



Communication
Across Barriers

Register for 2014 Poverty Institutes

Learn from nationally-recognized POVERTY expert, Dr. Donna M. Beegle

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POVERTY INSTITUTE

Traverse City, MI -- **June 23-24, 2014 - 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

Portland, OR -- **July 14-15, 2014 - 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

Amarillo, TX -- **August 11-12, 2014 - 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

Obtain the tools needed to effectively move people out of poverty.

This intensive two-day Poverty Institute provides a grounded understanding of poverty and what you can do to more successfully assist people in moving out – and staying out – of poverty.

Participants will:

- Learn to communicate more effectively with those living in poverty (e.g., bridging print and oral cultures).
- Use role play, activities, modeling and dialogue to understand and practice the core concepts.
- Come away with concrete strategies and materials that you can use right away to make a difference.

The Poverty Institute is designed for professionals from the fields of justice, education, health, social service, faith-based and community organization members.

Cost: \$249

COACHING INSTITUTE

Traverse City, MI -- **June 25-26, 2014 - 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

Portland, OR -- **July 16-17, 2014 - 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

Amarillo, TX -- **August 13-14, 2014 - 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

Be your organization's Poverty Coach and on-site expert.

This intensive two-day Coaching Institute will prepare you for breaking barriers in your organization. Participants will learn how to serve as on-site experts for educating colleagues, providing leadership for eliminating barriers, and developing system-wide approaches for improving outcomes for families and individuals.

Poverty Coaches are trained to conduct Poverty Competency Assessments and assist their organizations in developing and implementing customized action plans with measurable results. Coaches receive a variety of tools and materials, including the Action Approach Training Kit (valued at \$449).

NOTE: *Coaching Institute participants must have completed at least the "Poverty 101" online course or a two-day Poverty Institute.*

Cost: \$695

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<http://bayviewchurch.net/>

About Dr. Beegle

Donna M. Beegle, Ed.D. is an authentic voice who speaks, writes and trains across the nation to break the iron cage of poverty. She is the author of "See Poverty... Be The Difference" and also took part in CNN's panel, "The Other America." Dr. Beegle has received national acclaim and standing ovations for her ability to passionately and succinctly address the issue of poverty.

