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If you did not receive your EMDR Training from the EMDR Institute, please submit proof of completion of an EMDRIA Approved Basic Training.

### Payment Information

\$US325 Postmarked by October 23, 2009  
\$US375 Thereafter

**Cancellation/Refund:** Tuition refundable up to 15 days prior to workshop date less a processing fee of \$50. \$75 processing fee thereafter.

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## EMDR AND THE TREATMENT OF WAR SURVIVORS

Eight years of war have taken a heavy toll on our country's young men and women. Over two million have served in Iraq and Afghanistan. Research indicates that many are returning with PTSD and other problems, and existing governmental treatment resources are more than saturated. In addition, there has been a rise in the number of spouses and children of these veterans who need mental health care. Returning veterans are often reluctant to make use of treatment from the VA and government systems due to fear of stigmatization or other factors. As a result, increasing numbers are turning to civilian clinicians. With an extensive body of research literature and recognition by numerous organizations, such as the US Dept of Defense and Dept of Veterans Affairs, EMDR is well suited to their needs.

It is vital that civilian clinicians be prepared to treat returning veterans, those who may be redeployed, and families who are gravely affected by their pain. This workshop provides an overview of combat-related PTSD and the kinds of experiences now being encountered by members of the armed forces. It describes methods for enhancing the utilization of the 8 phased EMDR protocol and treating combat-related trauma as well as particular areas of importance, including anger, guilt, and questions of meaning in the generation of war veterans.

**Drawing heavily on the AIP model and Dr. Silver's own experiences, the workshop uses didactic and small group exercises to introduce the information and tools needed to most effectively use EMDR with these survivors. Issues confronting clinicians are described as well as methods for effectively dealing with them. Case consultation will be provided.**

### WORKSHOP OBJECTIVES

- Apply the step-by-step adjustments of the 8 Phases of the EMDR model for war survivors.
- Develop treatment planning for veterans and their families, including for troops deploying again.
- Identify specific issues related to military culture and incorporate appropriate questioning techniques and interweaves to address impasses.
- Apply EMDR to special issues, including anger, guilt, existential crises, and in the immediate aftermath of traumatic events.

## WORKSHOP AGENDA

### Saturday & Sunday-November 7-8, 2009

8:00-8.30am	Registration/Coffee Service
8:30-5:00pm	Workshop
12:00-1:30pm	Lunch Break (Lunch on own)

## WORKSHOP LOCATION

Phoenix Inn Suites-Olympia  
415 Capitol Way N  
Olympia WA 98501  
360-570-0555

## CONTINUING EDUCATION

### 14 CE Credits

#### Attendance at entire workshop required to receive credit.

**APA:** EMDR Institute, Inc. is approved by the American Psychological Association to offer continuing education for psychologists. EMDR Institute, Inc maintains responsibility for this program and its contents.

**NBCC;** EMDR Institute, Inc is an approved provider through the National Board of Certified Counselors: NBCC Provider 5558.

**RN:** EMDR Institute, Inc is a provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider Number 9755.

**BBS:** For CA this workshop meets the qualifications for 14 hours of ce credit for MFTs and LCSWs. Approval #PCE270.

**EMDRIA:** Approval #99003-37.

## WORKSHOP REQUIREMENTS

Completion of an EMDRIA Approved Basic Training (Parts 1 & 2)

Current research is limited to the application of EMDR to trauma-related disorders

This workshop is held in facilities in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Please notify hotel & EMDR Institute if special accommodations are required.

## PRESENTER-STEVEN SILVER, PHD



Steve Silver, PhD, is a veteran of both the Marine Corps and the Army and has been heavily involved in providing psychological services and training to military clinicians since 1972. His approach emphasizes the basic humanity of the therapist which, when coupled with the client-centered approach of EMDR, provides the lifeline often desperately sought by traumatized survivors.

As a clinical psychologist and EMDR Institute Senior Trainer who has worked with combat veterans, survivors of terrorism and their families for 36 years, Dr Silver is ideally suited to bridge the gap between civilian therapists and this suffering population. In addition to co-authoring Light In the Heart of Darkness: EMDR and the Treatment of War and Terrorism Survivors, he has published numerous articles, book chapters and papers.

He has provided over five hundred workshops, seminars, and training programs for professional and community groups, including Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Centers and units of the U.S. Army and Navy. Topics include crisis intervention, critical incident responses, sex role differences, hypnosis, research, family therapy, psychological testing, post-traumatic stress disorder, differential diagnosis, and EMDR.

As the first program director for EMDR Humanitarian Assistance Programs, Dr. Silver coordinated and provided training and consultation to mental health professionals worldwide, including: Zagreb, Croatia; Sarajevo, Bosnia-Herzegovina; Belfast, Northern Ireland; Oklahoma City; Williamsport, PA (TWA800); Dhaka, Bangladesh; New York City and Washington, D.C. (9/11); Rwanda; Londonderry, Kiev, Ukraine; Budapest, Hungary; UNICEF sponsored project for Bangladesh.