



Australian College of
Applied Psychology

Topic: Psychological Formulation –24 June, 2011

Psychological formulation is a core activity resulting from psychological assessment, providing an explanation of the client's problems and implying what might be done by the psychologist. A psychological formulation establishes mutual understanding and establishes a basis for developing therapeutic intervention. It serves as a benchmark, guide and point of reference as treatment progresses.

Participants will refine their skills, drawing upon a thorough assessment process and referring to psychological theory, research and evidence. Participants will consider biological, psychological, social and ecological influences, and summarise and integrate knowledge and information to provide a coherent framework for describing the person. The six P's of psychological formulation and other models will be practised. Participants will refine skills for utilising a psychological formulation to provide clients with a rationale for interventions that accounts for their perspective and to assist multidisciplinary communication. Participants are encouraged to bring one or two de-identified case studies that can be utilised to practice psychological formulation.

About the Presenter:

Dr Ronnie Zuessman is Clinical Associate Professor of Psychological Science at the Australian College of Applied Psychology. He is an Authorised Supervisor and Registered as a Clinical & Forensic Psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia, in private practice in the Sydney CBD. He is a Member of the Australian Psychological Society, the College of Clinical Psychologists, and College of Forensic Psychologists.

APS Endorsed Activity
CPD Hours: 7 hours

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Enrolments

Enrolment numbers are limited. Enrolment will be on a first come, first serve basis. **Workshop Fee:** \$275.00

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Cancellation & Refund Policy

Any cancellation of attendance must be made in writing and received by The School of Psychological Sciences no later than 5 working days prior to the workshop starting date. A refund of 80% of any payment will be refunded. Cancellations less than 5 working days will not receive a refund.

Venue location

All workshops will be held at The Australian College of Applied Psychology
Level 5, Wynyard Green,
11 York Street
Sydney, NSW

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Registration

The registration desk will be open at 8:00 a.m.
Training sessions begin at 9:00 a.m. and conclude
at 5:00 p.m. daily.

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