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Cognitive Remediation and Spotlight on the Thinking Skills for Work Program Newsletter

A new Recovery & Rehabilitation Newsletter has been written about Cognitive Remediation with a Spotlight on the Thinking Skills for Work Program. This issue discusses the concepts of cognitive remediation, and it highlights one program that uses cognitive remediation, called Thinking Skills for Work. You may view this newsletter at:

https://cpr.bu.edu/resources/newsletter/cognitive-remediation

Toolkit for Recovery Promoting Competencies For Mental Health/Rehabilitation Providers

Are you a provider or organization serving individuals with mental health conditions? If you are, then the Toolkit is a useful resource with easy-to-use materials that supports your recovery-oriented practice!

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Special Issue of the Psychiatric Rehabilitation Journal on Cognitive Remediation

The papers comprising this special issue make important contributions to the cognitive remediation field by testing the efficacy of cognitive programs on unique symptom targets of serious mental illness, evaluating novel cognitive program enhancements, demonstrating the feasibility and promise of incorporating cognitive programs into everyday practice, and engaging new populations into cognitive programs. Together, these papers show that cognitive remediation is an important and increasingly common component of comprehensive psychiatric rehabilitation programs that can increase the effectiveness of these programs at helping participants make progress toward and achieve their personal goals.

The Psychiatric Rehabilitation Journal Special Issue on Cognitive Remediation is available at:

http://psycnet.apa.org/index.cfm?fa=browsePA.volumes&jcode=pri

National Alternatives Conference

Boston, August 18-21, 2017.

The national Alternatives Conference offers life-changing opportunities to those in the mental health peer-recovery movement. It helps mental health consumer/survivors make valuable connections, develop leadership skills, provide and receive peer support, and share expertise and resources.

For information go to: https://cpr.bu.edu/resources/conference-board

PRA: 40th Annual Wellness and Recovery Summit

Hosted at the Hyatt Regency in Atlanta, June 24-26, 2017 (with preconference activities beginning Friday, June 23, 2017), sponsored by the Psychiatric Rehabilitation Association, the Academy of Psychiatric Rehabilitation and Recovery, and the Psychiatric Rehabilitation Association Georgia chapter.

For information go to: https://cpr.bu.edu/resources/conference-board

LinkedIn Group: Employing People with Psychiatric Disabilities

If you are a person in recovery, employer, or supporter of people with psychiatric disabilities, we invite you to join the Center's new LinkedIn group. For more information, or to join, please visit <u>our LinkedIn page</u>.

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