

Beating the Stigma of Mental Illness: What Says the Dodo Bird?



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WHEN THE LEFT HAND DOESN'T KNOW WHO
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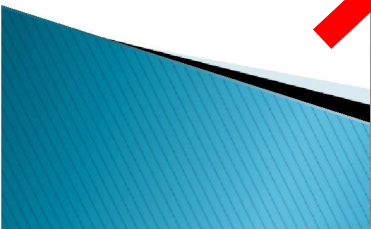
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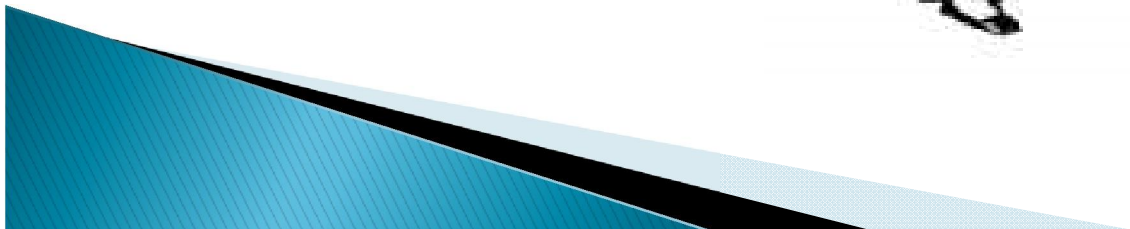
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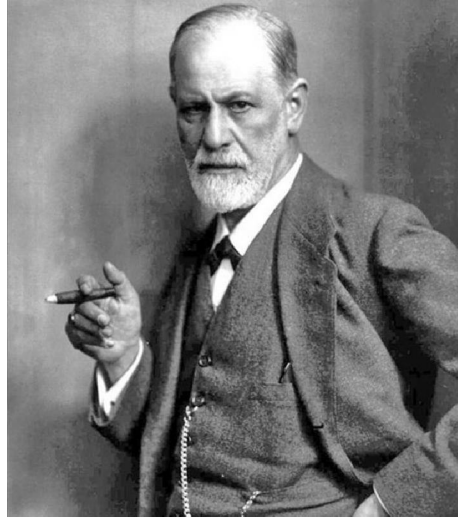


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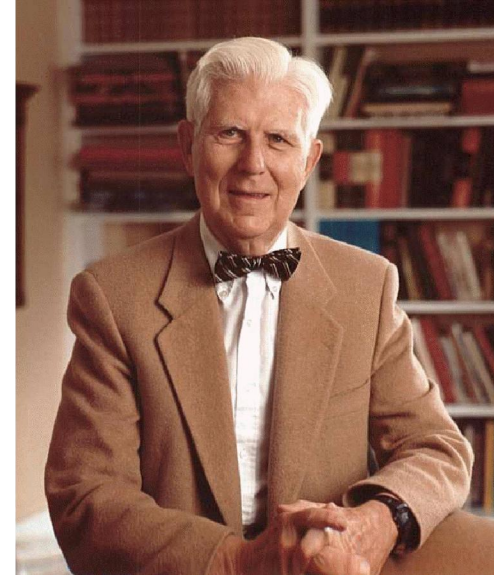
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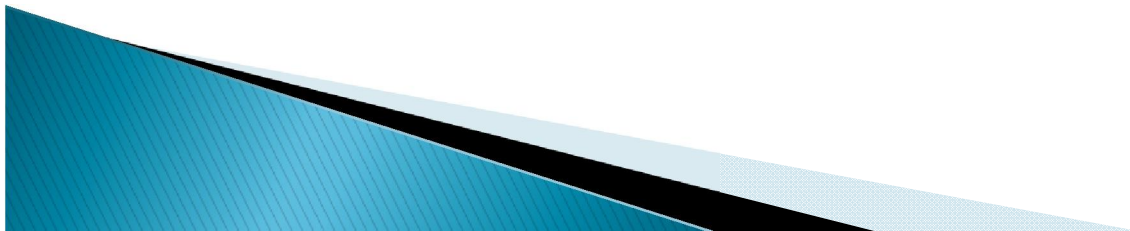
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What do we do?

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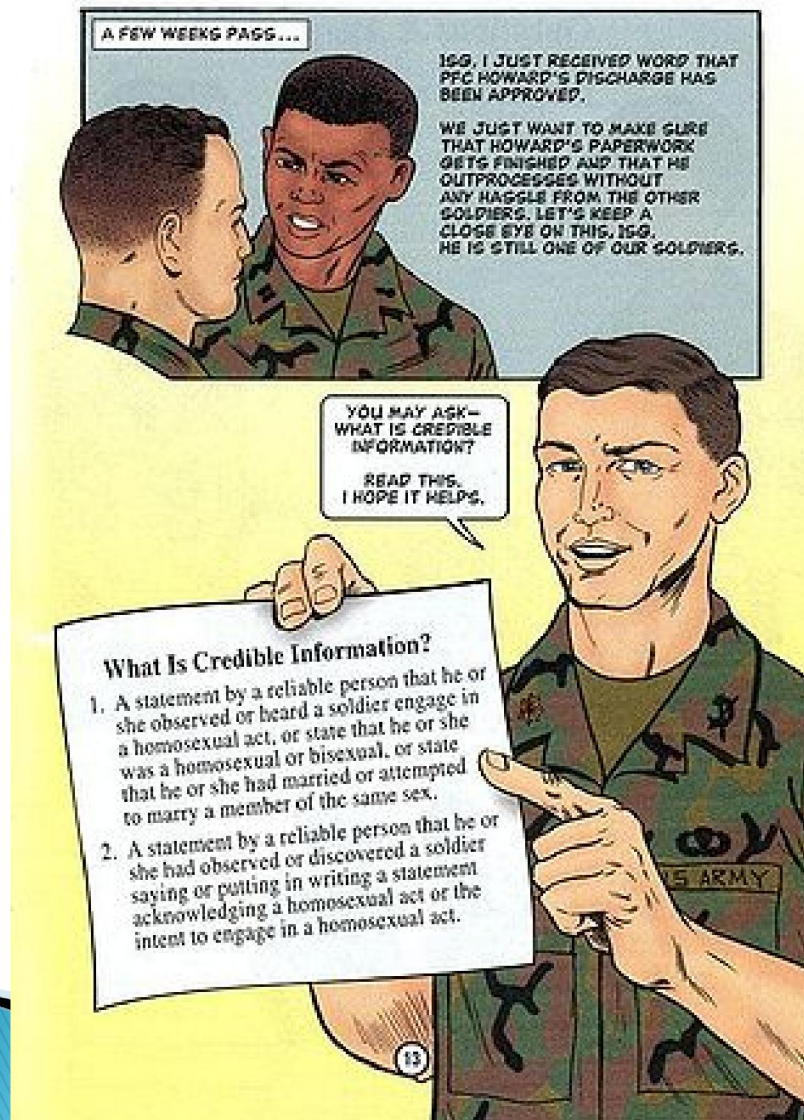
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BEAT HOMOPHOBIA



***DON'T ASK
DON'T TELL***



Pope Francis I Inaugural Mass March 19, 2013



“THE POOR!”
“THE WEAK!”

“THE LEAST IMPORTANT!”



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“THE POOR!”

“THE WEAK!”

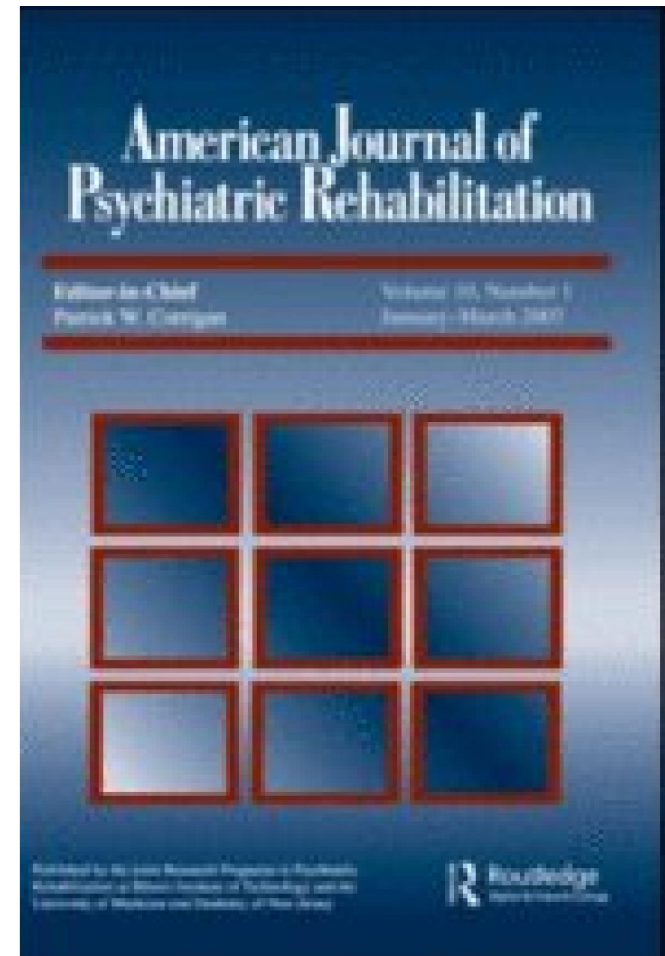
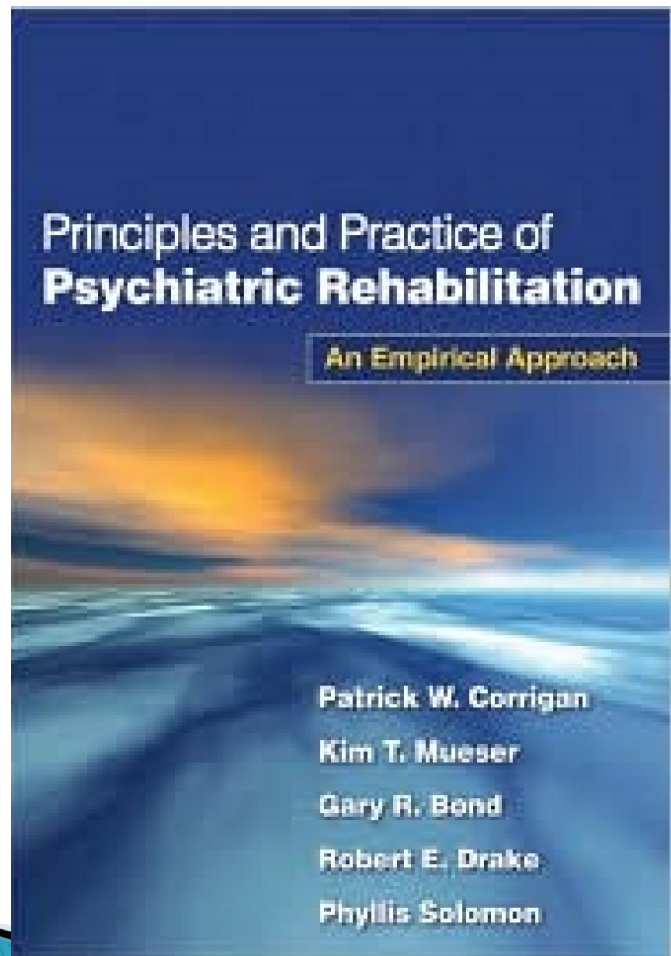
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*“Whatsoever you do to the least of my brethren,
that you do unto me!”*

John



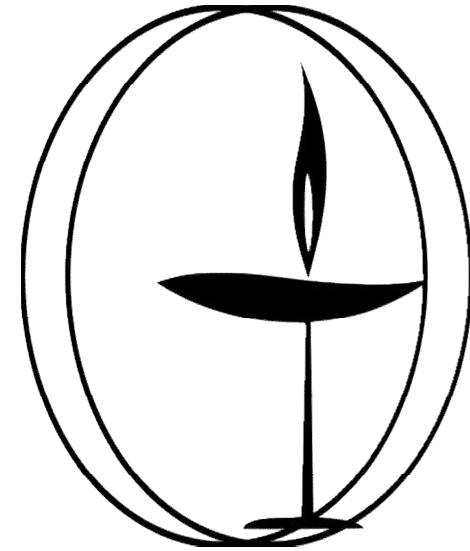
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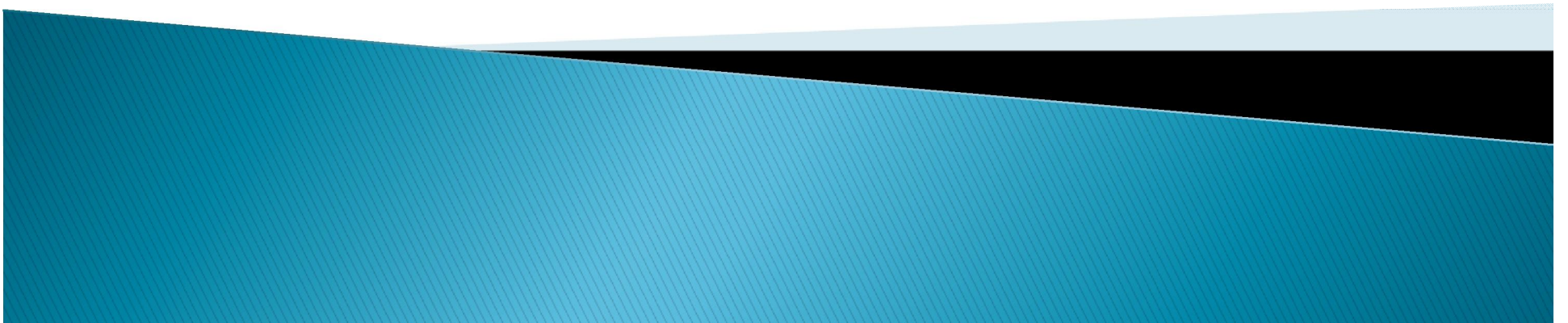
*I baptize you in the name
of the Father and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit*



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WHAT IS STIGMA?



