

Mindfulness-Integrated Cognitive Behaviour Therapy (MiCBT)

Manage stress and take charge of your life

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Mindfulness-integrated Cognitive Behaviour Therapy (MiCBT) is a therapy offered by qualified **MiCBT therapists** to clients suffering from mild to severe stress. MiCBT (developed by Dr Bruno Cayoun) is evidence-based and helps clients to manage serious conditions such as addiction, anxiety, depression, panic, phobia, trauma and post-traumatic stress. MiCBT also gives you skills to manage the **ordinary stresses of life that most people experience**.

Mindfulness

Mindfulness is the practice of staying in the present moment and accepting your experiences without negative or unpleasant reactions. By not being attached to or reactive to our experiences, we deal with them more effectively. We develop qualities of equanimity, compassion and kindness.

Cognitive Behaviour Therapy (CBT)

CBT, derived from Socratic questioning, is used to explore incorrect and damaging beliefs. Often wrongly held beliefs lie behind our distress. We learn how to replace them with more accurate ones. As your *Philosophical Counsellor*, I have the extra resources of *Philosophy* to aid this process.

MiCBT - what to expect

MiCBT is delivered in 8 weekly sessions. You set goals and learn **Mindfulness** and other skills. There are home activities between sessions to ensure that you progress. You receive notes and access to recorded tracks to help and guide you. Diaries of home practice are kept and you give feedback at each session. We discuss and help you with any difficulties that emerge during practice.

Client Commitment

Essential to the MiCBT's success is your commitment to attend all sessions and practice Mindfulness meditation for 30-minutes twice daily. There are also tasks to complete so that you can reach your goals. To change long-lived habits requires a daily, dedicated commitment. What you gain from the course is measured by what you put into it. I will be there to help, guide and support you.

You are changing habits of a lifetime and learning to respond more positively to life's difficulties. While I will work with you to the best of my ability to teach you effective skills, the ability to change and be successful is **Yours**. *No matter where you are at, you have the capacity within you!*

If you are experiencing distress from either a recent or a long-term problem, give **MiCBT** a try and get your life back. Being happy and positive is much better for your general health and life satisfaction than being anxious, stressed and unhappy. Get in touch with me below to find out more.

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