

Dr. Deborah Hill, PHD.

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Accredited EMDR Practitioner and professional counsellor offering trauma and crisis counselling services to survivors of critical events. Adept at establishing a trust rapport with clients, helping people to cope with tragic situations as well as life-changing events such as **road traffic accidents (RTAs)**. Specialist in **PTSD**, working with children, adolescents, adults, couples, families and groups. Experienced at debriefing following tragic work-related incidents, as well as major incidents.

CORE QUALIFICATIONS

- Masters Degree, Regent's College, Psychotherapy & Counselling,
 2004
- BACP Accredited, 2005, (562653)
- Relate-accredited relationship counsellor, 2005
- Diploma, Cognitive Behavioural Hypnotherapy, 2008
- Accredited EMDR Practitioner to level III, EMDR UK & Ireland, 2009
- Supervision Qualification, Metanoia Institute, 2010
- Stress Management Consultant, Dip.SMC, 2011
- Ph.D. in Modern Languages and Psycholinguistics, 1983

EXPERIENCE

2005 - Present, UK Counsellor

- Extensive experience working in private practice at my two clinics
- in South London (London Bridge) and East London (South Woodford)
- Extensive training and clinical experience in Cognitive Behavioural Therapy and EMDR, working with anxiety, depression, grief and bereavement (Cruise trained), as well as pain management.
- Extensive training (Oxford Cognitive Therapy Centre/OCTC), as well as clinical experience, working with traumatised children (including use of art therapy)

 Workshops delivered at various organisations on Stress Management, Working with Trauma, and Mindfulness

2005 - Present, Adjunct Faculty

 Courses taught at The American University in London and The Foundation for International Education (FIE) have included psycholinguistics, 1x year Introduction to Counselling, Psychoanalysis, and Social Psychology

Memberships

- British Association for Counselling and Psychotherapy (BACP)
- British Association for Behavioural and Cognitive Psychotherapy (BABCP)
- EMDR UK & Ireland
- American Psychology Association, International Member

CORE COUNSELLING SKILLS

- Compassionate and sensitive listener
- Excellent communication and organisational skills
- Skilled at establishing rapport in difficult circumstances
- Skilled at stress/anxiety management and reduction