



JST INSTITUTE

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Training & education in brief collaborative and narrative practices
for professionals, communities & organizations

Learn narrative practices for achieving rapid change with people!

Learn skills you can apply to your work immediately!

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CERTIFICATE COURSE

Brief Narrative Therapy:

A 5-Day Intensive Course

(30 hours of comprehensive study of Narrative Practices - Earn 30 CEU's)

Brief, Single-Session, Walk-in or Longer Term Environments

August 26, Sept 22-23, Oct 20-21, 2017

This **Boutique Style 5-day intensive training program** will provide a comprehensive exploration of the guiding assumptions and principles that inform both brief and narrative practices. There will be an emphasis on skill building and how to use the various frameworks, maps and invitational questions that can be taken into therapeutic conversations in **brief, single session, walk-in, or longer-term therapeutic environments**.

The course has been designed for both hardworking beginners and advanced practitioners.

This is a small group interactive training experience, which will be engaging and energizing. Presentation of innovative theoretical concepts, recorded examples, skill building exercises, and a comprehensive training workbook will be used to provide you with a rich training experience in narrative practices. **There will be an emphasis on “hands on” (practice- practice-practice) skill development and the integration of these skills within your own practice.**

This 5-day intensive course will be pertinent to counselors, therapists, psychologists, social workers, child protection workers, chaplains and anyone working with people to create rapid and constructive change.

Regular Rate: \$975.00 / Early Bird Rate: \$835.00 (until July 26, 2017) / Student Rate: \$600.00

Groups of 5 or more receive an additional 10% discount

Venue: JST INSTITUTE, 20 Legas Drive, Galveston, TX 77551

For a comprehensive course description and to register, go to www.jstinstitute.com

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JST INSTITUTE is an approved provider of CEUs for Social Workers (Texas States Board of Social Work Examiners), Professional Counselors (Texas State Board of Examiner of Professional Counselors) and Marriage & Family Therapists (Texas Board of Examiners of Marriage and Family Therapists).



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Co-author of policy paper Duvall, J., Young, K, Kays-Burden, A, (2012) *No more, no less: Brief Mental Health Services for Children and Youth* and *Innovations in Narrative Therapy: Connecting Practice, Training and Research*.

Jim is the Co-Director of JST INSTITUTE and Editor of *Journal of Systemic Therapies*. He brings over 35 years of experience as a therapist, trainer, consultant, researcher and author studying the philosophy, theory, and practices of brief and narrative therapies. He has authored numerous articles, book chapters, books and a policy paper.

Jim teaches and consults with organizations internationally throughout the US, Canada, Australia and Asia about how to integrate collaborative and narrative practices with socially just practices in order to create accessible and ethical services for people. Jim is noted for his approachable and interactive teaching style.