Online Data Supplement for Mental Health Clinicians' Motivation to Invest in Training: Results from a Practice-Based Research Network Survey

Motivators

Motivator (I am motivated to attend if)	Mean	SD
I thought the training was a good fit for the clients I see	3.75	.46
Intervention being taught could benefit my clients	3.62	.61
I received continuing education credits	3.59	.59
Skills being taught would apply to a lot of my current clients	3.58	.58
Training was aimed at advanced clinicians with high levels of skill	3.23	.72
Training matched my own therapy style or orientation	3.16	.70
Skills being taught were new and different to me	3.15	.69
Training allowed me to expand my skills to a new client population	3.07	.78
Training provided coaching or supervision from an experienced therapist	2.97	.90
Training helped set me apart from other therapists	2.76	.87
Training would make me more marketable for future jobs	2.63	.96
Skills being taught were easy to learn	2.47	.86
Training enhanced my ability to get more clients	2.38	.95
Training was available over the Internet	2.22	1.01
Training would position me well at my agency	2.20	.99
I was paid to attend the training	2.20	1.07
It would allow me to receive more money for my services	2.00	.94
Training was aimed at beginning clinicians	1.55	.66

Note. (1= "Very unlike me" and 4= "Very much like me")

Percentage of respondents who endorsed the following deal breakers

Deal Breaker (I would not attend if)	% Listed
Didn't think the training was a good fit for the kinds of clients that I see	61.95
Didn't think the skills or intervention being taught would benefit my clients	61.32
Training was aimed at beginning clinicians	53.14
Skills being taught would not apply to many of my current clients	44.65
Continuing education credits were not available	43.08
Skills or intervention being taught required me to purchase new equipment	28.30
Training was only provided over the internet	25.79
Training involved coaching or supervision over the internet	24.21
Training involved following a treatment manual session by session	23.27
Skills or intervention being taught would not be valued at my agency	22.34
Could not bill for providing the intervention in which I would be trained	20.13
Training did not match my own therapy style or orientation	19.81
Training involved taping or being observed by another clinician	15.72
Training required me to purchase a treatment manual	13.84
Training could only be completed by taking time off from work	7.86
Skills or intervention being taught would be difficult for me to learn	6.60
Training involved being coached or supervised by another clinician	6.29
Training did not allow me to charge or receive more money for my services	5.97
Training did not enhance my ability to get more clients	5.35
Had to pay in order to attend the training	5.03
Skills taught were very new and different than what I have already been trained in	1.89
Training was aimed at advanced clinicians	.31