

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.

Evidence-Based Practices in Rehabilitation Counseling: Findings from the Field.

More than 60 rehabilitation researchers, practitioners, and academics convened at the University of Wisconsin-Madison on February 4 for a symposium to discuss findings from recent research on evidence-based practices in rehabilitation counseling.

The RRTC's symposium provided rehabilitation counselors and researchers an overview of evidence-based practices in rehabilitation counseling. Internationally-recognized scholars presented their recent research and discussed how it relates to the practice of rehabilitation counseling. Participants gained an increased awareness of ongoing research among the many stakeholders in rehabilitation counseling, as well as insight into future research directions necessary to promote the quality of life and inclusion of persons with disabilities. Presentation materials are available on the RRTC's website page. <u>Click Here</u>

RRTC-EBP VR Phase I and II Plain Language Summaries Are Now Available!

Plain language summaries from Phases I and II of the RRTC-EBP VR's research are now available. Phase I identified practices that improve employment rates, and quality of employment for people with disabilities, and identified best practices within state vocational rehabiliation agencies. Phase II developed new knowledge regarding these best practices. <u>Learn more!</u>

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. You can access the Journal at no cost at <u>IOS Press</u>.

Find additional resources related to EBP at research2vrpractice.org.

Technical Assistance and Training

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