

Intervention Strategies for Dementia in Persons with Serious Mental Illness and Other Disorders

Presenter:

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Community Mental Health Association of Michigan & Michigan Department of Health and Human Services

Training Dates and Locations:

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May 21, 2019

Lincoln Behavioral Health Services – 9315 Telegraph Rd, Redford Charter Township, MI 48239

Fee: \$35/person

Registration includes breakfast, lunch, afternoon snack and materials

Training is intended for: All Michigan CMHSP workers and providers, including ACT teams. This training is appropriate for social work practice levels of beginning, intermediate, and/or advanced. This is an “MDHHS approved ACT Specific training”.

Training Description:

Dementia among persons with mental illness and other disorders, including changes in cognition, functioning and behavior as the emphasis for determining practical non-pharmacological intervention strategies that address the effects of brain changes on cognition, behaviors, and affect. Suggested interventions will adapt communication, the environment, the task, and schedule of daily routines in a way that is individualized to the person, specific disorder (e.g., the type of dementia), severity of disorder, and situation.

Training Objectives:

1. Review effects of brain changes in dementia on cognition, functioning, and behaviors
2. Review interventions effective with three types of dementia: Alzheimer's disease (AD), Dementia with Lewy Bodies (DLB), Frontotemporal Dementia (FTD)
3. Describe communication strategies presented in seminar
4. Describe environmental interventions presented in seminar
5. Identify visuospatial interventions presented in seminar
6. Identify four factors to address with interventions

Training Agenda:

8:30 AM	-	Registration & Breakfast
9:00 – 10:00 AM	-	Dementia with Mental Illness & Other Disorders: A Review: Brain changes and their effects on cognition, function and behavior
10:00 – 10:30 AM	-	Type of Dementia & Implications for Non-pharmacological Intervention: A Review: Interventions for Alzheimer's Disease, Dementia with Lewy Bodies, Frontotemporal dementia
10:30 – 10:45 AM	-	Morning Refreshment Break
10:45 – 11:45 AM	-	Assessment & Intervention: Four factors to address with interventions & implications for AD, DLB. And FTD
11:45 AM – 12:45 PM	-	Lunch
12:45 – 1:15 PM	-	Assessment & Intervention Continued: Visuospatial interventions
1:15 – 2:15 PM	-	Environmental Interventions
2:15 – 2:30 PM	-	Afternoon Break
2:30 – 3:30 PM	-	Interpersonal Interventions: Communication strategies
3:30 – 4:00 PM	-	Summary and conclusions: Wrap Up and Evaluations
4:00 PM	-	Conclusion of Training

Presenter Biography:

Shelly has specialized in geriatric cognition and dementia since 1973. As consultant for a variety of academic, long-term care, and mental health settings internationally, nationally and locally in Michigan and Northwest Ohio, she advises administration and staff regarding cognitive impairment intervention and program planning and conducts staff training and environmental evaluations. She was formerly the Director of the Alzheimer's Education and Research Program at Eastern Michigan University and the Dementia Specialist at the University of Michigan Turner Geriatric Clinic.

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