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Mindful Meditation: An Introduction, Research, and Planning Guide

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During this presentation, participants will be introduced to mindful meditation, the research supporting mindfulness with various groups and criticism of mindful meditation. Additionally, participants will learn how to create a 6-week mindful meditation group. Concepts will be explicated through lecture, discussion, and experiential exercises. The presentation will also provide in-depth examples and research on the application of mindfulness meditations to benefit people in recovery. Participants will leave the presentation with numerous ideas for different types of mindfulness meditation groups appropriate for a variety of practice settings.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

Based on the presentation, the participants will be able to:

- Design a mindfulness group using activities they learned about and engaged in during this presentation
- Identify at least three mindfulness resources for clients and clinicians, and evaluate for which clients these resources would be appropriate
- Describe mindfulness to people in recovery
- Describe mindfulness to people in recovery and of various SES and racial backgrounds

SUGGESTED READINGS

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ABOUT THE PRESENTER

Lisa Corbin, PhD, LPC, NCC has worked in higher education for over 22 years. She has a BA in Psychology and a BA in Sociology from SUNY Oneonta. She also has a master's degree in Educational Administration with a concentration in Higher Education from the University at Albany and a Master's degree in Clinical Mental Health Counseling from Walden University. She recently earned her PhD in Counselor Education and Supervision (CACREP accredited) from Walden University in 2021. Lisa currently serves as the Director of Counseling programs at PCOM where she taught for two years. Lisa was as an adjunct professor for over 13 years as well as served in

various student affairs roles at different institutions. She currently provides therapeutic services to people in recovery at an inpatient facility in Northeast Philadelphia. Her specialties are trauma, grief, and mindfulness. Lisa also completed a doctoral internship at the Network of Victims Assistance (NOVA) in which she served as a state certified rape crisis counselor. Lisa has presented both locally and nationally on mindfulness including on how to use mindfulness with people in recovery, how mindfulness meditations help victims of trauma become survivors, and how mindfulness can be a coping skill for people who are grieving a traumatic loss.

Target Audience: Doctoral Level Psychologists and Other Mental Health Professionals Level of Instruction: Intermediate Number of CE Credits Offered: 2 Credits Cost: \$30

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