

## Outline

### Getting Started: How to Optimize the Early CBT Sessions

Principles of CBT – Establish roles and goals  
How to socialize your client to the CBT Session structure  
Getting your client to complete homework  
What not to do (reassurance, rabbit hole)  
Tools for goal setting  
Begin with the end in mind: Termination considerations

### Assessment and Treatment Planning: Set the Stage for Successful Treatment

Diagnosis – why it's important  
Key questions to ask at intake  
Assessment forms – where to find them  
Teach your clients to use a notebook  
Using a SUDS scale

### Anxiety and the Brain: What Every Client Needs to Know

Why this is a pivotal point of treatment  
Simple ways to teach clients about anxiety and the brain  
The role of avoidance and safety behaviors  
Medication-what is helpful and what is not

### The Art of Exposure and Response Prevention (ERP)

Help clients ride the wave of anxiety  
Create a fear hierarchy using SUD scales  
How to set up an exposure  
Strategies to handle resistance to exposure  
What NOT to do and why

### Cognitive Therapy: Change the Way Clients Think about Thinking

Empower clients to choose how to interpret their thoughts  
Utilize values clarification to motivate change  
Challenge distortions and core beliefs that get in the way of change  
The role of mindfulness in anxiety treatment

### Family Involvement: Teach Loved Ones to be a Part of the Solution

Help families learn healthier ways to talk back to anxiety  
Teach how to respond without reassuring  
Challenge loved ones to face their own fears

### Phobias and OCD: Exposure and Response Prevention in Action

Identify OCD's tricks  
Strategies for the most common phobias (heights, spiders, small spaces and more!)  
How to get comfortable with extreme exposures  
Vomit phobia, fear of harm, contamination, obsessive thoughts, sexual obsession  
Identify your own obstacles to successful ERP  
Get out of the office!  
When and how to use imaginary scripts  
Demonstrations and practice

### Panic Disorder: Interoceptive Exposure Techniques That Work

Why deep breaths aren't enough  
Practice breathing to increase CO2  
Identify the fear in panic  
How to induce symptoms of panic to build tolerance of discomfort  
Strategies for choosing a panic behavior to replicate

### Social Anxiety: Paradoxical Treatment Interventions that Get Results

Going after embarrassment  
Tools to practice mindfulness during conversations  
Build clients' "I can handle it" muscle  
Help clients improve insight about their fears  
How to remove safety behaviors in social situations

### Generalized Anxiety Disorder (GAD) and Worry: Helping Our Clients Live in the Present

Challenge the belief that "I won't be able to handle it"  
Understand worry as a compulsion  
Skills to help clients handle distressing thoughts/feelings  
Mindfulness to get out of the future and into the present  
Write worry scripts, assign time for worry, chase after worry

### Kids with Anxiety: Playing with Fear

Special considerations when working with children  
School refusal, contamination, bad thoughts, PANS/PANDAS  
Add play to your treatment plan  
Strategies for age appropriate interventions  
Teach kids to talk back to their fears  
How to handle parent resistance/therapy interference

### Termination and Relapse Prevention

Develop a client wellness plan that sticks  
Help clients identify red flags for future struggles  
Teach clients to do ongoing exposures  
Establish a plan for when to return to therapy  
Risks and limitations of the research

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## Meet Your Speakers

**Kimberly Morrow, LCSW**, is a licensed clinical social worker in private practice in Erie, Pennsylvania. Graduating from Memphis State University with a Master's in psychology and the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee with a Master's in social work, Kimberly is a compassionate therapist, an anxiety expert, and a national speaker. She has been specializing in treating people with anxiety and OCD for over 25 years and teaching other professionals how to treat anxiety for over 15 years.

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**Elizabeth DuPont Spencer, M.S.W., LCSW-C**, is a licensed clinical social worker and board approved supervisor. Trained as a cognitive behavioral therapist using exposure and response prevention for anxiety disorders, obsessive compulsive disorder and depression, she has been in private practice for 25 years, working with children, adolescents and adults. Elizabeth is a member of the International Obsessive Compulsive Foundation (IOCDF), the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) and of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America (ADAA).

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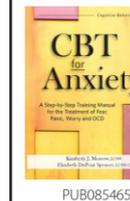
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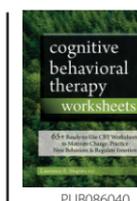
## Recommended Reading:



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