychology Internship Consortium. During internship, Dr. Clure was trained as a PCIT International Certified Therapist. She is now a Within-Agency Trainer for PCIT

International and actively supervises graduate student externs and post-doctoral fellows. She is currently a candidate for Regional Trainer with PCIT International. Dr. Clure provides assessment and therapy services for a range of childhood problems, is also involved in several medical specialty clinics, including the neuro-oncology and oncology survivorship clinics, and is currently the clinical director for the multidisciplinary Autism diagnostic clinic.

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## Objectives

[https://bit.ly/PCIT-TherapistTraining\\_Objectives](https://bit.ly/PCIT-TherapistTraining_Objectives)

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## INFORMATIONAL VIDEO

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Training Preparation Information

Watch a 4-minute PCIT demonstration video with caregiver testimonials:

[https://bit.ly/PCIT\\_DemoVideo](https://bit.ly/PCIT_DemoVideo)

Also, read the following resources regarding preparation for a PCIT practice:

[https://bit.ly/PCIT\\_Set-Up\\_ToysTechTO](https://bit.ly/PCIT_Set-Up_ToysTechTO)

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If you are new to the concept of PCIT, we highly encourage you to contact Dr. Lynne Clure at [lclure@childrensomaha.org](mailto:lclure@childrensomaha.org) to schedule a brief phone consultation *before* initiating submission of the PCIT International Therapist Training Application. This will assist you in determining if PCIT is a good fit for your practice.

You will need to complete the full **PCIT International Therapist Training Application and Agency Readiness Application (one per agency) and submit via email by the application deadline.**

**All applications and supporting material must be submitted to Dr. Lynne Clure at [lclure@childrensomaha.org](mailto:lclure@childrensomaha.org). You will receive a confirmation of receipt and will be notified after review of your acceptance to this training.**

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### **Please Note:**

The PCIT International Therapist Training process and PCIT International Certification process are *separate*. While the training provided by Dr. Warner-Metzger (PCIT International Certified Global Trainer) and Dr. Lynne Clure (PCIT International Certified Within Agency Trainer, Regional Trainer Candidate) is consistent with eligibility guidelines to apply for PCIT International Therapist Certification, the training alone does not constitute Certification. At the

successful completion of PCIT International Therapist Training, the provider must apply to PCIT International for Certification. While a brief overview is provided below, please refer to [www.pcit.org](http://www.pcit.org) for complete information.

**PCIT International Certified Therapists** are individuals who have received appropriate and sufficient PCIT International training to be qualified to provide PCIT services to children and families.

**Process:**

Please note the process for becoming a PCIT International Certified Therapist has multiple steps to demonstrate competence as a PCIT International Therapist, summarized as follows:

1. Upon completion of PCIT International Therapist Basic and Consultation Training, an applicant for Certified PCIT Therapist status must complete the Certified PCIT Therapist Application (available from PCIT International Certified Trainers or at [www.pcit.org](http://www.pcit.org))
2. Following acceptance of the Certified PCIT Therapist Application, the applicant must successfully complete the PCIT Certification Experience which reviews concepts covered in Basic and Continuation Training.
3. Final decisions about certification of PCIT Therapists will be made by PCIT International.

**\*\*To successfully complete the process to become a PCIT International Certified Therapist, applicants must *demonstrate competence* in core areas of the PCIT International protocol and implementation. PCIT International reserves the right to deny certification to any individual if minimum standards of competence are not met and appropriately documented, as outlined in the [Training Requirements for Certification as a PCIT Therapist](#).\*\***

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INITIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

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I acknowledge I have read and understand the requirements for the **PCIT technology and supplies** that will be necessary to implement PCIT in my practice:

Yes

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I acknowledge I have read and understand the **calm down chair and calm down room** are integral parts of the second stage of the PCIT protocol. I further agree to use the calm down procedure to fidelity as instructed during the PCIT International Therapist Training and Consultation:

Yes

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I acknowledge my virtual attendance for the scheduled dates and times for the PreWork Call, Learning Session 1, and Learning Session 2 is required, and I have made arrangements to **attend these training activities in their entirety:**

Yes

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I acknowledge I have read the introductory information regarding the **differences between PCIT International Therapist Training and PCIT International Therapist Certification**. While I understand PCIT International Therapist Training may lead to Certification, I also understand PCIT International Therapist Training does not *constitute* Certification:

Yes

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IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Name \_\_\_\_\_

Credentials (Ph.D., Psy.D., LCSW, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Agency/Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Primary role at agency/institution \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zipcode \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Verify Email \_\_\_\_\_

Years of Clinical Practice \_\_\_\_\_

Years at Current Agency \_\_\_\_\_

Current estimated number of clients weekly ages 2-7 \_\_\_\_\_



Pronouns (please check all that apply to your identity):

She/Her/Hers

He/Him/His

They/Them/Theirs

Ze/Hir/Hirs

Other \_\_\_\_\_

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Name prefix:

Ms.

Mrs.

Mr.

Mx.

Dr.

Other \_\_\_\_\_

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Languages fluently spoken for therapy (listed alphabetically by available PCIT International Protocol translations):

- Dutch
  - English
  - German
  - Japanese
  - Korean
  - Spanish
  - Traditional Chinese
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
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**GRADUATE EDUCATION**

- Highest Degree Completed (MS, PhD, PsyD, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Field of Highest Degree Completed (social work, counseling psychology, clinical psychology, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Date of Degree (MM/YYYY) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Conferring Institution \_\_\_\_\_
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LICENSURE

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Are you currently licensed as a mental health provider (e.g., licensed psychologist, social worker, professional counselor, marriage and family therapist, etc.)?

