



HEARING VOICES GROUP FACILITATION TRAINING

TUESDAYS 25TH FEB, 4TH, 11TH & 18TH MARCH @ 10.30-4.30PM
COCKPIT ARTS, NORTHINGTON ST, HOLBORN, LONDON, WC1N

DEVELOP & SUSTAIN A HEARING VOICES GROUP IN YOUR SETTING

ABOUT HEARING VOICES GROUPS

Since their inception in the late 80s, Hearing Voices Groups have become an established and valuable source of support for people who hear voices, see visions or have other unusual sensory perceptions. They provide a safe space for people to share their experiences and find ways of making sense of, and living with, them.

There are over 180 Hearing Voices Groups in the UK, in a range of settings - including charities, user/survivor-led groups, prisons, inpatient units, CAMHS, Early Intervention Services, Forensic settings and community mental health teams.

Hearing Voices Networks can be found in over 26 countries across 5 continents (including Uganda, USA, Denmark, Malaysia, Japan and Australia).

ABOUT THIS COURSE

This 4 day training course equips you with the knowledge, skills and confidence to either set up a new Hearing Voices Group or co-facilitate an existing one.

It includes:

- Exploring diverse understandings of voices, visions & 'psychosis'
- Coping strategies and pathways to recovery
- Rethinking power & empowerment
- Planning, launching & establishing safe and effective Hearing Voices Groups
- Practical group facilitation skills and problem solving
- Hearing Voices Network ethos

This course is suitable for anyone thinking of setting up or facilitating a Hearing Voices Group, including: People with lived experience of voices or visions, support workers, psychologists, OTs, social workers, therapists, nurses etc.

COURSE FEES:

- £300 (Full - Statutory & Commercial)
- £200 (Reduced - inc charities & voluntary sector)
- FREE (People with lived experience of voices or visions)

TO BOOK YOUR PLACE:

Return an application form to:

London Hearing Voices Project
Mind in Camden, Barnes House
9-15 Camden Road, London, NW1 9LQ

E: LHVN@mindincamden.org.uk

T: 020 7911 0822

ABOUT THE PROJECT

Mind in Camden's London Hearing Voices Project has a wealth of experience in developing peer support groups & initiatives, including:

London Hearing Voices Network:

A network of over 40 groups across Greater London.

Voice Collective: Supporting children & young people who hear, see or sense things others don't

Prison Project: Establishing a network of groups in London's prisons.

Paranoia & Beliefs Project:

Establishing a network of peer support groups for people struggling with paranoia or unusual beliefs.

SPRING 2014: APPLICATION

CONTACT DETAILS

Name: Phone:

Address:

Role: Organisation:

Email:

APPLICATION DETAILS

Please tick the statement(s) that apply to you:

<input type="checkbox"/>	I am interested in co-facilitating an existing Hearing Voices Group	<input type="checkbox"/>	I am interested in setting up a new Hearing Voices Group
<input type="checkbox"/>	I have personal experience of hearing voices/seeing visions	<input type="checkbox"/>	I am interested in improving my skills/ understanding but have no current plans to set up a Hearing Voices Group
<input type="checkbox"/>	I can attend all four days of the course (25/2, 4/3, 11/3 & 18/3)	<input type="checkbox"/>	

SUPPORTING STATEMENT Please tell us why you're interested in this course and what you hope to do with it. We prioritise applicants with clear plans to set up or facilitate a group.

COURSE FEE & INVOICING

<input type="checkbox"/>	Personal experience of voices or visions FREE	<input type="checkbox"/>	Reduced Fee (inc charities) £200	<input type="checkbox"/>	Full Fee (NHS, Statutory & Commercial) £300
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INVOICE DETAILS: (If you require an invoice, please include the name, address, email & phone number of the person receiving this invoice. If your organisation uses purchase orders, please include the ref no.):

Payment, Cancellation & Refunds: To secure your place on the course, we must receive payment within 14 days of sending out the invoice. For places booked within 14 days of course date, we require payment via cheque at the application stage. All cancellations received less than 2 weeks before the course are subject to a fee (25% - 2-3 weeks notice, 50% 1-2 weeks notice, 100% 0-1 weeks notice). We are happy to accept substitutions should you be unable to attend.