2-DAY SEMINAR EMDR

A Rapid, Safe, and Proven Treatment for Trauma

Clients dealing with trauma aren't always receptive to the therapeutic process. And using treatment techniques that repeatedly confront clients with the horrific details of the traumas that haunt them can cause them to be avoidant, reactionary, or completely withdrawn. It's painful for client and clinician alike, and it doesn't feel like healing.

Attend this 2-Day EMDR seminar and discover how this powerful, evidence-based treatment has helped thousands of clients safely and rapidly process their traumas without the need to focus on explicit details!

You'll learn:

- How EMDR can be used to overcome avoidance in clients
- How EMDR techniques can help clients resolve traumatic memories
- When and with which clients EMDR should be used
- How to emphasize safety during sessions
- How the 8-phase model is used in treatment

Demonstrations and brief practice opportunities will give attendees an opportunity to see how EMDR is used and give them a chance to experience it themselves.

Sign up today and discover how EMDR can help clients find relief from trauma and reclaim their lives!

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Seminar Schedule - for both days

7:30 Registration/Morning Coffee & Tea 8:00 Program begins

11:50-1:00 Lunch *(on your own)*

4:00 Program ends

There will be two 15-min breaks (mid-morning & mid-afternoon).

Actual lunch and break start times are at the discretion of the speaker.

A more detailed schedule is available upon request.



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Objectives

- 1. Establish the role of the autonomic nervous system in trauma symptomology.
- 2. Articulate the clinical implications of the freeze response in trauma treatment.
- 3. Characterize the potential neurobiological mechanisms of change in the empirically validated EMDR approach.
- 4. Specify how EMDR techniques can build dual awareness in clients to treat the avoidance that makes trauma treatment challenging.
- 5. Communicate the 8 Phases of the EMDR protocol.
- 6. Determine which clients you should use EMDR with
- 7. Analyze resourcing strategies from EMDR that clinicians can use to help facilitate the processing of trauma.
- 8. Characterize how EMDR techniques can be used to reinforce and activate positive neural networks.
- 9. Communicate how EMDR can be modified to work with complex/developmental trauma to directly treat traumatic memories.
- 10. Evaluate strategies that can help foster the critical connection between client and therapist in EMDR therapy.
- 11. Articulate the research limitations and potential risks associated with EMDR.
- 12. Establish the order of operations for attachment-based EMDR treatment to resolve relational trauma.

Speaker

Megan Howard, LCSW, CCTP, was trained on the use of EMDR as a treatment protocol through EMDRIA and uses EMDR in her practice to achieve improved outcomes with a broad spectrum of clients in the areas of trauma, abuse, and substance abuse.

She is certified as a Clinical Trauma Professional through the International Association of Trauma Professionals and currently owns and operates one of the largest treatment centers for substance abuse and trauma in the state of Idaho.

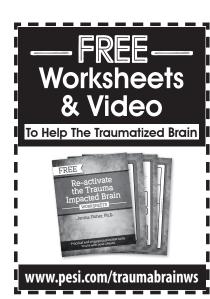
She has been invited to train internationally at the International Society of Addiction Medicine in India and at the International Conference on Addiction Research and Therapy in Amsterdam.

Ms. Howard earned her Masters in Clinical Social Work from Northwest Nazarene University and is a member of EMDRIA and the International Society of Addiction Medicine.

Speaker Disclosure:

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Key brain areas involved in trauma Polyvagal Theory, and types of freeze responses Trauma and insecure attachment The neuroscience of developmental trauma Clinical implications of the freeze response

How the EMDR Approach Works

The neuroscience of exposure therapy and cognitive therapy The neuroscience of relaxation exercises

EMDR and other "transformative therapies" Why EMDR works so well from a brain perspective

Trauma Symptoms and Assessment Tools

Traumatic memories and intrusive thoughts Phobias and anxiety: Insula hyperactivation Emotional hijackings and implicit memory Avoidance cluster of symptoms

Why treating avoidance in trauma is critical DSM-5® symptoms in a nutshell

Connecting to a diagnosis

Simple vs. complex trauma Intergenerational trauma

Symptom clusters and physical manifestations

CAPS-5 and PCL-5

Primary Care PTSD Screen

Dual diagnosis

Overcome Avoidance with EMDR

Dual awareness

What you are thinking about is the network you're in

Activate networks for change

Neurons that fire together, wire together (Hebb's Rule)

EMDR as neuroentrainment

When to Use EMDR in Treatment

Demonstrations and experiential exercises Single event trauma

Anxiety disorders involving imaginal exposure

EMDR Trauma Treatment: The Original 8-Phase Model

Client history and treatment planning How to resource: Create a safe space

Assessment: Choose a target, SUDS, connect with the image/emotions/thought

Desensitization: Tactile vs. auditory vs. eye movement

How to use touchpoints, Theratapper, CDs Positive Cognition Installation: Likert scale 1-7 Body Scan: Locate tension and distress in the

Closure: Close the neural network and the 6-hour window

Re-evaluation

Demonstration of Original 8-Phase Model

Presenter demonstration

Attendee dyad practice of the 8-phase model

EMDR Techniques to Resolve Traumatic

Modifications for Complex/Developmental Trauma Do not use standard protocol - Rationale for modifications

Resourcing strategies

Techniques to reinforce and activate positive neural networks

Relevance of Polyvagal Theory, early trauma, and EMDR

Sensory motor modifications and somatic approaches

How to build Dual Awareness

EMDR techniques to bring traumatic memories from the limbic system into the prefrontal cortex

Attachment-Based EMDR: Strategies to Treat Relational Trauma

Strategies to foster the critical connection between client and therapist

Mirror neuron activation

How to emphasize safety during sessions Guidance on order of operations

Research Limitations and Potential Risks

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Intended Audience

This seminar is intended for masters- and doctoral-level clinicians experienced in working with trauma.

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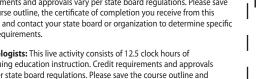
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