

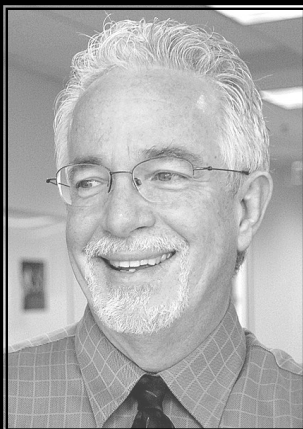


***Illuminating Relevant Clinical Issues
& Networking with Colleagues***

**RECOVERY-ORIENTED MENTAL HEALTH CARE:
THE NEW BBS REQUIREMENTS FOR MFT STUDENTS**

Recovery-oriented mental health care is becoming a key part of the psychotherapy professions and an important approach for you to learn about for your future career. The changes to the MFT curriculum that begin next year will contain a heavy emphasis on the recovery model, an approach that emphasizes recovery as a deeply personal process of hope and empowerment that is also strongly connected to the individual's community and social context. Public mental health in California has incorporated many recovery-oriented principles since Prop. 63 (California Mental Health Services Act) was approved by voters in 2004. Join us at the next Clinical Connections for a look at how recovery-oriented mental health care could impact your career.

Friday, April 1, 2011
7:00-9:00 PM, 3rd Floor, Room 324/326
Networking Begins at 8:30 PM
Pepperdine University - Irvine Graduate Campus



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If you are unlicensed, you may be able to get hours towards licensure with your clinical supervisor's approval! This is a FREE event!

Please RSVP to Kathleen Wenger at psyprofdev@pepperdine.edu.

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