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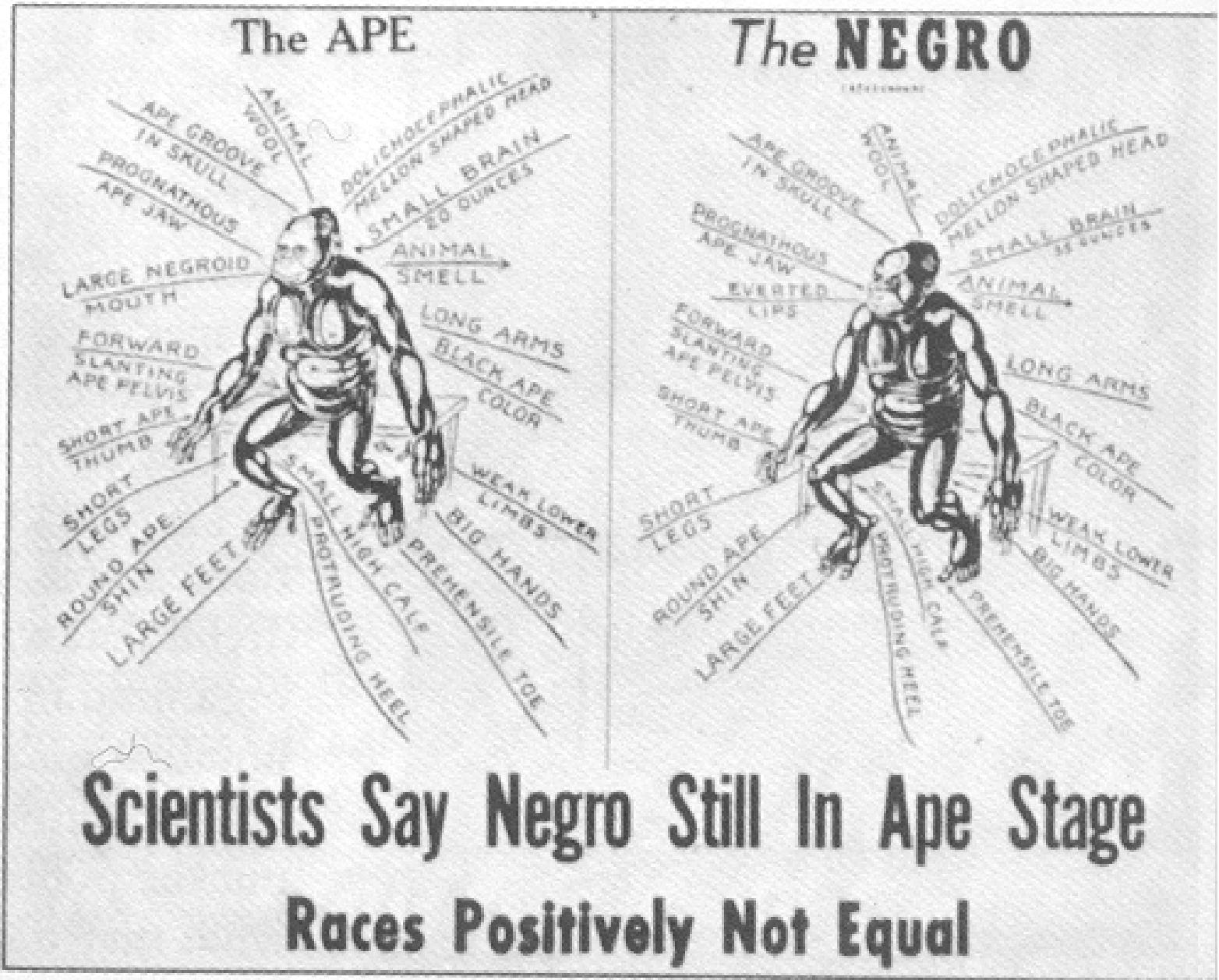


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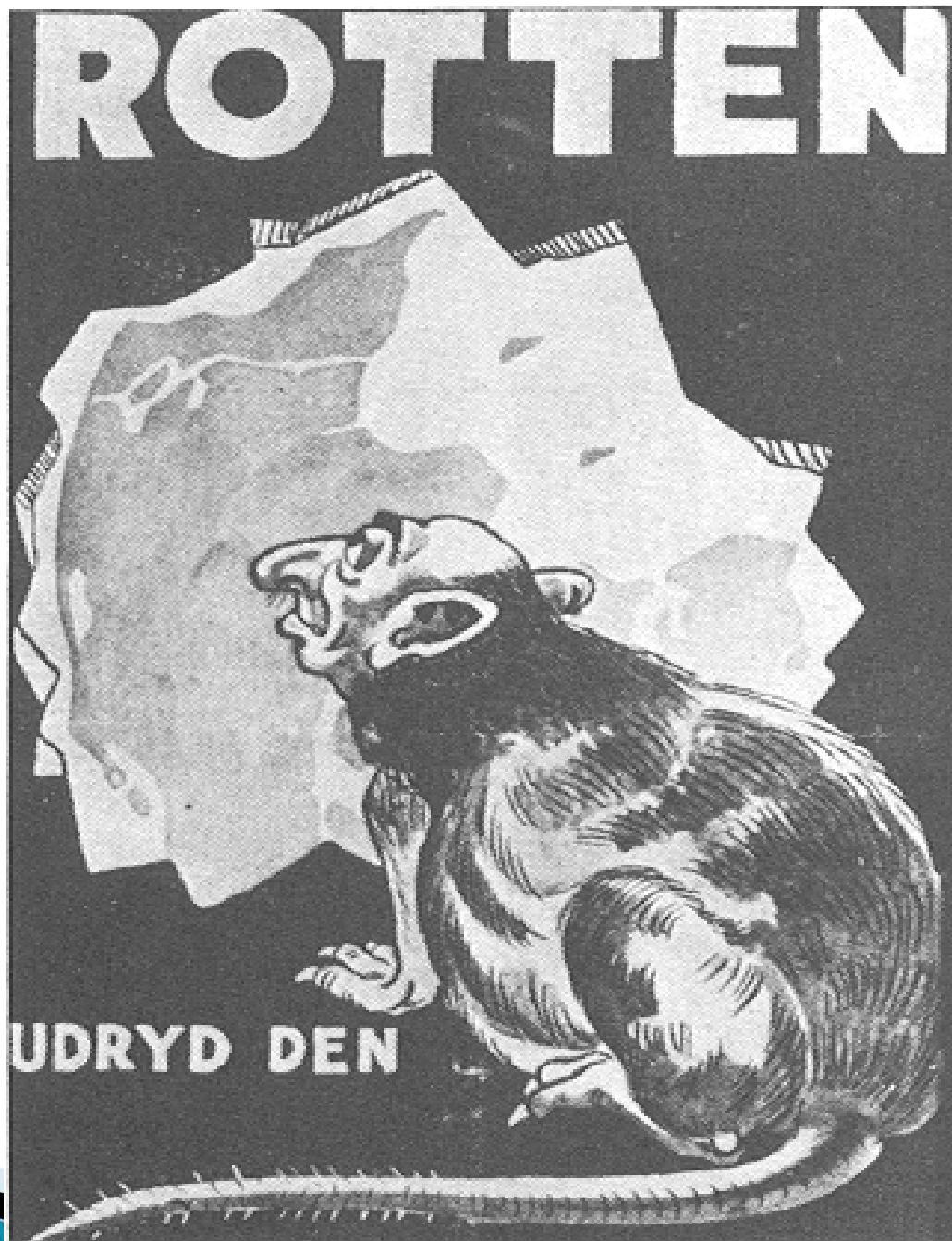


The Psychology of Enmity

Sam Keen



Scientists Say Negro Still In Ape Stage
Races Positively Not Equal



SO THE HARDER A WIFE WORKS, THE CUTER SHE LOOKS!

GOSH, HONEY, YOU SEEM TO THRIVE ON COOKING, CLEANING AND DUSTING—AND I'M ALL TUCKERED OUT BY CLOSING TIME. WHAT'S THE ANSWER?

VITAMINS, DARLING! I ALWAYS GET MY VITAMINS

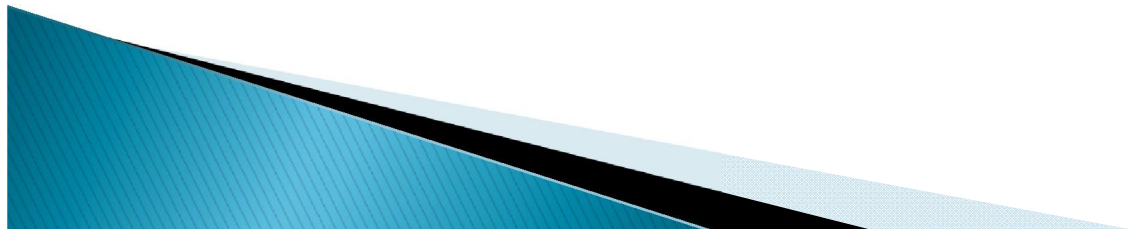
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Vitamins for pep! PEP for vitamins!*

People with mental illness are
homicidal maniacs

In the movies

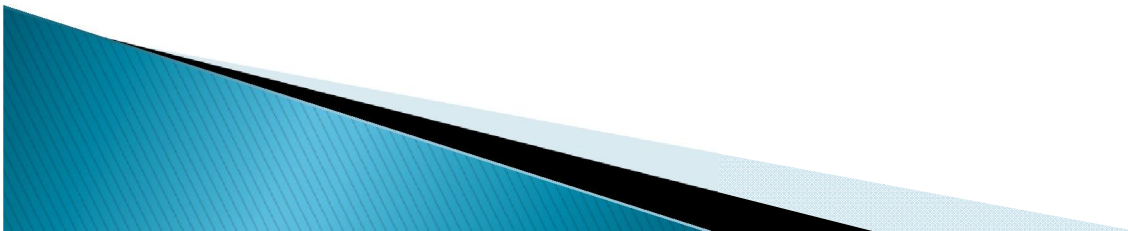






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THE BILL**

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**FOR JAMES
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GET THE VIOLENT CRAZIES OFF OUR STREETS

NEWS' SPECIAL EDITORIAL

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THIS ISSUE IN FOUR SECTIONS

READER

FRIDAY, JULY 27, 2001 | VOLUME 30, NUMBER 46 | CHICAGO'S FREE WEEKLY

IS THIS MAN A MONSTER?

