

CULTIVATING CURIOSITY AND MOTIVATION: CORNERSTONES OF CHANGE BEHAVIOR IN TRI-OCCURRING RECOVERY

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1:00 PM - 2:00 PM EST

SPEAKERS

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Curiosity is something that we are all born with and is foundational to our cognitive development. As we develop from infants to adolescents to adults, however, our curiosity, or our intrinsic desire to know and understand, is subverted by multiple forces. This presentation will address the macro- and micro-level ways in which stymied curiosity results in an environment lacking in motivation to change, as well as examine mental-health treatment for “tri-occurring” recovery. Speakers will discuss their own work with clients who are seeking recovery from tri-occurring challenges as well as the ways in which they cultivate curiosity as essential motivation toward change.

AGENDA

1:00 - 2:00 Presentation and discussion

COST

Although this course is being offered free of charge, registration is required. Attendees, however, may cancel their registration at any time.

CONTINUING-EDUCATION CREDIT

This course provides one (1) continuing-education credit. Participants must attend the entire course and complete a course evaluation in order to receive credit. A certificate certifying continuing-education credit will be emailed three weeks after completion of the course.

COURSE DELIVERY

This course will be an interactive live webinar presented via Zoom. Register [HERE](#)

TARGET AUDIENCE

This is a beginning-level course designed for recent graduates (B.S.W. or M.S.W.) or individuals who have recently changed fields of practice.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Identify and describe curiosity as a neurobiological drive innate to all of us.
- Explain how investigation and knowledge deprivation promotes curiosity.
- Establish marginalization, dehumanization and authority as agents that interfere with curiosity in humans within the context of persons wanting to recover from addictive processes and other psychiatric disorders.
- Describe how clinicians promote curiosity in themselves and in their clients as a way to bolster motivation while managing the uncertainties prevalent in the recovery process.

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