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Interviewing the Sextortion Victim

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Open to CAC forensic interviewers

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Sextortion refers to the broad category of sexual exploitation in which abuse of power is the means of coercion and can be coupled with the threatened release of sexual images or information. Because the method of coercion is usually non-physical, these cases are sometimes thought of as less egregious than cases with hands on offenses. This block of instruction will focus on the dynamics of sextortion, the victims, the forensic interview and special case considerations when a large number of victims are involved.



About the Presenter:

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Catherine S. Connell is a state licensed Clinical Social Worker. Ms Connell is currently employed with the FBI as a Child/Adolescent Forensic Interviewer with the Office of Victim Assistance. She provides interviews, consultation and training for FBI Agents, Assistant United States Attorney's, and other federal, state and international law enforcement. Ms Connell has been qualified as an expert witness on multiple subjects in civil and criminal cases, in Federal and local jurisdictions. Ms Connell has coauthored and published "Interviewing Compliant Adolescent Victims" and "A Picture Is Worth a Thousand Words: Incorporating Child Pornography Images in the Forensic Interview".