HE KILLED HIS WIFE AND DAUGHTER 13 YEARS AGO. BUT NOW THE STATE SAYS DRUGS HAVE HIS MENTAL CONDITION UNDER CONTROL. HIS NEW NEIGHBORS IN UPTOWN AREN'T SO SURE.



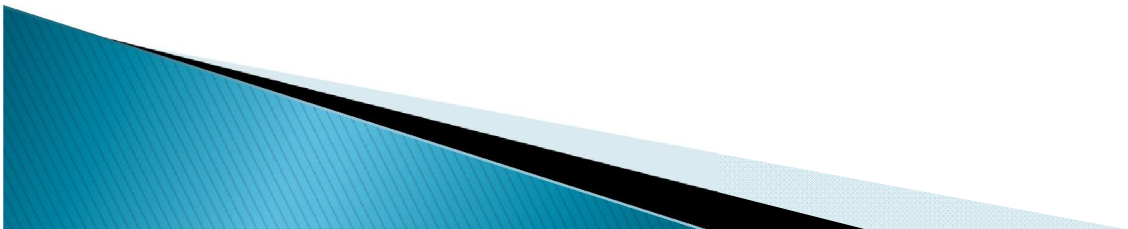
LEE AND ANNETTE ROBIN

BY TED KLEINE

- "Lee Robin. Not a nice guy."
- The voice booming through the phone line belongs to Tom Smith, a commander at the Pulaski Police Department. Thirteen years ago, he answered a call reporting a "problem" at Robin's south house and stepped into the most gruesome scene he's ever witnessed.
- Robin, dressed only in shorts and a T-shirt, was sitting on the steps leading to his living room. His legs and feet were splattered with blood. Slumped ahead in blood-soaked robes, Robin, an internal medicine specialist at two suburban hospitals, responded to the officers' questions with short, whispered answers. Smith's police report opens his reply: "Dead... This... Bedroom and bedrooms."
- In the bedrooms, Smith found Robin's wife, Annette, lying on the floor in her pajamas. Her back, arms, and body had deep cuts from the furniture as at her side. Blood, hair, and brain pooled into a grey soup that soaked the carpet.
- "It was pretty grisly," Smith says. "There was brain matter on the floor and on the walls."
- Moving into the bathroom, Smith found a baby girl face up in the tub. It was Robin's two-and-a-half-year-old daughter, Davina. She had drowned. White officers photographed the crime scene. Robin sat on the bed in the living room, shaking his head. Smith recalls Robin moaning, "I don't understand it."
- Davina and Annette were buried together in a single coffin at Resurrection Cemetery in Justice. After an eight-month delay because he was too depressed to participate in his funeral, Robin was found not guilty by reason of insanity and committed to the Elgin Mental Health Center.
- Today he's living in an Upper West housing home, where he's allowed to go out unaccompanied for 15 hours a day.
- Robin will have a psychiatric review. **CONTINUED ON PAGE 24**

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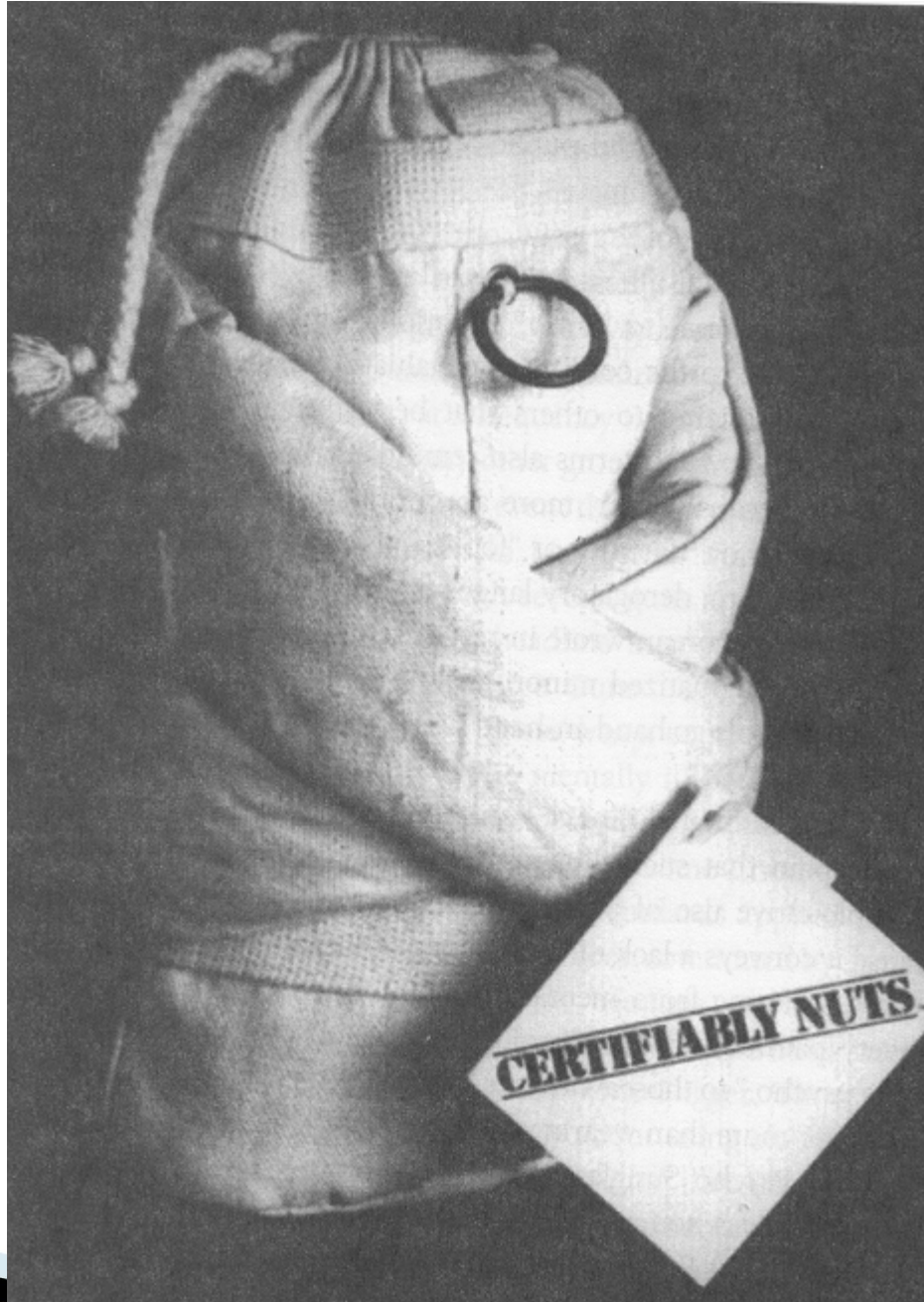
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I'm giving my wife a



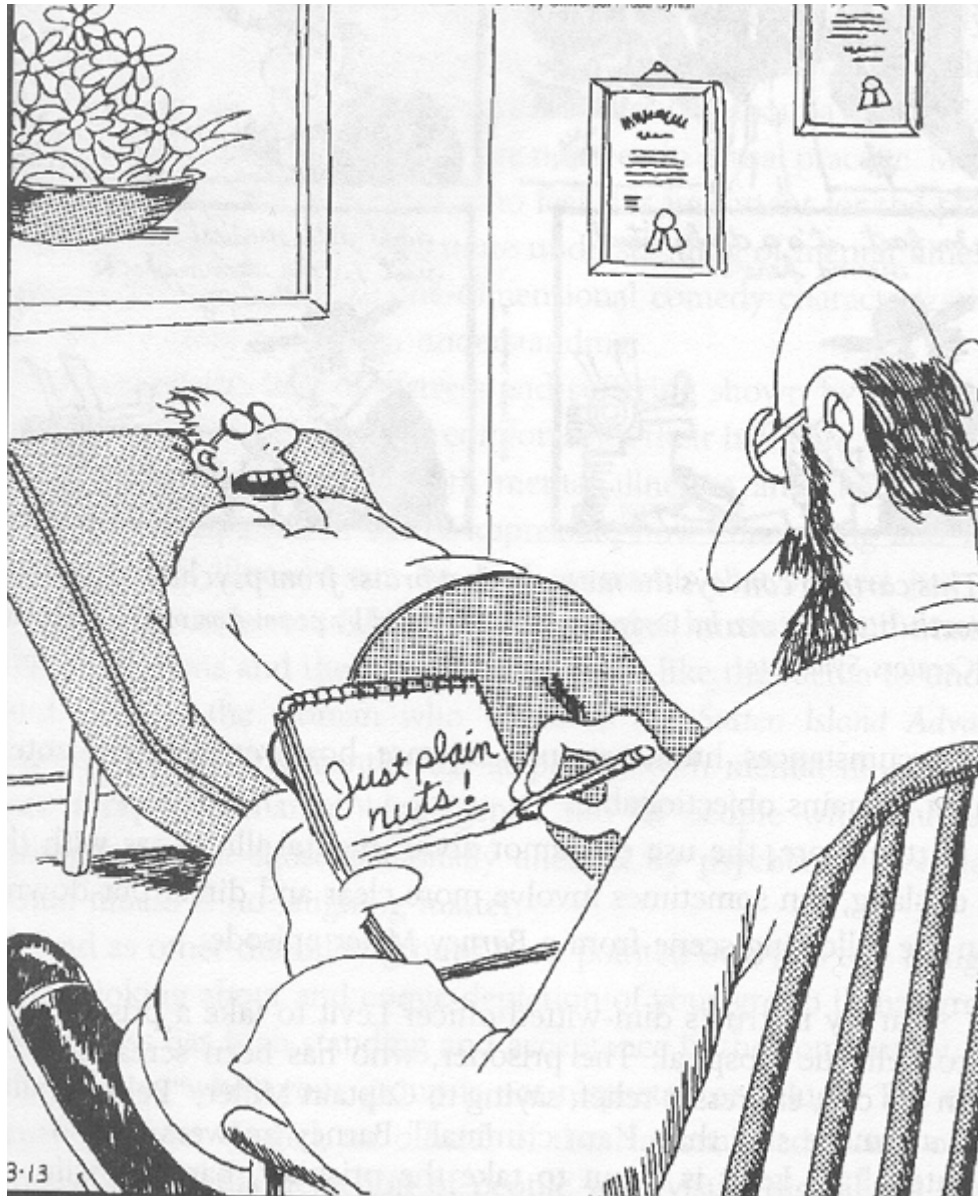
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In comics



