

LEAH presents

Freeing Survivors of Domestic Violence From Stigma And Self-Blame



**Sunday
April 7, 2019**

From 10:00 a. m. to 12:00 p.m.

Congregation Bet Shalom

3881 E River Rd, Tucson, AZ 85718

FREE and Open to the Public

Join us in an interactive discussion about:

- The dynamics of domestic violence
- Stereotypes and stigma
- Reducing self-blame
- Effective self-advocacy and systems advocacy
- Coordinated community response



Presenter: Deena Gayle Hitzke, Ed. D

Dr. Deena Gayle Hitzke is the Director of Elder Crime Victims' Services at the Administration of Resources and Choices, with expertise in later life domestic violence and elder abuse advocacy. Dr. Hitzke has been empowering survivors for nearly thirty years. Her experience includes working as a domestic violence legal advocate, shelter director, program director, and clinical director, grant writer, research and development director, and former psychotherapist. Dr. Hitzke's current interests involve teaching older adults to emancipate themselves from internalized ageism and other negative stereotypes using storytelling, reminiscence and other creative strategies.

RVSP to: Irene Geftter – igeftter@jfcstucson.org or 520-795-0300 x 2271. Seating is limited.

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