



Communication
Across Barriers

Beegle Poverty Institutes Maine

Presented by nationally-recognized poverty expert, Dr. Donna M. Beegle

The Beegle Poverty Institutes are designed for professionals from the fields of justice, education, health, housing, and social service, as well as members of business, faith-based, and community organizations.

Obtain the tools needed to effectively move people out of poverty

POVERTY INSTITUTE

July 30-31, 2018

Deepen Your Understanding

The intensive two-day Poverty Institute provides professionals with a grounded understanding of poverty and what they 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.
- +Use activities, modeling, and dialogue to understand and practice the core concepts.
- +Leave with concrete strategies and materials that can be used right away to make a difference.

Cost: \$285 per person

COACHING INSTITUTE

August 1-2, 2018

Become a Certified Poverty Coach

This Institute prepares participants to serve as certified poverty coaches for their organizations — educating colleagues, providing leadership for breaking poverty barriers, and developing system-wide approaches for improving outcomes for people who live in the war zone of poverty.

Participants will:

- +Be trained to conduct workshops for breaking poverty barriers and improving communication and relationships for in-house staff.
- +Receive a variety of tools and materials, including the ***If Not Me, Then Who?*** Curriculum Kit.

Cost: \$695 per person

NOTE: Coaching Institute participants must have completed a two-day Poverty Institute.

Schedule: Registration from 8:00 - 8:45 a.m. with all session from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Location: UNE Portland Campus - Alumni Hall 716 Stevens Ave, Portland, ME 04103

To learn more about these institutes or to register online, visit: www.combarriers.com

College credits and CEUs are available.

About Dr. Beegle

Donna Beegle grew up in generational poverty and left school at 15 to get married. At 25, she found herself with two children, no husband, little education, and few marketable job skills. Within 10 short years, with the help of poverty-informed mentors, she earned her GED and studied poverty through to a Doctorate. All this provides Dr. Beegle with an authentic voice to help break the iron cage of poverty.