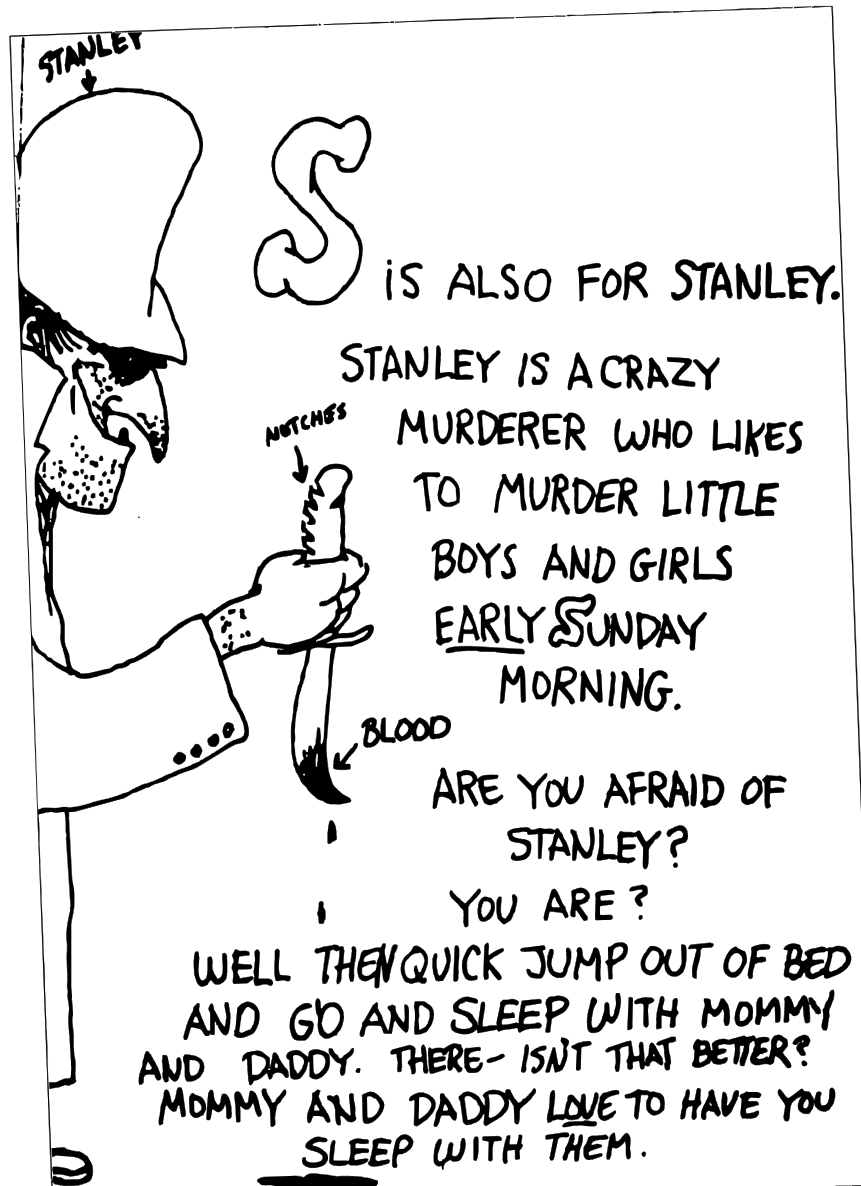


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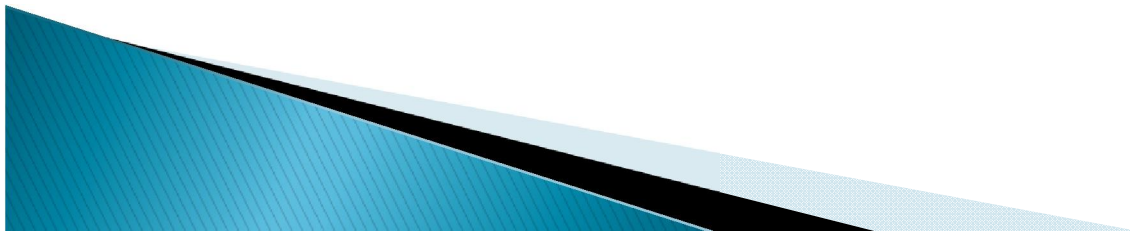
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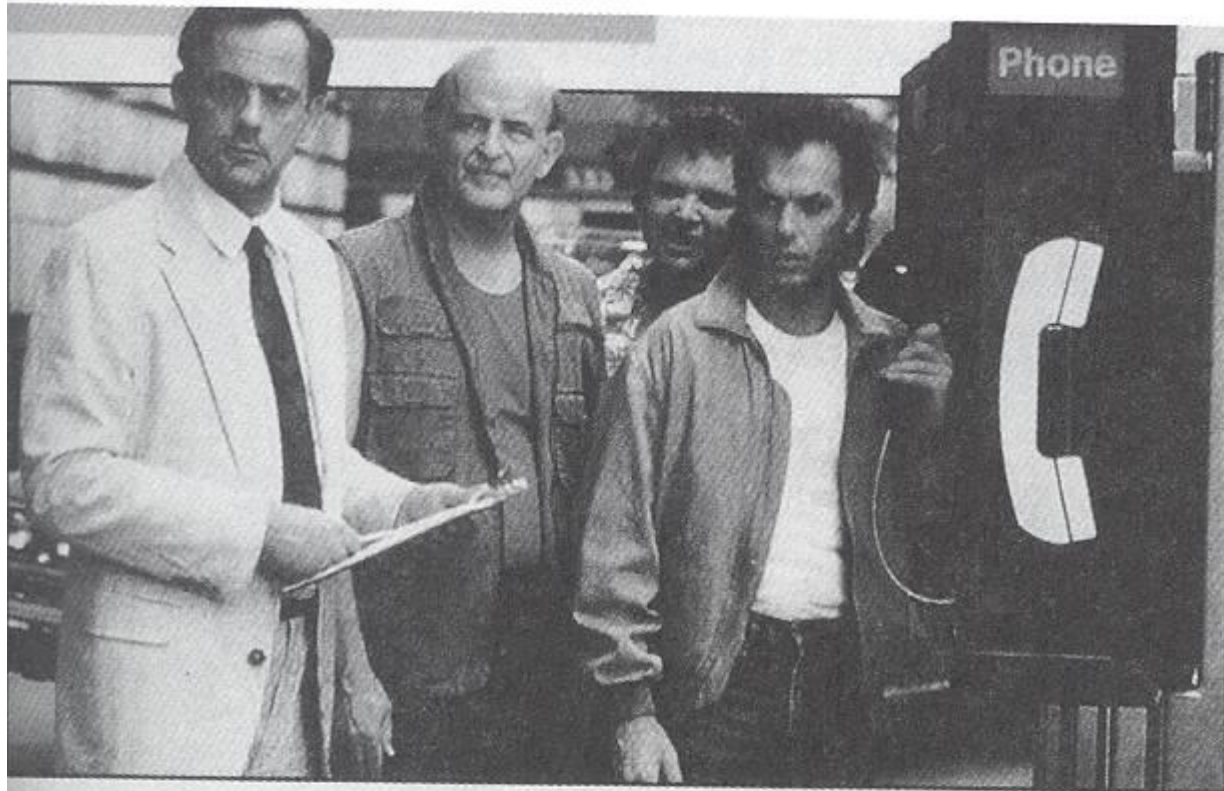
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People with mental illness are
lovable buffoons

Benevolence stigma





A motley group of lunatics scour New York.

Nutty Psychiatric Patients Are THE DREAM TEAM

JIM CARREY



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FROM
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TO
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Me, Myself & Irene

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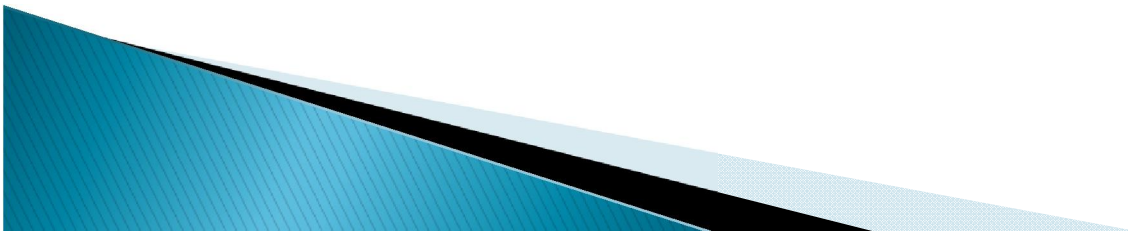
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ROASTED NUTS

General-alarm fire at Trenton Psychiatric

By Tom Ichniowski
Special to the Press

A building under renovation at Trenton Psychiatric Hospital was gutted by a general-alarm fire on Monday night, but the blaze did not spread to the main hospital building.

Firefighters from the Trenton Fire Department and the Trenton Fire Department arrived on the scene at 11:30 p.m. and worked for about an hour to contain the fire.

The fire started in the basement of the building, which is being renovated. The fire spread to the main building, but firefighters were able to contain it.

The fire caused damage to the building, but no one was injured. The fire was caused by a faulty electrical connection.

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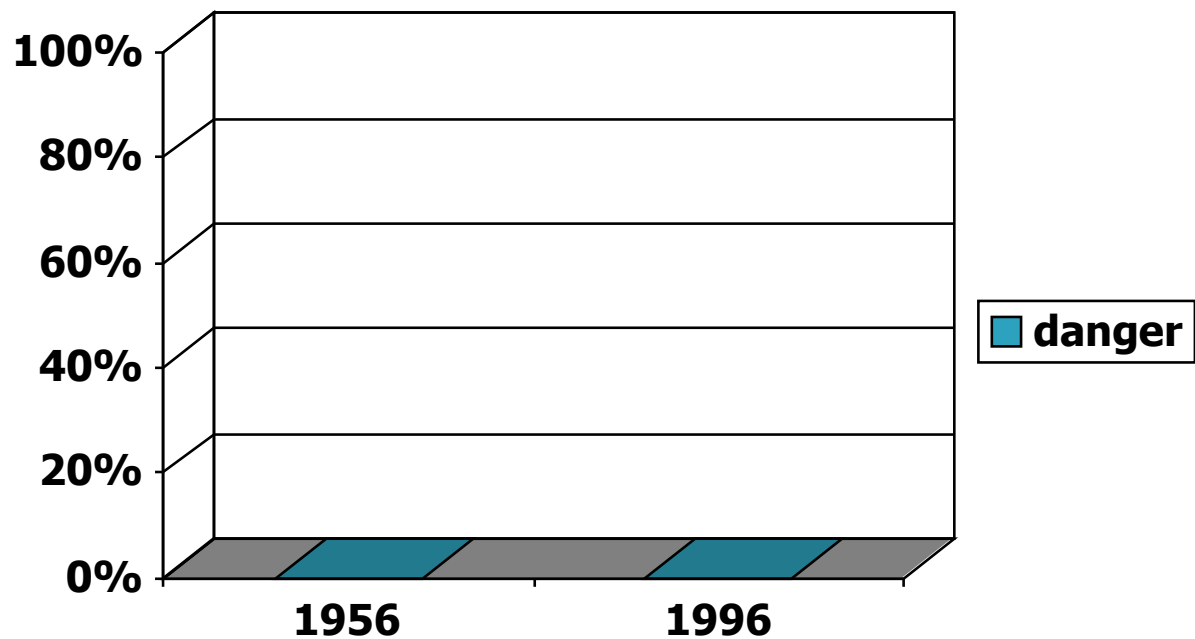
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Budget only casualty of fire