Yes

No (skip to section UNLICENSED PROFESSIONAL WORKING UNDER ANOTHER PROFESSIONAL'S SUPERVISION/LICENSURE)

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LICENSURE 1

State \_\_\_\_\_

Type (LCSW, LMFT, LPC, HSP, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Number \_\_\_\_\_

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LICENSURE 2

State \_\_\_\_\_

Type (LCSW, LMFT, LPC, HSP, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Number \_\_\_\_\_

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### LICENSURE 3

State \_\_\_\_\_

Type (LCSW, LMFT, LPC, HSP, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Number \_\_\_\_\_

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UNLICENSED PROFESSIONAL WORKING UNDER ANOTHER PROFESSIONAL'S SUPERVISION/LICENSURE (If you are licensed and completed the above section, please skip to section CONSULTATION CALL SCHEDULING)

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If you are working under another licensed professional's supervision/license (such as, you are on internship, postdoctoral fellowship, or post-degree and accruing clinical hours toward clinical licensure) please provide the licensed professional's information:

Agency/Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor Name \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor Credentials (PhD, PsyD, LCWS, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor License Information (Type of licensed, state, license number)

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Supervisor Email \_\_\_\_\_

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### CONSULTATION CALL SCHEDULING

Please note twice monthly consultation calls are a required portion of PCIT International Therapist Training and are included in the training fee. Consultation calls occur in a group format via a web-based conferencing system, which will require you to have a computer with a webcam and internet access.

Although individual preferences for consultation call times will be taken into consideration, calls

will be scheduled based on the availability of the larger group and the trainers. Please recognize personal client schedules may need to be shifted to accommodate the required Consultation Calls.

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You may identify **up to three (3) 1-hour blocks** that you are **unable** to attend consultation calls (i.e., mandatory work meetings).

For example, Chris may indicate they are **not available** on

Mondays 1p-2p  
Tuesdays 3p-4p  
and  
Thursdays 4p-5p

Please enter your selected three 1-hour blocks you are **not** available here:

1. Day of Week/1-Hour Block

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2. Day of Week/1-Hour Block

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3. Day of Week/1-Hour Block

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#### UPLOAD SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

**Please attach the following items to your application and email to [lclure@childrensomaha.org](mailto:lclure@childrensomaha.org).**

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Please upload a copy of your **Licensure Certificate(s)** (scanned copies accepted; may use a CamScan app on your smartphone to take a picture and create a PDF) or a copy of your supervisory agreement indicating whose license is covering your clinical work.

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Upload your **Curriculum Vitae/Resume**.

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ACKNOWLEDGMENTS/ATTESTATION

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Describe how your agency will **support** clinicians in their endeavors to become PCIT Therapists, specifically:

	Yes	No
Will your agency provide you with protected time to attend twice monthly, hourly consultation calls (you must attend 75% of the calls to meet competency):	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consultation calls will occur via a web-based conferencing system. Is your agency willing to provide you with a web-camera for the required video-conferencing and participation in the twice monthly consultation calls?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Training to become a PCIT International Therapist requires the applicant to gain case experience by actively implementing PCIT with at least 2 clients to graduation criteria. Will your agency provide you with the necessary 2-4 cases (minimum caseload recommended) to complete this portion of the Therapist Training?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Will your agency allow clinicians to schedule PCIT clients for weekly sessions?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Training to become a PCIT International Therapist requires the trainer to review videos of the therapist conducting sessions. Does your agency agree, with appropriate consents from the clients and according to your agency's policies, to share videos of sessions with the trainer or allow a trainer to login into a live session for the purposes of meeting PCIT International Therapist competencies?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

I acknowledge the following:

	Yes	No
1. I acknowledge I have read and understand the requirements for the PCIT technology and supplies that will be necessary to implement PCIT in my practice.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. I acknowledge I have read and understand the calm down chair and calm down room are integral parts of the second stage of the PCIT protocol. I further agree to use the calm down procedure to fidelity as instructed during the PCIT International Therapist Training and Consultation.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. I acknowledge my virtual attendance for the scheduled dates and times for the PreWork Call, Learning Session 1, and Learning Session 2 is required, and I have made arrangements to attend these training activities in their entirety.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. I acknowledge I have read the introductory information regarding the differences between PCIT International Therapist Training and PCIT International Therapist Certification. While I understand PCIT International Therapist Training may lead to Certification, I also understand PCIT International Therapist Training does not constitute Certification.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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**I attest that the information I have provided herein this application and accompanying materials is a true and accurate representation of my experiences and abilities.**

(Insert electronic signature)

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This completes the basic PCIT International Therapist Training - Individual Application.

**YOUR NEXT STEPS:**

You will receive an email confirmation when your application is fully submitted. If you have not received a confirmation email within two business days, please send an email to [lclure@childrensomaha.org](mailto:lclure@childrensomaha.org) to inquire as on rare occasions large attachments have been inadvertently blocked by the email server. Once your application has been reviewed and approved, you will be issued an invoice. The fee must be paid for your registration to be complete.