

The RESPECT Seminar

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The RESPECT Seminar is designed to train psychiatric professionals in the fundamentals of caring for persons with psychiatric challenges. To date, the RESPECT Seminar has been presented to over 106,000 persons in 40 countries and it is used by the leadership of psychiatric agencies to promote healing and recovery.

The RESPECT Seminar offers unique insights into the mental illness, the treatment, and the recovery experience. The seminar introduces a functional definition of respect and provides real life experiences that emphasize the impact that respect, or disrespect, has on a person recovering from a psychiatric disability. Additionally, the RESPECT Seminar emphasizes the dynamic relationship between the service provider and the consumer and illustrates critical experiences that lead to empowering relationships and healing, or conversely, to disrespect and prolonged pain.

Presented in a very personal manner, the RESPECT Seminar is upbeat, insightful, emotional and optimistic, but is poignant in recounting the mental illness and treatment experiences of the speaker.