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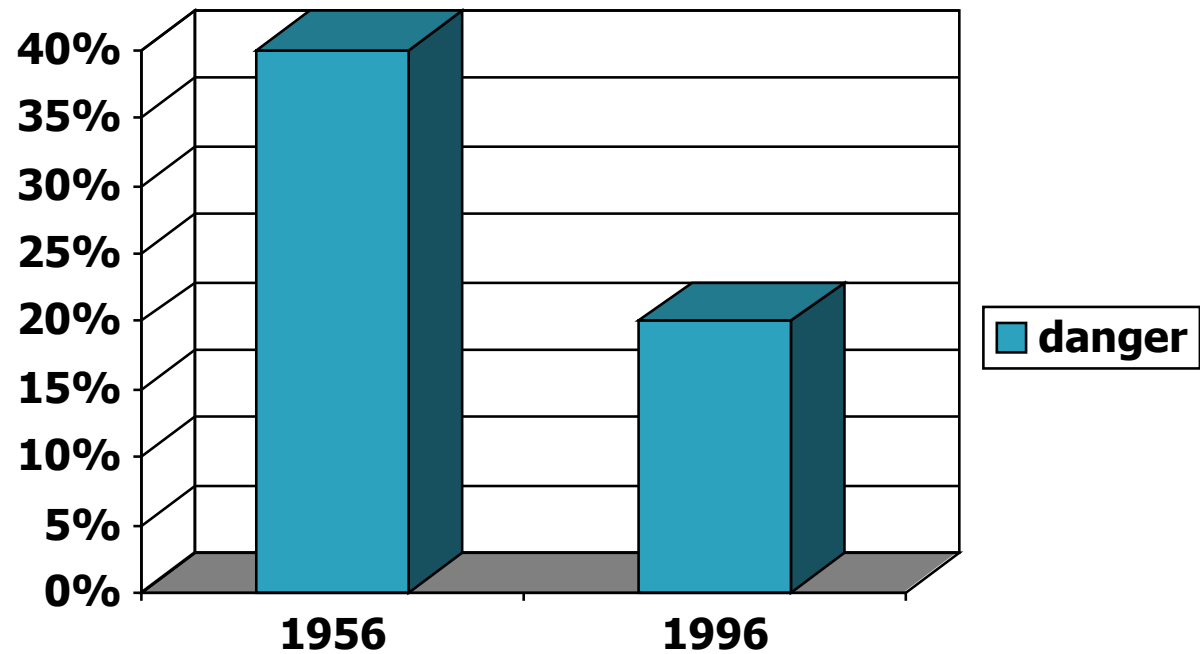
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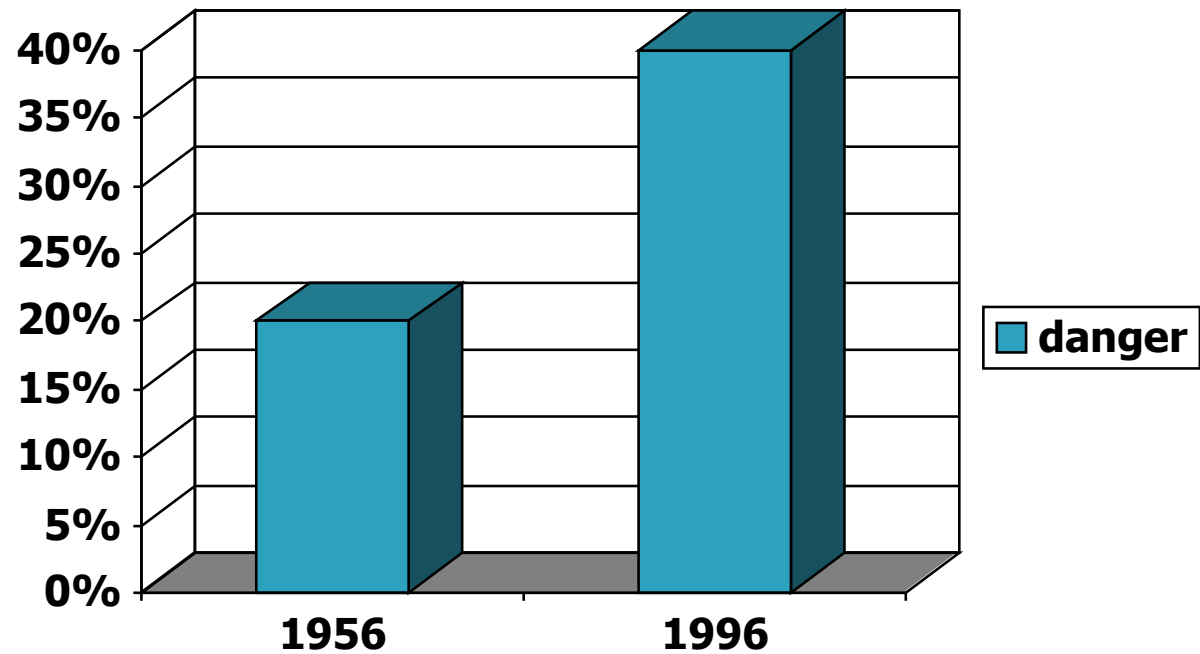
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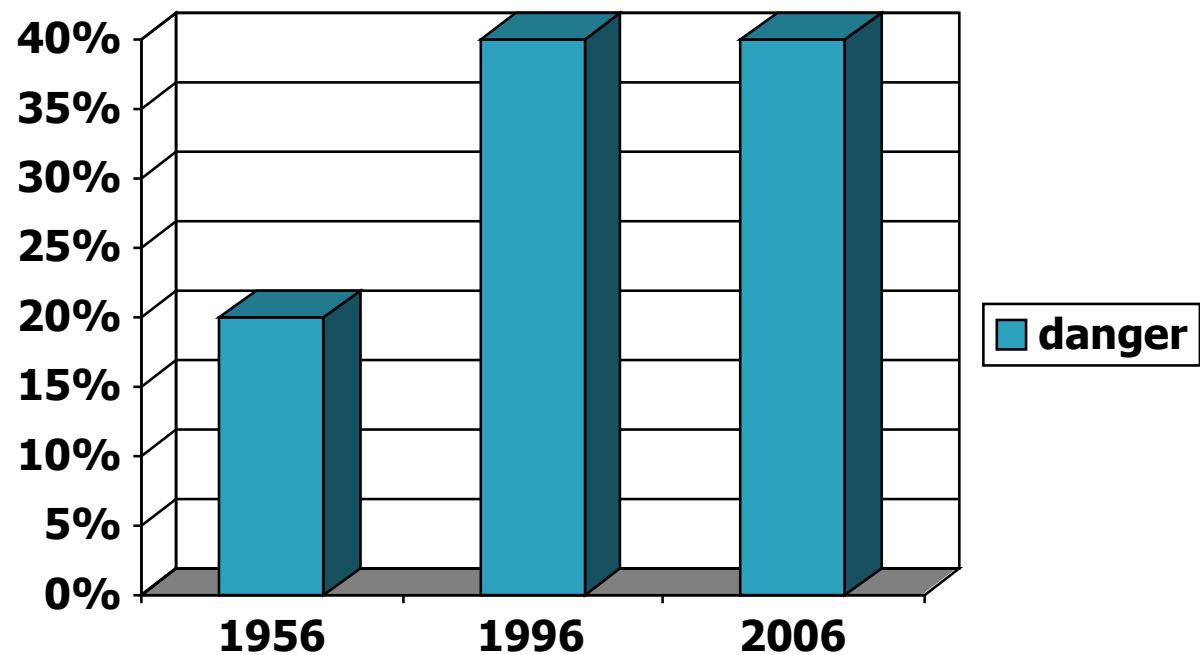
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Understanding Stigma for Stigma Change: STRUCTURES BY TYPES

-----types-----

S t r u c t u r e s		Public stigma	Self- stigma	Label avoidance	Structural stigma
	stereotype				
	prejudice				
	discrimination				

Social Psychological Constructs

- ▶ STEREOTYPES
 - All Irish Americans are drunks and beat their wives.
- ▶ PREJUDICE
 - That's right. They're drunks and I loathe them.
- ▶ DISCRIMINATION
 - So, don't: hire, rent, or befriend them



Social Psychological Constructs

▶ STEREOTYPES

- People with MI are: weak,

dangerous....

▶ PREJUDICE

- They are bad because: scary, shameful.

▶ DISCRIMINATION

- So, don't: hire, serve, or rent to them

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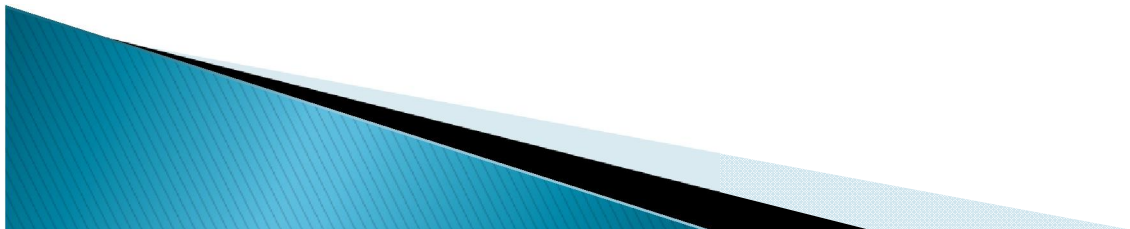
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The Egregious Effects of Public Stigma: Its Impact on SOCIAL INCLUSION

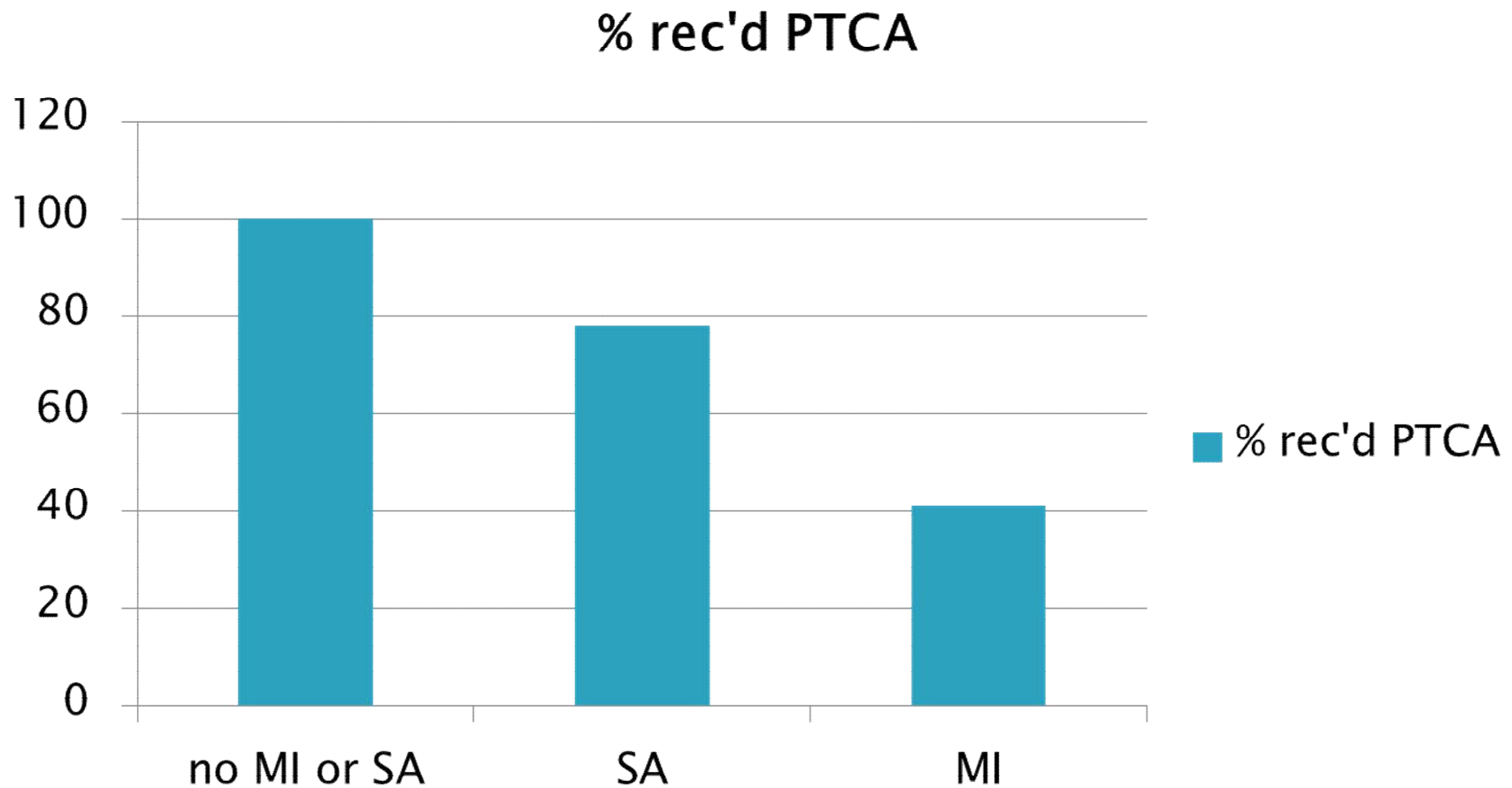
- ▶ Lost employment
- ▶ Subpar housing

- ▶ Worse educational opportunities
- ▶ Diminished legislative support
- ▶ Alienated faith communities

- ▶ Coercive treatment



WORSE HEALTH CARE



PTCA: percutaneous transluminal
coronary angioplasty

Druss et al., 2000

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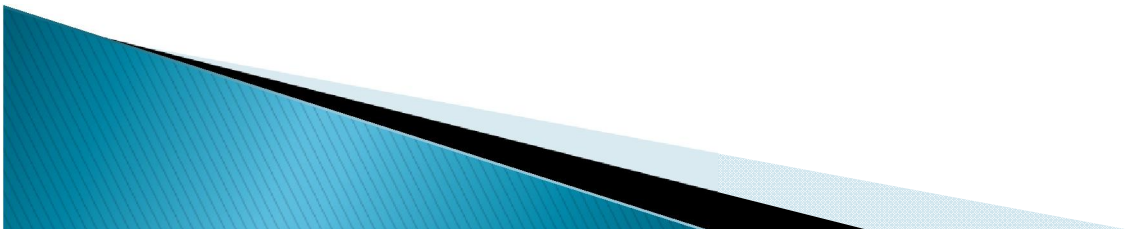
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Self-Stigma

- ▶ Decreased self-esteem
 - I am not worthy
- ▶ Decreased self-efficacy
 - I am not able
- ▶ Why try?!
 - I am not worthy of a good job
 - I am not able to live alone



