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PSYCHOLOGICAL THERAPIES I SEM III Unit-1

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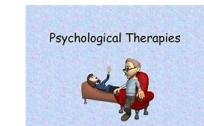


INTERVENTION

Meaning -

•the action of becoming intentionally involved in a difficult situation, in order to improve it or prevent it from getting worse





PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERVENTION

Meaning -

- •Any set of strategies that are used to change behaviors, emotions, or cognitions
- •The treatment of mental illness or related issues based on **psychological** theory. **Psychological intervention**s can form part of comprehensive rehabilitation program. These **intervention**s may include stress management **intervention**s etc.



Psychological Therapies



PSYCHOTHERAPY

Meaning -

- Literal meaning healing the mind or soul
- •In broader sense to heal by the psychological methods that are applied by suitable trained and qualified practitioners.





PSYCHOTHERAPY cntd...

- Interpersonal, relational intervention by trained therapists to aid in life problems
- •Employs range of techniques based on relationship building, dialogue, communication and behavior change designed to improve the mental health of individual client or group



Psychological Therapies

Goals of therapy

- Dealing with severe mental disorders
- Addressing specific anxieties, phobias
- Helping people to find meaning and purpose in life
- increase sense of well-being, reduce discomfort



Psychological Therapies

Who seeks therapy...and why?

- Children: behavioral, school, family issues
- •Adolescents: as above and issues of separation and peer relationships
- •Young adults: all of the above plus career issues
- Mature adults: all of above plus issues of changing relationships, family alignments, health, work and social status
- •Older adults: all of above plus end of life issues to deal with death anxiety etc







Therapist & Client

- Therapist refers to provider of therapy service to the client
- •Client refers to the recipient of therapeutic services whether inside or outside medical settings.





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