



**Sunshine Coast
Health Center**
Powell River, BC

Sunshine Coast Recovery News

Your Partner in Recovery

Summer 2009

Clinical Training

Sunshine Coast Health Center recognizes that the treatment of chemical dependency requires an integrated approach, which addresses other mental health issues and includes 'process' addictions, such as sex and gambling. Over the next few months, Sunshine Coast will be hosting 2 on-site training events designed to strengthen the trauma and sex addiction treatment component of our clinical program.

TRAUMA WORKSHOP

Sunshine Coast Health Center is pleased to sponsor Rick Bradshaw, Ph.D., for a 2-day One Eye Integration (OEI) training July 2 & 3, 2009. OEI is a neurologically based series of trauma integration techniques to reduce and resolve the impact of trauma. OEI can be used on its own or in conjunction with other procedures, such as Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing (EMDR) practice. It has been successfully used with couples work, therapy with children, and trauma survivors, as well as with adults, who are unable to make difficult decisions or discontinue destructive habits such as addiction.



Rick Bradshaw, Ph.D.



Dr. Bradshaw received his Ph.D. from Michigan State University. Until 1998 he had been employed for 10 years as the Senior Psychologist & Director of Training in the Counselling Service of Simon Fraser University. He left SFU to work for three years as a consulting psychologist with Wilson Banwell Corporate Health Consultants. He left to join the Counselling Psychology Department at Trinity Western University in Langley, B.C. as Associate Professor of Counselling Psychology where he teaches graduate studies and supervises research projects.

More information on One Eye Integration Therapy can be found by visiting www.oneeyeintegration.com and www.sightpsych.com

SEX ADDICTION WORKSHOP

Sunshine Coast Health Center is pleased to announce a sex addiction workshop with guest presenter Robert Weiss LCSW, CSAT, Director of the Sexual Recovery Institute in Los Angeles, California. This 2-day workshop will be held at the Renewal Center on the Sunshine Coast Health Center campus on September 17 & 18, 2009.



Robert Weiss

A UCLA clinical social work graduate, Mr. Weiss did his post-graduate training in sexual addiction and sexual offending under the direction of Dr. Patrick Carnes. Mr. Weiss is a former board member of the National Council for Sexual Addiction and Compulsivity and has presented for the UCLA Neuro-Psychiatric Institute, the American Association of Sex Educators and Therapists, the National Association of Social Work, the NIH (National Institutes of Health) and the US Military among many others. He provides clinical training and program development for numerous multi-addiction treatment centers, including Gentle Path, Life Healing Center, and Sierra Tucson.

For more information on Robert Weiss visit www.sexualrecovery.com.

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