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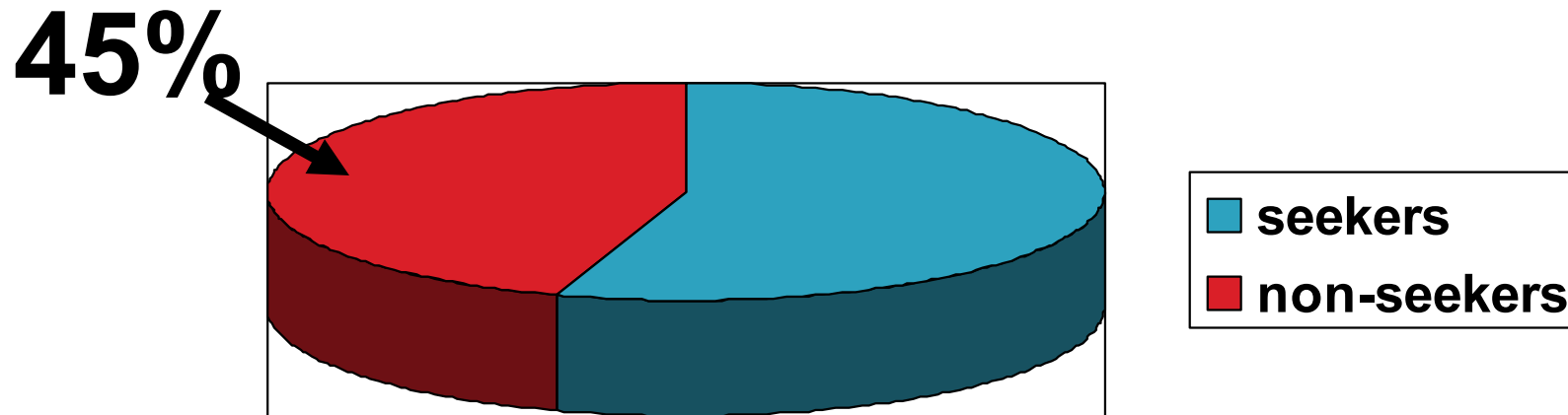
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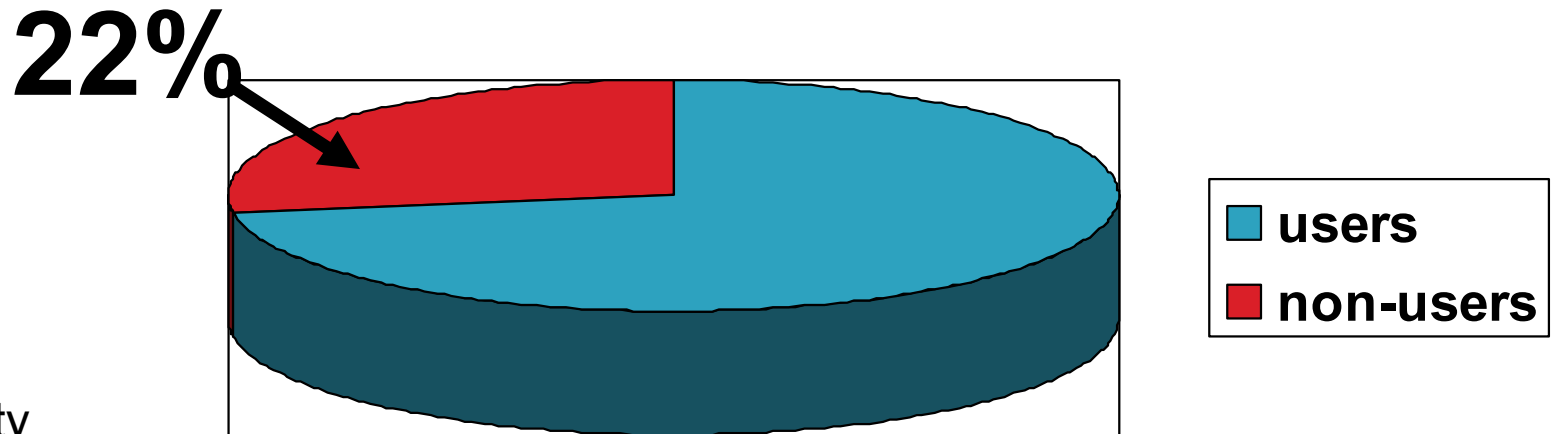
Label Avoidance



Epidemiological Catchment Area, National Co-morbidity Survey, NCSII

Adherence

Label Avoidance



Canadian
Community
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Survey

Corrigan, P.W. (2004). How stigma interferes with mental health care.
American Psychologist, 59, 614-625

June 14, 1965



ERASING STIGMA IS NOT ENOUGH

You do not wipe away the scars of centuries by saying: Now you are free to go where you want, and do as you desire, and choose the leaders you please.

**Affirming attitudes
and actions**

Affirming Attitudes

- ▶ People with mental illness recover.
- ▶ They should determine all their goals and interventions to reach those goals.
- ▶ **Actions:**
 - Reasonable accommodations
 - Community supports



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THE RIGHT HAND IS KILLING!!



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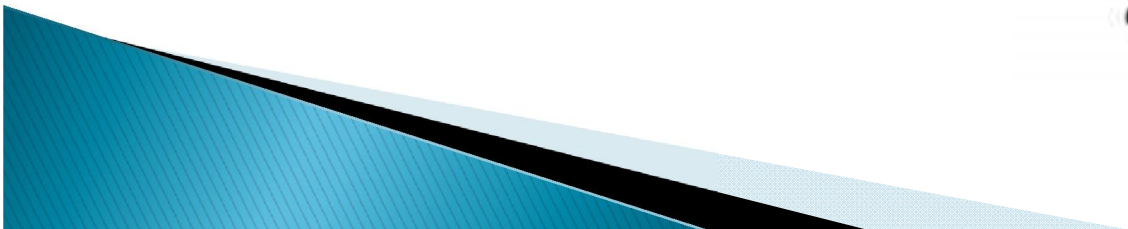
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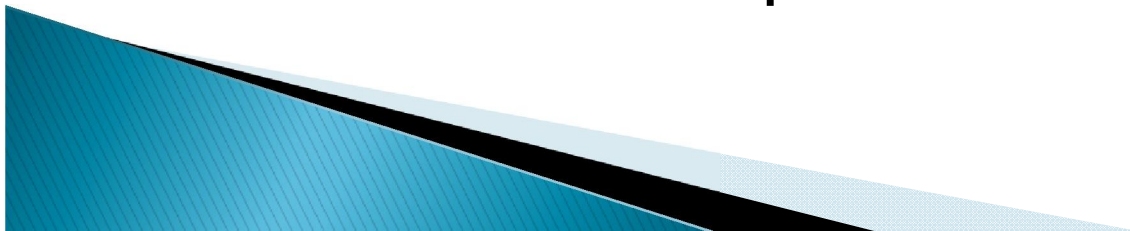
Just change the words!

Just cure the disease!



Just Change the Words!

- ▶ Leprosy to Hansen's Disease
- ▶ Dementia to Alzheimer's
- ▶ Mental Retardation to Intellectual Disability
- ▶ Mania to Bipolar Illness



The East Asian Experience

- ▶ *Japan: Seishin–Bunretsu–Byo* to *togo shitco sho*
“mind split disease” “integration disorder”
- ▶ *Korea: Jeongshin–bunyeol* to *Johyun–byung*
“mind splitted disorder” “attunement disorder”
- ▶ *Hong Kong: Jing Shen Fen Lie* to *Si Jue Shi Tiao*
“splitting of the mind” “dysfunction of thought
and perception”
- ▶ Singapore, China

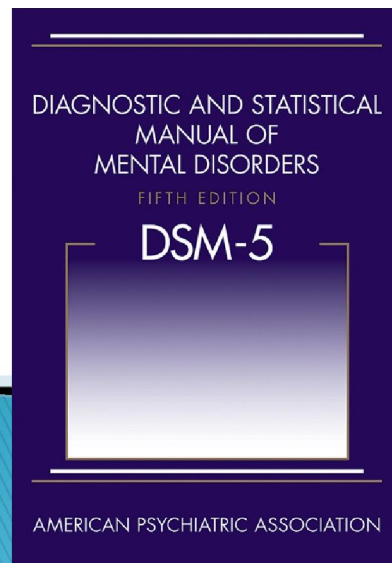
Schizophrenia: Bleuler's Syndrome

RESEARCH Lasalvia et al., 2015

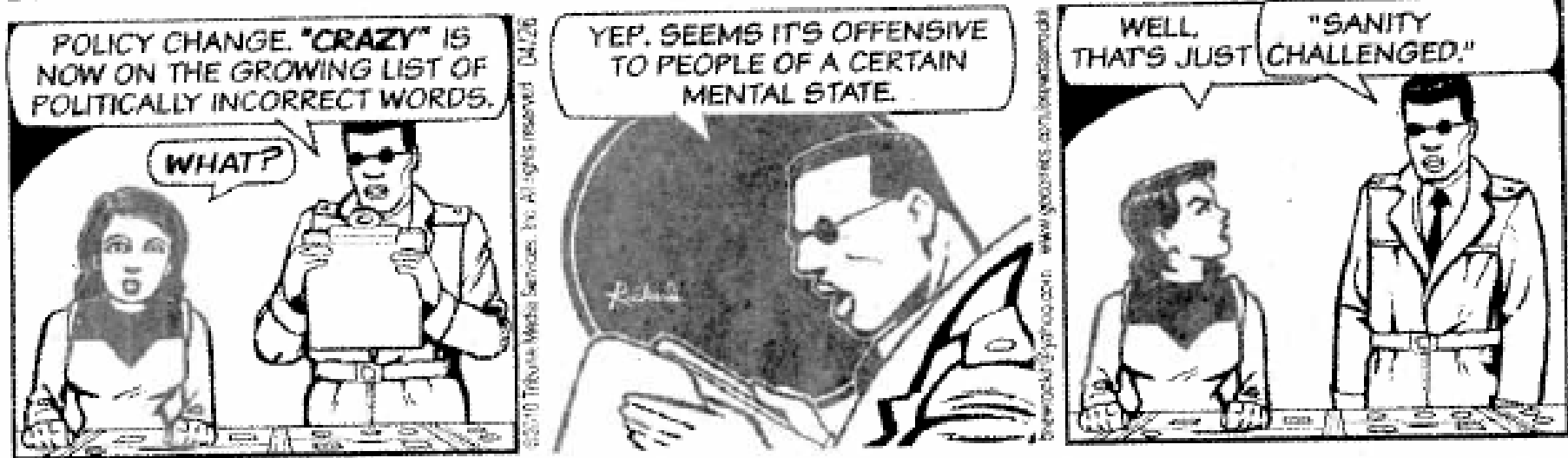
“47 studies” correspondence, editorial, comments, forum

General Population?

Providers



Brewster Rockit: Space Guy!



It Looks easy:

NIMH and other funders decrease support
Advocacy groups: No longer a problem

Framing Stigma Change

-----processes-----

	Protest	Education	Contact
Media-based			
<i>In vivo</i>			

Framing Stigma Change

-----processes-----

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***KNOWLEDGE IS GOLD:
Educate stigma away!***





**75% US school districts
43 countries**



RESEARCH

Uncertain effects

RTI (1994)

No effects

Cal Dept Ed (1995)

U Maryland (1998)

APA (1999)

Worse effects

Indiana U (1992)



The Independent VACCINES FA

Modern medicine tells us to vaccinate our children. Vaccines were developed for adults. Most of these injections are "insulin" for our health. The reality is that we have never – in all of history – diminished the disease. Here are 10 facts you should know.

