Record Nr. UNINA9910298084203321 Autore **Berking Matthias** Titolo Affect Regulation Training: A Practitioners' Manual / / by Matthias Berking, Brian Whitley New York, NY:,: Springer New York:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2014 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-4939-1022-1 Edizione [1st ed. 2014.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (241 p.) 150 Disciplina Soggetti Clinical psychology Psychotherapy Counseling Experiential research Clinical Psychology Psychotherapy and Counseling Psychology Research Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references at the end of each chapters and index. Nota di contenuto Emotion Regulation and Mental Health -- ART Development Model of Emotion Regulation Deficits -- Use of affect regulation training as a psychological intervention -- Guidelines for effective delivery of affect regulation training -- Training format and logistics -- ART module one- introduction and psychoeducation -- ART module two- muscle and breathing relaxation -- Module three- psychoeducation part II (The importance of regular practice) -- Module four - nonjudgemental awareness -- Module five- acceptance and tolerance -- Module sixcompassionate self-support -- Module seven- analyzing emotions --

Sommario/riassunto

No one is immune to intense emotions--and whether we accept them and how we regulate them can mean the difference between mental health or illness. The critical role of these complex emotional skills in

efficacy findings, and future opportunities -- closing words.

Module eight- modifying emotions -- Module nine- Additional practice using ART skill #6 (Analyzing Emotions) & ART Skill #7 (modifying emotions) with common challenging emotions -- Program evaluation.

human well-being is at the core of Affect Regulation Training (ART), which is gaining ground as both a preventive method and an adjunct to other therapies. Affect Regulation Training combines a step-by-step manual for conducting ART with patients with an extensive review of how and why the method works. Introductory chapters analyze the relationship between deficits in emotion regulation and mental dysfunction, explain the theory behind the ART model, and offer practical ideas for optimizing treatment. The manual identifies component skills of ART such as nonjudgmental awareness and compassionate self-support, pinpoints situations in which the skills are beneficial, and provides exercises employing them individually and in combination. An evaluation section features empirical findings and feedback from therapists and clients. Included in the coverage: Emotion regulation: definition and relevance for mental health. Guidelines for effective delivery of ART. Linking ART skills to build successful interventions. Creating goals that result in effective self-management. Recommended education and training for therapists. PLUS a complete ART manual with target skills, delivery modules, and recommended intervention sequences. The richness and flexibility of the ART program makes Affect Regulation Training an important addition to the toolkits of psychologists, psychiatrists, marriage and family therapists, and clinical counselors and social workers, as well as practitioners and administrators in fields such as substance abuse, public mental health, education, medicine, military health, and the justice system.