### **EXPERTISE**

# LEARNING DISABILITY | DRUG ABUSE | TEEN RELATIONSHIP ISSUES | SEXUAL ABUSE

## **Trainer Profile - Imtiyaaz. B**

- Worked with Children for the last fifteen years (since 2005) as a School Psychologist/ School Counselor at various schools (day/residential - CBSE / State or Matriculation Based)
- Training and empowering teachers through regular workshops on the same group for a year or two
- First Trainer to train psychology postgraduates to become school psychologists
- Actively working on Mental Health First Aid for Children and Adolescents
- Rehabilitation Council of India Certified Learning Disability Trainer
- Rehabilitation Council of India Certified Special Educator Intellectual Disability
- One among the 32 selected from around the world to debate and formulate "School Psychology Model of Practice" at University of Nebraska at Kearney, US
- Training Postgraduates at Avinashilingam University on School Mental Health
- Member of National School Psychology Association, USA
- Founder Member of Indian School Psychology Association
- Member of American Psychology Association
- Member of International Association of School Psychology
- Founder Member of International Association of Holistic Psychology
- Member of School Psychology India

# Education

#### Formal Education

- ✓ Master of Science in Counseling & Psychotherapy, KG University, India
- ✓ Master of Science in Psychology, Madras University, India
- ✓ Master of Arts in Child Care and Education, Alagappa University, India
- ✓ Master of Social Work (Counseling), IGNOU (course completed)
- ✓ Master of Arts in Criminology & Police Administration, Bharathiyar University, India
- Bachelor of Education (Special Education –Intellectual Disabilities), Rehabilitation Council of India
- Master of Science in Psychology, (Educational and Health Psychology) Alagappa University, India
- Master of Arts in Psychology, (Clinical Psychology) IGNOU, India (course completed)
- Post Graduate Diploma in School Counselling, TNOU INDIA

- Post Graduate Diploma in School Administration, Madurai Kamaraj University, India
- ✓ Post Graduate Diploma in Guidance and Counselling, Madurai Kamaraj University, India
- ✓ Post Graduate Diploma in PARENTAL EDUCATION, Annamalai University, India
- ✓ Post Graduate Diploma in Mental Health, IGNOU, INDIA
- Diploma in Hypnotism & Hypnotherapy, College of Complementary Therapies, UK
- Diploma in Applied Hypnotic Techniques, Elestial Training UK Ltd
- Certification Course in Learning Disability from Rehabilitation Council of India

## **Continuing Education**

- ✓ Certificate in Globalization of School Psychology @ University of Nebraska Kearney, US
- Trained by Quality Council of India for School Accreditation Examiner, NABERT INDIA
- ✓ Certificate in Supporting children with difficulties in reading and writing by University of London, UCL Institute of Education & Dyslexia International
- ✓ Certificate in "ADHD: Everyday Strategies for Elementary Students" by The State University of New York
- ✓ Certificate in "Teaching Character and Creating Positive Classrooms" by Relay Graduate School of Education
- ✓ Certificate in "Assessment and Teaching of 21st Century Skills" by The University of Melbourne
- ✓ International Training on School Psychology under Professor Peter T. Farrell (University of Manchester, UK), Professor Bill Pfohl (Western Kentucky University, USA) and Coosje Griffiths (Western Australia)
- ✓ Post Graduate Diploma in Holistic Health, Apollo Hospitals Educational & Research Foundation, INDIA
- Certificate in Life Style Medicine, Harvard Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts, US
- ✓ Trained Clinical Hypnosis at MS University of Baroda
- ✓ Certificate in Positive Psychology from The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- ✓ Certificate in Psychological First Aid from Johns Hopkins University

# Informal Education

✓ PD Research in School Psychology (not yet completed) (informal)

An empirical research on the topic: "Value Based Psychological Education for Academic & Personal Development of School Children", done on 2380 school children in the age group ranging from 8 - 16 years in 3 schools to find out the effects of psychological education in the development of children and in eradicating the psychological issues pertaining to this age. Research work submitted at the end of 2009 at Intercultural University, Opiende, Netherlands (WHO approved university, working internationally in the field of allied science, management, psychological therapies and complementary medicine) and to be awarded DLit on successful assessment and evaluation of 3 years' work.

### **Awards Received**

- ✓ Awarded "Prof Viswanthan Award for the Best Paper 2010" by PPA, IAAP & InSPA
- ✓ Nominated for "Best School Psychologist Award 2008" by American School Psychology Association

## **Conferences Attended**

- √ 10th International Conference on Applied Psychology, Chennai
- ✓ International Conference of IOU, Jaipur
- Pondicherry Psychology Association 7th National Conference on Integral Education, Pondicherry
- ✓ National Seminar on Holistic Medicine, Delhi University, New Delhi
- ✓ National Level Seminar on Holistic Health, Chennai
- √ 44th World Congress On Complementary Medicine, Colombo
- ✓ International Conference on Holistic Health & Healing
- Life med Conference
- √ 11th International Conference on Applied Psychology, Jamia Islamia University, New Delhi
- ✓ International Conference on Holistic Healing, Kolkata
- ✓ World Congress on Integrated Health, Malaysia
- ✓ International Conference on CAM, New York
- ✓ International Conference on Clinical Psychology, NIMHANS, Bangalore
- ✓ Congress On Complementary Medicine, Pakistan
- ✓ Holistic Health Conference, Malaysia
- √ 45th World Congress On Complementary Medicine, Colombo
- ✓ World Congress of Integrated Medicines, Chennai
- 2th International Conference on Applied Psychology Conference, Kolkata University
- ✓ World Congress on Holistic Medicine
- ✓ HOLICON 2008, Bangalore
- ✓ Indian Academy of Social Science, Allahabad
- ✓ Jaipur Peace Conference, Jaipur
- ✓ Hypnosis Training & Conference, MS Baroda University
- ✓ First InSPA Conference, Pondicherry
- ✓ Second InSPA Conference, Jodhpur
- ✓ International Conference on School Psychology at Chennai
- Many other conferences and seminars conducted by various universities and associations

### **Papers Presented**

- ✓ Psychological Education at Schools
- ✓ School Psychology
- ✓ Sex / Adult Education
- ✓ Holistic Health & Role of Psychology
- ✓ Psychology for Teachers
- ✓ Identifying Abnormal Behaviors
- ✓ Managing Wise Child
- ✓ Developmental Psychology
- ✓ Teacher Student Coordination
- ✓ Holistic Child Development
- ✓ Psychology in making Learning Effective
- ✓ Understanding Adolescence
- ✓ Global Warming A Psychologist Perspective
- ✓ Integration of Psychological Therapies with Education
- ✓ Psychological Counseling for Children & Adolescents
- ✓ Self-Development
- ✓ Girls from 13 21
- ✓ Boys from 13 -21
- ✓ School Psychology An Indian perspective
- ✓ Academic Inability
- ✓ Future of Indian School Psychology
- ✓ Value Based Education for Girls
- ✓ Adolescents in Teachers perspective

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