Psychopathy Assessment and Formulation and use of the Psychopathy Checklist Revised (PCL-R)

Two-day training event
Monday 19th & Tuesday 20th November 2012
University of Manchester - 9.15-4.30 each day Fee: £395

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David Cooke is a Consultant Forensic Clinical Psychologist and former head of the Forensic Clinical Psychology service in Glasgow. He is the Professor of Forensic Clinical Psychology at Glasgow Caledonian University and a Visiting Professor in the Faculty of Psychology at the University of Bergen in Norway.

Author of over 165 scientific books, monographs, chapters and research papers. He has published extensively on the PCL-R and psychopathy. He has served on the editorial board of a number of journals including; the International Journal of Forensic Mental Health and Criminal Behavior and Mental Health, the Journal of Forensic Psychiatry and Psychology, Personality Disorder and Mental Health and Law and Human Behavior. He was an associate editor of Criminological and Legal Psychology from its inception until 2005 and a Consulting Editor for Psychological Assessment for 5 years. He was until recently an associate editor of the Journal of Personality Disorders. He has provided workshops on violence risk assessment and the assessment of psychopathy in the UK, Europe, North America, Middle East, Russia, Australia, New Zealand and the Caribbean.

He is a Fellow of the British Psychological Society and a Fellow of the Royal Society of Edinburgh: he was awarded the Senior Award for Outstanding Lifetime Contribution to Forensic Psychology from the Division of Forensic Psychology of the British Psychological Society in 2006. He is Past-President of the European Association of Psychology and Law.

Overview

Psychopathic personality disorder is a crucial risk factor for violence; it also has relevance for risk management and treatability. The Psychopathy Checklist Revised (PCL-R) is currently the best validated measure of psychopathy. The use of the PCL-R has become widespread across many agencies; it provides a standard methodology for assessing this important risk factor. Using a variety of teaching modalities didactic, interactive and practical exercises, this workshop will introduce participants to the concept of psychopathy, the PCL-R and new developments in psychopathy assessments including the CAPP. A video case will be used to allow participants to apply the PCL-R ratings and obtain feedback. The strengths and limitations of the PCL-R will be discussed.

Who should attend? This workshop will be of interest to professional staff working in mental health and social services, criminal justice system, prisons and forensic mental health services who are involved in the assessment, formulation and management of people with PD. This will include doctors, psychologists, nurses, social workers, probation officers, occupational therapists and allied professions.

Learning Objectives

By the end of the workshop participants will be able to:

- Understand the concept of psychopathy
- Highlight the main methods for assessing and formulating psychopathy
- Make the link between psychopathy & risk assessment
- Identify the strengths and weaknesses of the PCL-R
- Consider new developments in the assessment, formulation and management of psychopathic personality disorder

For more information please contact forensic.academy@manchester.ac.uk
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BOOKING FORM

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COURSE FEES: £395. All learning materials, lunch and
refreshments are included. Please note we are unable to
provide copies of the PCL-R manual as purchasers need to
complete a purchaser qualification form with the vendors. See
www.mhs.com for details.

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THE VENUE

The training event will take place in room G306b in the
Jean McFarlane Building at The University of
Manchester. Maps, directions, and parking information
can be found at the following link:
http://www.manchester.ac.uk/aboutus/travel/maps/

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