

Understanding and Effectively Responding to Clients with Borderline, Antisocial and Narcissistic Personality Disorders

7 August 2007 – Rendezvous Hotel (Melbourne)
13 August 2007 – Crowne Plaza Darling Harbour (Sydney)
14 August 2007 – Holiday Inn (Brisbane)

Early Bird closes 13/7/07

Workshop Overview

Regardless of clinical specialty, caseloads invariably include clients with personality disorders. These clients can be challenging when their diagnoses are known; working with them when their disorders go undetected is even more challenging and frustrating.

This workshop offers you practical strategies to assess and work more effectively with antisocial, borderline and narcissistic personality disorders. Learn how to deal with manipulative behaviours and how to set limits with your clients.

The learning outcomes would be;

- Identify the characteristics and behaviours of antisocial, borderline, and narcissistic personality disorders
- Understand the treatment implications for working with these clients
- Learn practical techniques to use when working with personality disordered people
- Recognize and address “manipulative” behaviours
- Identify “traps” to avoid when working with this clientele
- Learn how to “survive” emotionally as a clinician

MORNING WORKSHOP AGENDA

8.30am – 9.00am Registration and Morning Coffee

9:00am – 10:30am

- Introduction to personality and personality disorders
- Understanding the perspective of those with personality disorders
- Strategies for assessing personality disorders

10:30am – 11:00am Morning Tea

11:00am-12:45pm

Borderline Personality Disorder

- Characteristics of the disorder
- Strategies for intervention and management

Antisocial Personality Disorder and Psychopathy

- Characteristics of the disorder
- Strategies for intervention and management

12:45pm – 1:30pm Lunch

AFTERNOON WORKSHOP AGENDA

1:30pm-3:00pm

- **Antisocial Personality Disorder, cont'd**
- **Narcissistic Personality Disorder**
 - Characteristics of the disorder
 - Strategies for intervention and management

3:00pm-3:20pm Afternoon Tea

3:20pm – 5:00pm

- Clinician and team well-being
- Supervisory models
- Discussion and questions

By the end of the course, participants will have learned;

After this one-day training, participants should be able to;

- 1) discuss the definition of personality disorder, including identifying patterns of thoughts, emotions, and behaviours in functioning
- 2) explain the DSM-IV-TR diagnoses of these three personality disorders
- 3) identify the role of brain vs. learned behaviours in the more severely disordered behaviours
- 4) identify the common life histories and the roles of trauma and attachment in the development of these personality disorders
- 5) discuss the connection between these personality disorders and manipulation, self-abuse, dramatic interactions, and violent behaviour
- 6) discuss accepted treatments, limits, and outcomes of this population
- 7) discuss the role of workers' responses to people with these disorders in exacerbating their dysfunctional behaviour
- 8) practice effective personal and professional responses to such clients.

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Personality Disorders 2007

About Your Workshop Leader

James R. P. Ogloff, BA, MA (Clin. Psych.), JD, Ph.D., FAPS is a registered psychologist and Fellow of the Canadian, American, and Australian psychological societies. He is the Foundation Professor of Clinical Forensic Psychology at Monash University and Director of the Centre for Forensic Behavioural Science. He is also Director of Psychological Services at the Victorian Institute of Forensic Mental Health (Forensicare). He has worked in the field of clinical and forensic psychology in a variety of settings, including jails, prisons, forensic psychiatric clinic and hospitals, since 1984. Professor Ogloff has given invited addresses or workshops in Australia, Canada, New Zealand, the United States, the UK, Europe, Asia and the Middle East. Professor Ogloff is the Chair of the College of Forensic Psychologists of the Australian Psychological Association. He is the President-Elect of the Australian and New Zealand Association of Psychiatry, Psychology and Law. He is a Past-President of the Canadian Psychological Association and a Past-President of the American Psychology-Law Society. Professor Ogloff has published 12 books more than 160 scholarly articles and book chapters. He is the Editor of the International Journal of Forensic Mental Health.

Who Should Attend?

This workshop is designed for psychologists, social workers, psychiatrists, psychiatric nurses, mental health counsellors, graduate students, and other mental health professionals who are interested in learning more about Personality Disorders.

****Application for CPD points has been made to the Australian Psychological Society. This application is currently under review****

REGISTRATION DETAILS

YES, PLEASE REGISTER ME! (Please tick relevant box)

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**** Group Discounts Apply. Contact us for details!**

Registration Fees

\$499- Early Bird (prior to 13/7/07)

\$599- Standard (Post Early Bird)

\$399- Interstate Flat Fee (No Early Bird Applies)

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VENUE DETAILS - Full venue information will be provided in your Confirmation of Registration Letter.

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