

Motivational Interviewing for Native Healing and Resilience



1-hour synchronous distance learning webinar!

This workshop explores the integration of Indigenous centered, trauma-informed training principles with Motivational Interviewing (MI) through a decolonial lens. Grounded in the presenter's lived experience as a lineal descendant of the Yakama Nation (present-day central Washington State, USA), the session invites participants to implement and grow in strategies for fostering trust and working with communities particularly impacted by trauma rooted in colonization, displacement, and systemic oppression. We will explore impacts of historical and intergenerational trauma across Indigenous and colonized communities globally, including the roles of unresolved grief, cultural disruption, and ambivalence. We will also look at MI centered practices for fostering trust, collaboration, and psychological safety while actively working to avoid re-traumatization in intergroup clinical experiences with people most impacted by global colonization.

Course Objectives

1. List 3 impacts of historical and intergenerational trauma across Indigenous and colonized communities.
2. List 3 MI practices for fostering trust, collaboration, and psychological safety.

Course Outline

- Introduction
- Analyze the impacts of historical and intergenerational trauma
- practices for fostering trust, collaboration, and psychological safety
- Q&A

Course Level

This course is for therapists and helping professionals at the beginner through advanced level.

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Instructor

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I am mixed Indigenous Yakama Native - a sovereign Native American Tribe and Nation in Washington State in the US. I am a licensed clinical social worker, professor and creative facilitator with a focus on Motivational Interviewing, CPTSD, substance use, and anti-colonial behavioral health with youth and families. I have been a Motivational Interviewing trainer since 2009 with a focus on MI skill building that is trauma informed and centered in an Indigenous worldview.

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- You will register by providing your name and email, and will be emailed your confirmation and reminders for the live webinar. Registration deadlines for the live webinar can be found on the website.
- Captions are available during the live webinar and the recording will be sent to everyone who registers.

Continuing Education Information

We do not provide partial Continuing Education credit for this live webinar. Participants must attend the 1 hour of synchronous distance learning. Following live event attendance and completion of End of Course evaluation, participants will receive an email with their downloadable 1 hr CE certificate within 48 business hours.

Course Fee: \$0 for live attendance

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