

# EMDR Therapy and the Treatment of Substance and Behavioral Addictions

**Live Webinar**

**7/16 & 7/17/20**

**Sponsored by: Mountainside Treatment Center**

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Interested in addressing Addictions and Behavioral Addictions with EMDR and getting lost in a maze of Feeling States, DeTURs and stabilization barriers? Need some direction? No worries, I've been down those roads and created a step by step, phase by phase, treatment map that I want to share it with you!

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*Using demonstration, case presentation, lecture, video clips, and practicum this workshop explores the use of EMDR in the treatment of substance dependence and other compulsive behaviors—specifically, with clients who are not yet abstinent. This treatment focused workshop teaches you how to stabilize clients and desensitize addiction memory networks without triggering increased substance use or relapse.*

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**Presented by Hope Payson LCSW, LADC**

Hope Payson, LCSW, LADC is a licensed clinical social worker, alcohol and drug counselor and an EMDRIA Approved Consultant who specializes in the treatment of addiction and trauma. She has over 20 years of experience working in community mental health in the following capacities: director of a supportive housing program for domestic violence survivors, coordinator of an assertive community treatment team and originator of a homeless outreach program that included on-site assessment, treatment placement and long term follow up for clients with histories of addiction and trauma. She was the Clinical Director for EMDR HAP for seven years and remains an active HAP volunteer. She currently coordinates a group private practice in Winsted, Ct. She provides EMDR consultations to clinicians working in private and community settings.

## **Training integrated into EMDR Phases of Treatment**

- Phase 1--Learn history and case conceptualization concerns unique to Clients with histories of addictions.

- Phase 2--Increase your knowledge of stabilization techniques used with persons with addictions. Grow more confidence about your ability to address the needs of non-abstinent Clients.
- Phase 3-8--Learn how to desensitize the urges, cravings, and feeling states that trigger self-defeating behaviors. Increase your ability to create solid target sequence plans that will help your Clients create lives worth staying abstinent for.

***Goals and Objectives, participants will be able to:***

- Articulate how trauma symptoms increase vulnerability to addiction.
- Explain the basic findings of the ACE (Adverse Childhood Experience) Study.
- Identify history taking questions that can be used to assess readiness for trauma processing.
- Describe how to use motivational interviewing techniques in the history taking Phase of EMDR therapy.
- Identify the common resourcing needs of persons with histories of complex trauma and addiction.
- Identify at least 2 addiction specific stabilization options to use in Phase 2 of EMDR therapy.
- Describe the steps involved in addressing and desensitizing cravings, urges and triggers related to substance/behavioral addictions.
- Define the term: maladaptive positive feeling state.
- Identify how to address the maladaptive “positive” feelings, body sensations or irrational cognitions linked to addictions.
- Describe when addressing underlying trauma using Standard Protocol EMDR would be appropriate.
- Discern when the use of Addiction Protocols would be appropriate.
- Identify treatment planning options, and common NC/PC's.
- Apply EMDR therapy to address common treatment barriers.

**Program Timeline and Content**

Day One

8:30-10:00 AM - Intro of Presenters and brief survey of knowledge base of audience. Introduction to the use of EMDR with addiction and the connection between trauma and addiction—citing research in this area. Discussion about using EMDR to address active addiction versus waiting for abstinence.

10:00-10:30 How to take a trauma/addiction sensitive client history and assess for stage of change and common risk factors. Lecture and video clips.

10:30-10:45 Break

10:45-12:00 History continued. Practicum—History taking and motivational interviewing questions.

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-1:30 Review of phase 2 protocols and preparation phase and the use of A.J. Popky’s “Positive Treatment Goal”, addiction specific resources, and the use of future template to build access to healthier coping skills. Video, demonstration, and practicum.

1:30-2:30 Practicum—Resource Enhancement and Positive Treatment goal

2:30-2:45 Break

2:45-4:00 Desensitizing triggers, urges and cravings. A.J. Popky's DeTUR protocol and other protocols that address these components of addiction memory. Lecture and video clips.  
4:00-4:30 Review—questions and answers

#### Day Two

8:30-9:30 Practicum-Desensitizing urges, cravings and triggers  
10:30-10:45 Introduction to how to identify "Maladaptive Positive Feeling States", Miller's Feeling State Protocol and Knipe's Level of Positive Affect Protocol  
10:30-10:45 Break  
10:45-12:00 How to desensitize "Maladaptive Positive Feeling States". Lecture and video clips.  
12:00-1:00 Lunch  
1:00-2:00 Practicum—Desensitizing "Maladaptive Positive Feeling States".  
2:15 2:30 The use of the Standard EMDR Protocol to address common treatment barriers.  
2:30-2:45 Break  
2:30-3:00 Treatment "flow chart"—presentation about treatment planning considerations.  
3-3:15 Break  
3:15-4:00 Sculpture Group Demonstration—reviewing "treatment map" or choices when working with addictions.  
4:00-4:30 "Floating forward" to Monday—consultation/questions about using concepts presented in the training with clients in the future.

All taught step-by-step with videos, demonstration and practicum

LEAVE THIS FAST PACED, TWO DAY WORKSHOP WITH A NEW SENSE OF DIRECTION.

INTERESTED? HERE'S MORE INFORMATION:

**DATE AND TIME: 7/16 & 7/17/20 9:00-4:30**

**LOCATION: LIVE WEBINAR**

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A mental health counseling license and full EMDR training by an EMDRIA approved organization

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Level of EMDR training, training organization, location and date of training—**YOU MUST be EMDR Basic training, by an EMDRIA approved organization to attend.**

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We will confirm with you via email and send you location details. Questions?  
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