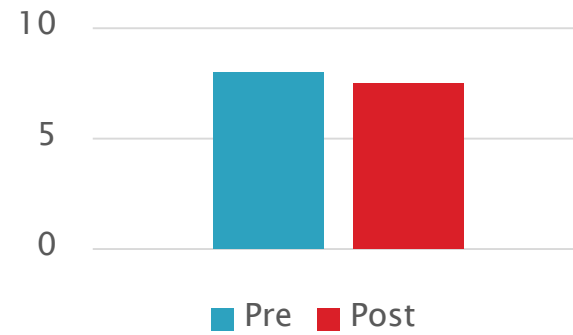
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1. Vaccines are made from live pathogens grown (or cultured) in tissue, chicken embryos and aborted human fetal cells.
2. Vaccine cultures are preserved with neurotoxins such as mercury (thimerosal), formaldehyde, phenol, aluminum and MSG. These toxic mixtures are directly injected into babies, children and adults, bypassing the body's built-in filters (cilia, tonsils, skin).
3. Childhood vaccinations are the first assault on the normal functioning of the body, creating neurological damage and debilitating the immune system.
4. Today's children are routinely vaccinated by pediatricians performing what they believe to be "preventive" medicine. By age six, most children have been exposed to more than 100 viral strains.
5. Vaccines are frequently administered in combination, as in measles/mumps/rubella (MMR). In nature itself one would never encounter this type of multiple viral load.
6. With repeated injections, the damage caused by vaccines can lead to developmental problems, auto-immune disease, sudden infant death (SIDS), autism and more.

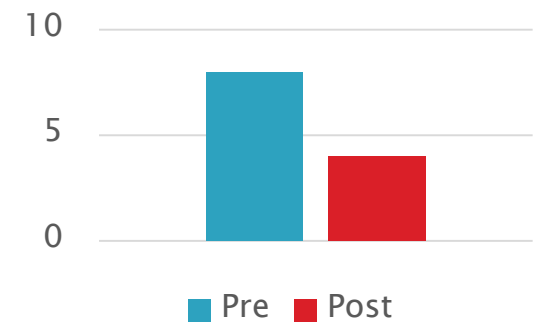




Attitude

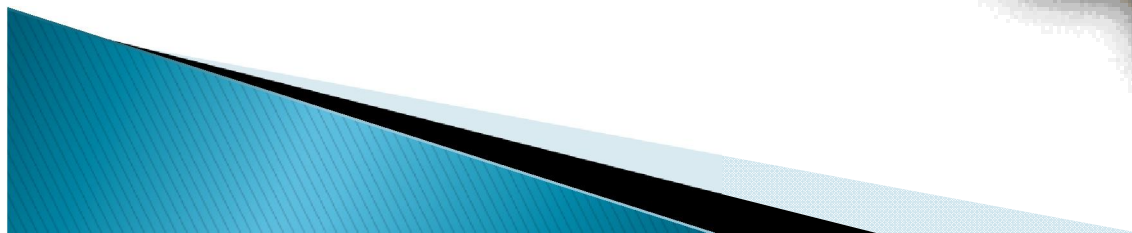
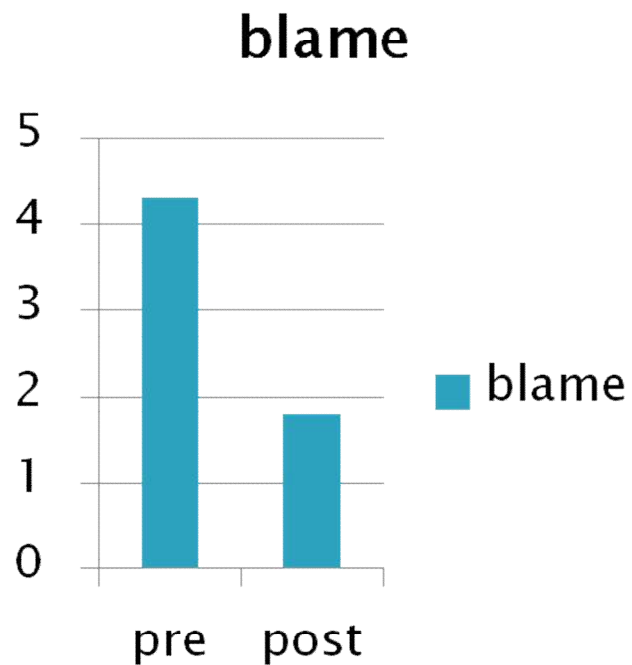


Vaccination Intent



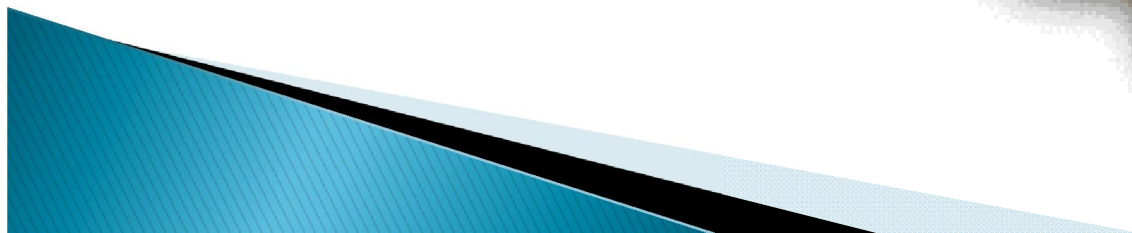
Nyhan, Reifler, Richey, & Freed, 2014

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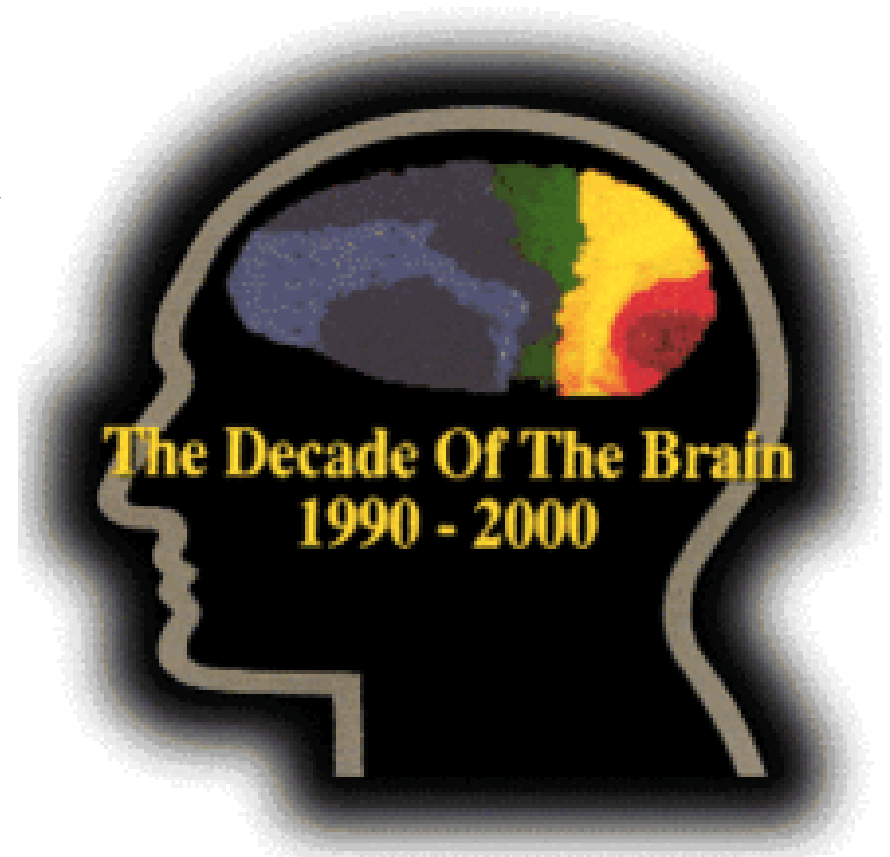
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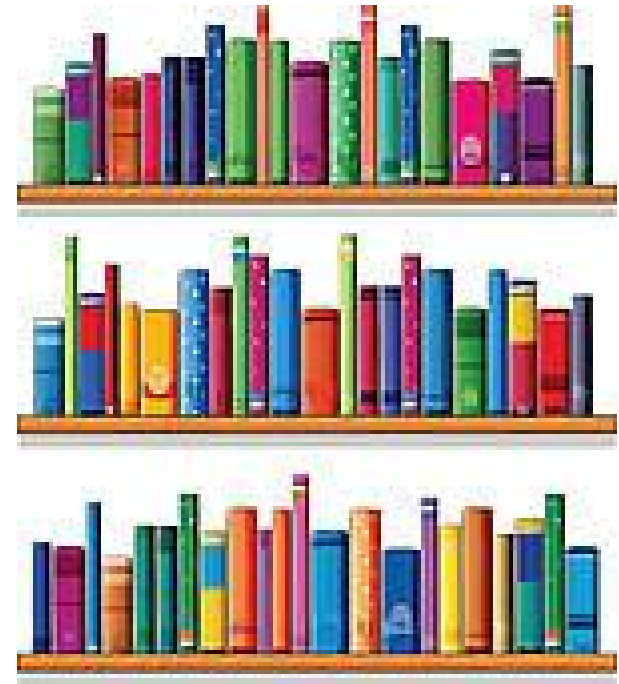
HIRE THEM?
RENT TO THEM?
EQUAL HEALTH CARE?



Meta-Analysis: Knowledge and Stigma

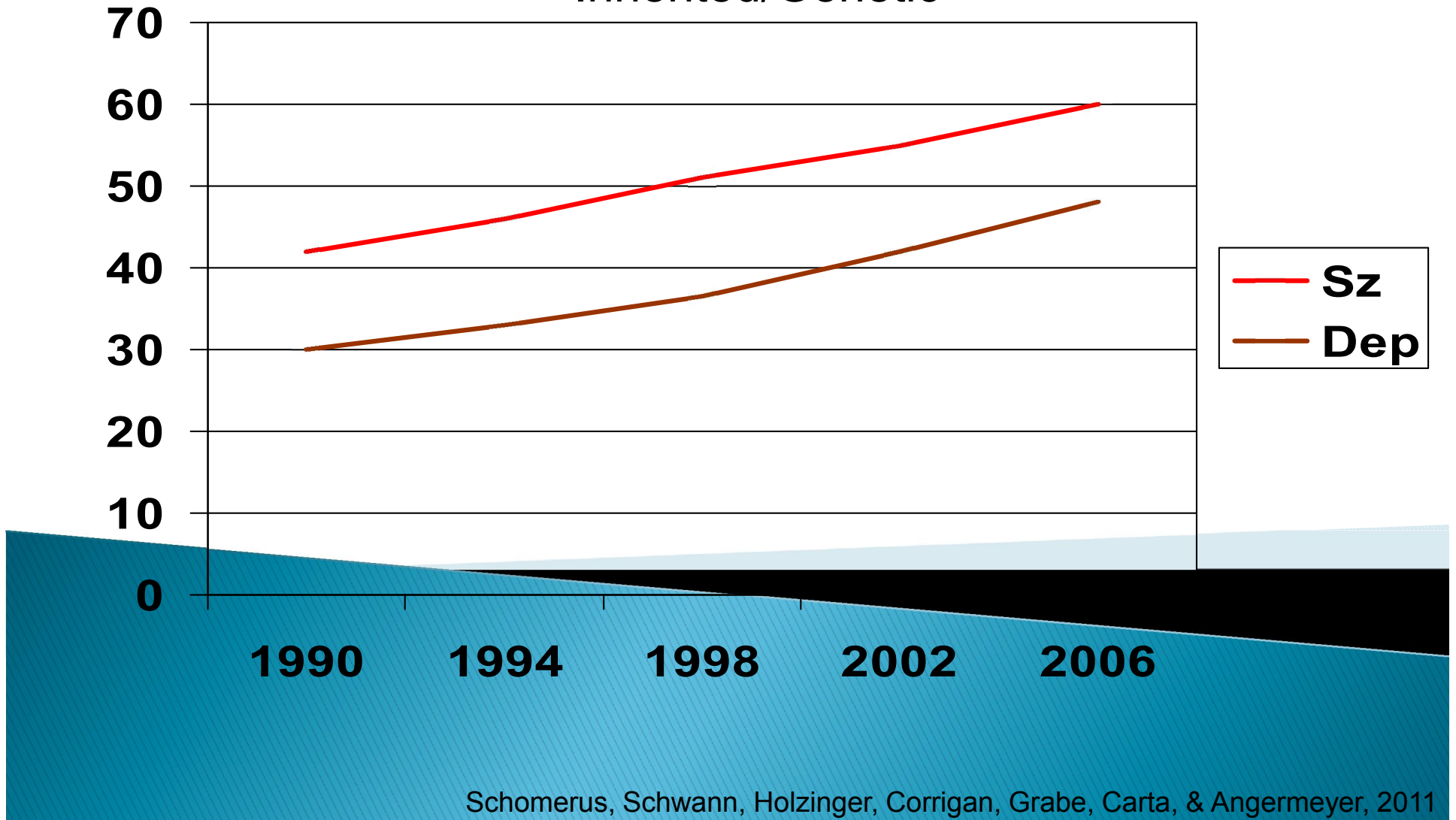
- ▶ Knowledge: Causal Beliefs
- ▶ Stigma: Acceptance

