

## **Motivational Interviewing Training**

Motivational interviewing is a conversation style that is useful for clients that present with ambivalence around behaviour change. Sometimes clients tell us their goal is to do or be something different, yet their behaviour stays the same (e.g., alcohol misuse, drug misuse, diet, exercise, procrastination). A motivational interviewing approach avoids argument, resistance or defensiveness and can be integrated into your current style of having conversations with clients.

Day 1: Introduction to MI – Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Day 2: Intermediate MI – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Cost: \$220 + GST per day

Time: 9.30am to 4.00pm both daysResource materials supplied

Morning and afternoon tea provided

• Attend one or both days

**Trainer:** Mike Goulding

Venue: ABACUS offices, 8 Pompallier Terrace, Ponsonby, Auckland 1011

**DAPAANZ** points are applicable for **DAPAANZ** members (15 points per day)

"This training is fantastic for working with clients who say they want their lives to be better, yet are stuck..."

"I now have the tools to work with resistance rather than against resistance..."

## Mike Goulding

Registered Psychiatric Nurse, Educator, Counsellor & Supervisor. M.HSc (Otago), RPN, PG Dip HSc, CCPC, Cert Addictions

Mike originally a trained psychiatric nurse, has counselled, managed and trained in addictions since 1985. With interests in clinical supervision, stopping violence and de-escalation issues, and motivational interviewing, he has applied these to his work with practitioners and in training situations.

RSVP by: 12<sup>th</sup> March 2021 Keryn ph 09-360-6957 office@acts.co.nz

Registration: \$220 +GST per day

Please email Keryn at office@acts.co.nz with your name, organisation (if applicable), email address and phone number plus details of where an invoice can be forwarded. Please await confirmation of your registration, as participant numbers are limited.

## **Cancellation and amendment fees:**

For less than 7 days' notice no refund is given.