

Multi-Family Psycho-education Groups Implementation

Dr. William MacFarlane has developed a model for multi-family education groups that has become an Evidence Based Practice at both the national and state level in Michigan. Through the efforts of the Michigan Department of Community Health and Michigan Association of Community Mental Health Boards, Dr. MacFarlane is offering extensive training in our state in 2006 and 2007. This is not a replacement for those trainings, but is an overview of his model.

This one day workshop is designed for Administrators, Clinical Program Directors and Clinical Supervisors to learn about the model, the positive results from implementing the model, the attributes of staff who are most successful in implementing this, and what issues the organization needs to be prepared to address as they look to implement this model at the local level.

This course is designed to be both an introduction to, and preparation for, implementing the multi-family education groups in your agency.

Course Objectives:

Participants who complete this course will be able to:

1. list 4 strategies for implementing the model
2. list 5 necessary resources for implementing the model
3. practice these skills during the workshop.
4. develop a plan for bringing new skills into their planning for implementation

Continuing Education Credits for Social Work Licensing:

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Social Workers completing this course will receive 6 continuing education credits.

Evaluation:

There will be an opportunity for the participants to complete an evaluation of the course and the instructor. Depending on the requirements of the hosting organization, there may be a short post-test of the material at the end of the seminar.

Problems with this Workshop: If you have any issues with the way in which this training was conducted or other problems, you may note that on your evaluation of the training, you may talk directly to instructor, or you may contact us through our webpage (www.Kantu.org) for resolution.

Learning Materials:

The instructor will supply handouts of the PowerPoint presentation used in this course. Lecture and discussion will be the main learning activities, along with the use extensive of small group activities.

Assignments:

Participants are expected to actively engage in dialogue with the instructor and other participants during interactive segments of the course.