
**Systems Transformation Learning Series: Uncovering Elements of Success – Working
with Co-occurring Disorders with Recovery Support Programs**
July 11, 2014 with Michael Johnson
Evaluation Summary Report

34 evaluations received

Demographics

- Average years in current field: 8.7
- Professional Occupation:
 - Parent: 0.0% (n=0)
 - Social Worker: 66.7% (n=22)
 - Nurse: 0.0% (n=0)
 - Psychiatrist: 0.0% (n=0)
 - Counselor: 9.1% (n=3)
 - Physician: 0.0% (n=0)
 - Psychologist: 6.1% (n=2)
 - Peer Support Specialist: 3.0% (n=1)
 - Administration: 6.1% (n=2)
 - Other: 9.1% (n=3)
 - E.g. ACT, probation officer, wraparound facilitator

Presentation Assessment

Table 1 - Presenter Evaluation

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
1. The presenter demonstrated mastery of the subject matter. (n=34)	97.1%	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
2. The learning goals and objectives were clearly stated. (n=32)	84.4%	9.4%	3.1%	3.1%	0.0%
3. The presentation was well organized. (n=34)	82.4%	14.7%	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%
4. The visual aids were useful. (n=34)	61.8%	29.4%	8.8%	0.0%	0.0%
5. The presenter used an effective method/style of presentation. (n=33)	90.9%	9.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
6. The learning goals and objectives were met. (n=31)	90.3%	9.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

7. The presenter(s) were responsive to the participants' questions and comments. (n=34)	88.2%	11.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
8. The information presented was easy to follow and understand. (n=34)	94.1%	5.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
9. The training will assist me in improving service to my target population. (n=34)	85.3%	11.8%	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%

Narrative

The following responses are from a variety of participants; administrators, community members, consumers, family members, peer support specialists and professionals.

Overall, the training received positive feedback from participants. When asked what they found to be the most helpful about the conference, many of the participants responded that they liked the entire training and thought all of it was helpful. Other responses included: authentic process therapy; not using labels; spirituality is a position for recovery; assist the consumer to change their cognitive behavior/motivation; how to not diagnose on sight alone; self-care; the powerpoint presentation; the entire presentation was well-rounded.

Information provided that was cited as being the least helpful included: interruptions and input from the audience was distracting; the story about the prostitute.

Participants responded that they would use the information provided to: share the information from the training with peers; assist consumers and staff to consider a different approach as a training tool; assist in understanding consumers' behaviors; be less presumptuous; counseling sessions; treatment planning; mentoring; realize my strengths and weaknesses.

Other training topics suggested by participants included: co-occurring; dual diagnosis; co-morbidity; holistic methods vs. prescription medications; DD population; ethics and pain management; cultural sensitivity; homelessness and mental illness; addicts in prison.