Continuing Education Offering

Transference Focused Psychotherapy (TFP) Foundational Training: Narcissistic Personality Disorder (NPD)

Held on: April 27-29, 2017
Location: Waltham Woods Conference Center, Waltham, MA
Tuition fee: $950 for Part II
Provided by: Borderline Personality Disorder Training Institute, McLean Hospital
CME Credits: 18.0
Course Director: Lois W. Choi-Kain, MD, MEd
Faculty: Frank Yeomans, MD, PhD; Diana Diamond, PhD; Richard Hersh, MD
Prerequisites: None
Registration: http://tinyurl.com/TFPPart2

Course Description

This 3-day course offers training in an empirically validated treatment approach Transference Focused Psychotherapy (TFP). Transference-Focused Psychotherapy (TFP) is a state-of-the-art, evidence-based treatment for patients with personality disorders (PD). While derived from psychoanalytic tradition, TFP has important modifications making it of use to psychotherapists today working with patients with significant personality pathology.

TFP offers psychotherapists an overarching approach to patients with severe PD symptoms including, but not limited to, patients with borderline personality disorder and narcissistic personality disorder. The goals of this workshop include: 1) Introduction to TFP as an individual psychotherapy for patients with personality disorder symptoms, and 2) Introduction to TFP principles of use to clinicians in a variety of treatment settings who may not be offering an extended individual psychotherapy, but nevertheless want assistance in the challenges of treating patients with moderate to severe personality disorder symptoms. TFP Part 1, in October of 2016, focused on setting a foundation of TFP knowledge and its use for treating borderline personality disorder. This course, TFP Part 2, will focus on narcissistic personality disorder.

Target Audience

Physicians, psychologists, psychiatric nurses, social workers and other licensed mental health counselors.

Educational Objectives

At the conclusion of this workshop, participants will be able to understand:

1. the strategies, tactics and techniques of effective psychodynamic psychotherapy for borderline and narcissistic personality disorders
2. how to identify object relations as they are enacted in the therapy
3. the awareness and use of countertransference with borderline and narcissistic patients
Agenda

Day 1
8:30-10:00am: A review of the TFP treatment model
10:00-10:15: Break
10:15-11:45: Examples of the mid-phase of treatment
11:45-12:45: Lunch
12:45-2:15: The late phase and termination
2:15-2:30: Break
2:30-4:00: Review of an entire case

Day 2
8:30-10:00am: The challenge of narcissism: description of NPD and levels of NPD
10:00-10:15: Break
10:15-11:45: The underlying structure of NPD: the grandiose self
11:45-12:45: Lunch
12:45-2:15: Modifications of treatment techniques for NPD
2:15-2:30: Break
2:30-4:00: Antisocial Personality Disorder

Day 3
8:30-10:00: Treatment complications
10:00-10:15 Break
10:15-11:45: Video of session with affect storm
11:45-12:45: Lunch
12:45-2:15: The advanced phase of therapy: what it feels like
2:15-2:30: Break
2:30-4:00: Discussion of clinical cases and vignettes
Questions and comments; thoughts about moving forward

Faculty Information

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