Supervision training

QC4 Supervisor

This two-day workshop takes learners through the practical application of the core supervisor competencies based on international best practice principles for the training of supervisors.

The core supervision practice competencies include:
- managing the supervisory process
- developing and maintaining the supervisory alliance
- fostering reflection on practice
- providing effective feedback, and
- evaluation.

The workshop introduces several tools that have been shown to be highly supportive of supervision practices for both the supervisee and supervisor.

Note: this course is a pre-requisite for those wishing to completed QC12 Supervising Supervisors

Anticipated learning outcomes:
- identify cultural and practice considerations that affect suitability to provide supervision
- recognise the impact of culture and difference on supervision
- develop a Supervisory Working Alliance (SWA), including identifying tasks and goals for supervision
- apply the Three functions, Seven-eyed Process and SWA models to guide supervision practices
- apply reflective techniques that enhance practice capabilities in supervision
- use effective skills in providing confirmatory, observational and corrective feedback to supervisees
- distinguish when to use summative and formative supervision evaluation
- identify areas of strength and improvement in supervision using the Generic Supervision Assessment Tool (GSAT).

When to attend training
- This workshop is suitable for all practitioners regardless of professional orientation, area of specialisation and service delivery mode.
- As soon as practical when commencing clinical supervision of staff.
- Alternatively experienced supervisors who have not completed formal supervision training aligned to Queensland Health models and/or mental health clinical service delivery should consider completing the training to ensure current practices and recommended guidelines are applied, or if they require a refresher.

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