

INNOVATIVE TEACHING AND TRAINING PACKAGES

In order to fulfil the requirements of the South African Council for Social Service Professions regulations for social work education and training, it is imperative that new and innovative models of teaching practices are developed and delivered. The same challenges faces the private/corporate sector i.e. the need to deliver training packages that are focussed not only on their employees training needs but also within the corporation as a whole (including the commitment to provide financial support in developing grassroots training to disempowered and marginalised communities). Allister is able to draw on his 20 years of international teaching and training experience in supporting your organisation in reviewing your existing training methods and support your staff in developing and delivering models of training practice which are cutting edge, challenging, relevant, and with the goal of developing a workforce and student graduates who have an underpinning in inter and multi-professional working practices, as well as a clear set of independent practitioner skills. (read more: Scholarship and Research – International Conference presentations AND Social Work Teaching Practices

Services:

Dr Allister Butler has provided health and social care teaching and training in various settings, namely: Secondary Education (High Schools), Further Education, NGO's and CBO's, Higher Education (Universities and Colleges), and the Private and Voluntary sector, amongst others. This has involved developing/writing teaching and training modules and packages, delivering these sessions, as well as assessing and evaluating trainees outcomes and overall quality of delivery. These training packages have been delivered in an interactive, didactic, engaging and multi-media manner. The following list provides an indication of areas of teaching and training specialisations.

- Human Behaviour in the Social Environment
- Policy into Practice
- Service user and carer involvement
- Community Development and Social Action
- Applied Social Work Studies
- Loss and Bereavement
- Practice Education
- HIV and AIDS
- Human Sexuality
- Organisational Systems and Management
- Supervision and Management
- Work Based Training and Assessment
- Team Building and Leadership Skills
- Project Management
- Evidence Based Practise
- Building Research Capacity
- Programme Evaluation
- Methods of Enquiry
- Research Methods

- Assessment, Planning, Intervention and Review
- Introduction to Social Work Practice
- Groups Process and Dynamics
- Models and Theories of Intervention
- Communication and Interviewing Skills
- Social Work and the Law
- Principles of Social Work
- Values and Ethics
- Anti oppressive practice
- International Social Work Practice
- Gay and lesbian issues
- Homophobia
- Social Work, Oppression and Inequalities
- Adolescent mental health
- Young Carers
- Psycho-Social Aspects of Health and Social Care
- Sex education
- Children and Families
- Child Protection
- Domestic Violence
- Adult Protection
- Health and Safety
- Complementary Therapies
- Sociological Perspectives of Health and Social Care
- Health and Psychology
- Socio-Economic Aspects of Health and Social Care
- Lifespan Development
- Workforce development

Details:

Venues: Sessions held at client's venue
Times: Scheduled to suit client's availability
Fees: Hourly, daily and retainer rates

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