## Dare To Use the **9** Word in Treatment

Therapeutic Benefits of **S**piritual Assessments in Treatment May 24, 2017

Areas of spirituality can include theological, philosophical, religious, and psychological attitudes & practices toward living and dying, pain and suffering, divine and human relationships. One hallmark of a spiritual approach to life is the human desire to attribute meaning and purpose to life experiences. Interventions initiated from a spiritual perspective can be effective in client/patient growth and recovery from illness and distress.

## Objectives:

- 1. Appreciate the diversity of cultural and spiritual backgrounds when employing a treatment approach.
- 2. Recognize the power of symbols and rituals to express meaning in ways that words cannot articulate
- 3. Validate how the spiritual life is a powerful resource equal to all other client resources available for healing and growth.
- 4. Enhance methods to assess spiritual resources—while establishing a language for the spiritual realm of treatment
- 5. Assess client/patient sources of inspiration, motivation, and capacity to transform suffering into growth

## \*\*THIS WORKSHOP HAS BEEN APPROVED FOR CEUs by

the Board of Examiners in Counseling\*\*

Little Rock, Arkansas
Time: 1:30-4:30 May 24
Workshop Fee: \$50
3 Hours CEUs offered

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