

Outline

Mindfulness and the Clinician:

“Know What You Teach” and “Teach What You Know”

Empirical support for improved symptomology and well-being
The latest research on therapists who practice mindfulness
Your mindfulness practice and how you can embody mindfulness
Situations that may contraindicate applying mindfulness in session
Research limitations

Mindfulness Psychoeducation Approaches:

Easy to Use Strategies to Enhance Motivation in Therapy

Mindfulness vocabulary
Visuals and metaphors to explain mindfulness
Motivate clients with neuroplasticity

Deepen the Therapeutic Relationship:

Build Presence, Trust and Empathetic Connection with Clients

Overcoming barriers
Affect regulation techniques for therapist and client
Strategies to create empathetic connection
Exercises to build clients trust in themselves

Teach Mindfulness to Clients:

Formal and Informal Mindfulness Practices

Tips for teaching clients about the senses and awareness
Strategies to shift from “Automatic Pilot”
Skill building interventions to increase responsiveness & reduce reactivity
Strategies to cultivate attunement
Approaches for deepened experience of mindfulness
Brief and other informal practices
How to adapt practices to special populations

Group Therapy vs. Individual Sessions

Effectiveness of group vs. individual mindfulness
How to set up and conduct a mindfulness group

- Screening for individual goodness of fit
- Encouraging client buy-in and commitment to practice

Mindfulness interventions specifically designed for groups

Anxiety and Stress:

Mindfulness Interventions to Relax the Body and Mind

Breathing practices that break the rumination cycle
Guided visualizations to lower the stress response
Movement strategies

Multi-sensory regulation techniques
Mindfully reduce the intensity of panic attacks

Mindfulness for Trauma:

Disempower Intrusive Thoughts

Muscle tension releasing – exercises to counter fight or flight
Guided meditations to disempower intrusive thoughts
Grounding exercises and sample scripts

Using Mindfulness in Depression Treatment

Recognize self-criticism and respond with self-love
Manage negative self-talk with awareness of thoughts
Meditations to boost well-being

Mindfulness for Addictions: Break the Habit Loop

Awareness vs. autopilot -- relapse prevention
Mindfulness for triggers
Emotional regulation for cravings

Mindful Anger: Breathing and Self-Soothing Techniques

Breathe through anger
Distraction and grounding techniques
Self-soothe with calming words and imagery

Mindfulness, Diversity, & Cultural Humility

Adapt mindfulness experiences with cultural sensitivity
Assess appropriateness of mindfulness interventions for individuals
Negotiate the treatment plan

Mindfully Conquer Compassion Fatigue

Right here/right now – stay in the moment to reduce anxieties
Effective and healthy ways to manage your emotions
Change limiting stories about caring for yourself
Release the negative – 3 steps to countering negativity bias

Learning Objectives can be viewed at pesi.com/webcast/84642

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8:00 Program begins

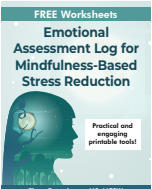
11:50-1:00 Lunch Break

4:00 Program ends

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Dr. Debra Alvis is a clinical psychologist and expert on mindfulness who developed the Mind/Body Program at the University of Georgia. Dr. Alvis lectures and leads retreats around the world and **her trainings have helped thousands of clinicians to integrate the richness of Mindfulness into therapy for greater clinical effectiveness.**

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Meet Your Speaker

Debra Premashakti Alvis, Ph.D., a licensed psychologist, developed the Mind/Body Program at the University of Georgia providing clinician training on the integration of mindfulness and contemplative practices into psychotherapy. Her work as a professor at the University of Georgia included the supervision of doctoral students and co-leading a research team investigating mindfulness.

In addition to teaching, Dr. Alvis maintains a private practice and has more than 25 years of clinical experience in treating clients with a variety of conditions by combining mindfulness principles, body-oriented principles and traditional psychotherapeutic approaches. She also has an over 30-year personal contemplative practice.

Speaker Disclosure:

Financial: Debra Alvis is in private practice. Dr. Alvis receives a speaking honorarium from PESI, Inc.

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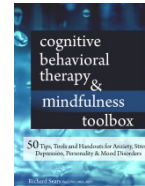


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