

RRTC – EBP VR

Rehabilitation Research & Training Center for Evidence Based Practice in Vocational Rehabilitation

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What is the Rehabilitation Research and Training Center on Evidence-Based Practice in Vocational Rehabilitation (RRTC-EBP-VR)?

We develop evidence-based knowledge and tools for VR practitioners that will improve employment rates, and quality of employment, for people with disabilities.

Visit <u>http://research2vrpractice.org/</u> to learn more about us.

Save the Date!

May 19th and 20th at UW-Madison

"Evidence-Based Practices in Vocational Rehabilitation: Bridging the Gap between Research and Practice"

Save the date for this no-cost symposium to discuss with experts how to bridge the gap between research and practice in vocational rehabilitation. CRC continuing education credits will be available!

How Can I Use Evidence-Based Practices to Improve Employment and Quality of Employment Outcomes for My VR Consumers?

Using EBP in VR practice involves *acquiring* information, *applying* it in your practice, and *sharing* what you know with your colleagues. <u>Access information and resources</u> to integrate EBP into your VR practice!

Effective Practices Matrix from the National Technical Assistance Center on Transition's (NTACT)

NTACT, with support from the RRTC-EBP VR, recently developed a matrix of effective practices that promote positive post-school outcomes for all students with disabilities. The practices are identified by their level of evidence as either evidence-based, research-based, or promising, depending on the amount, type, and quality of research conducted. Learn about these practices and access related resources on <u>NTACT's</u> <u>website</u>.

Hope and Rehabilitation Counseling: Measuring, Building and Nurturing Goal Attainment in Clients

Often in rehabilitation counseling it may be difficult to understand why one client has successful outcomes, while another one does not. Since goals are what drive hope, and identifying and reaching goals are a key component to successful rehabilitation outcomes, understanding consumers' levels of hope is critical. Snyder's Trait Hope Scale is an effective tool to measure and understand clients' levels of hope, including those with depression. <u>Read more here...</u>

Phase II Findings: Evidence-based Best Practices in the Public Vocational Rehabilitation Program that Lead to Employment Outcomes

Findings from the RRTC's Phase II study are featured in a Special Issue of the Journal of Vocational Rehabilitation. <u>All articles are available at no cost!</u>

Technical Assistance and Training

The RRTC-EBP VR is your resource on evidence-based practices in vocational rehabilitation.

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