- ▶ Sixteen representative samples of nation-defined populations
- ▶ 230 to 6000 Ss
- ▶ Response rates: 65–85%



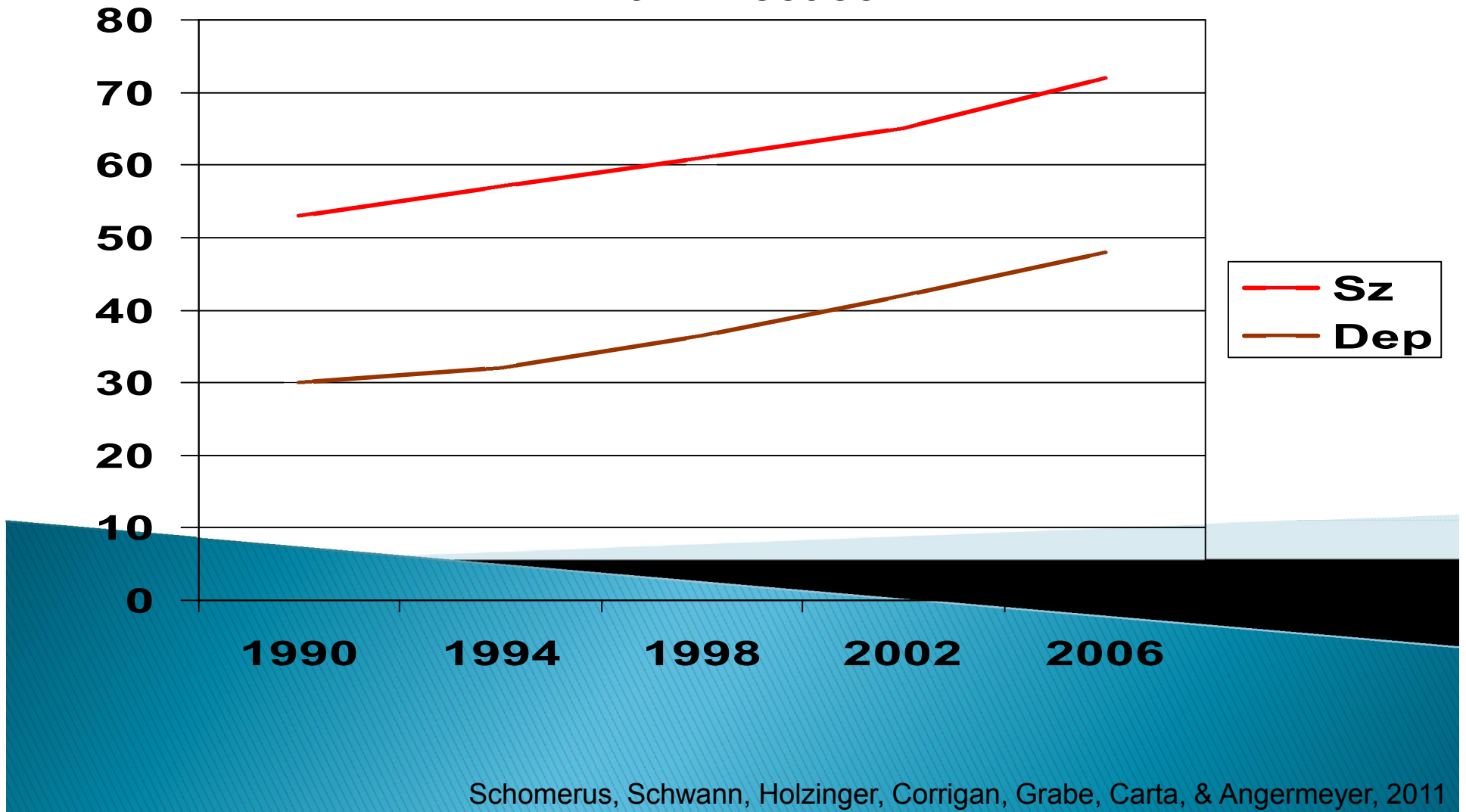
META-ANALYSIS FINDINGS: CAUSE

Inherited/Genetic

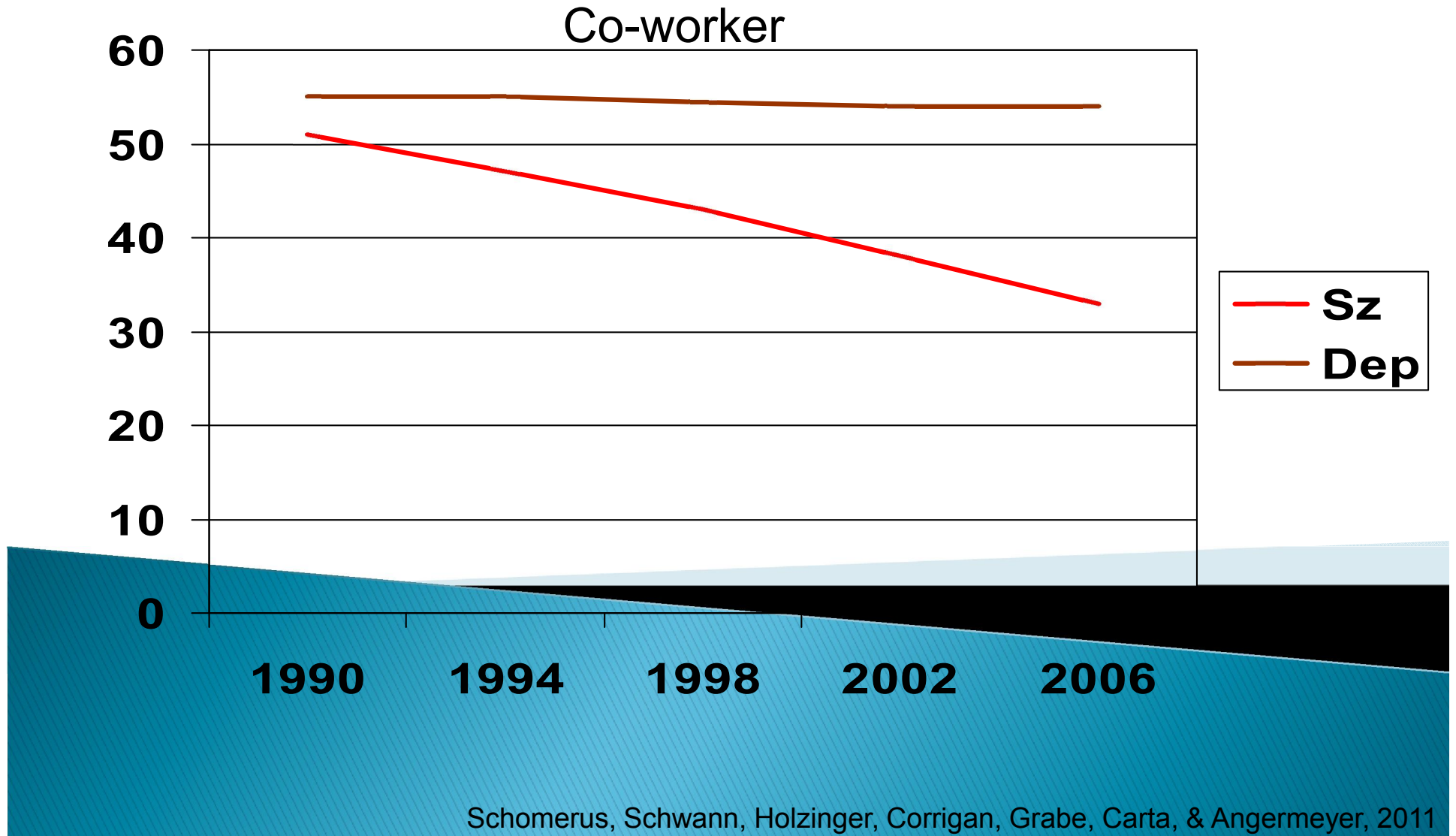


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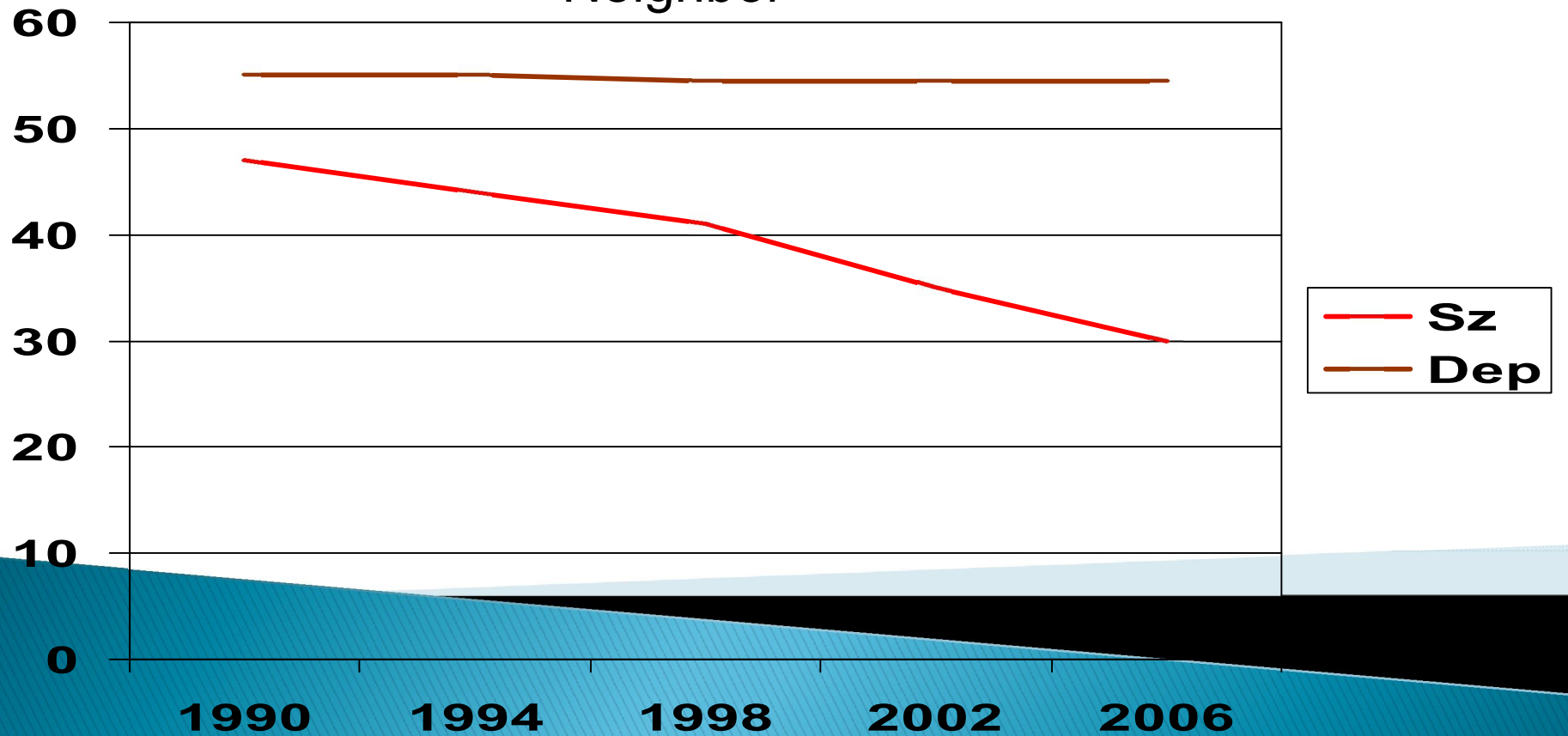


META-ANALYSIS FINDINGS: **ACCEPTANCE**



META-ANALYSIS FINDINGS: ACCEPTANCE

Neighbor



Framing Stigma Change

-----processes-----

	PROTEST	ation	Contact
v e h i c l e	Media- based		
	<i>In vivo</i>		

PROTEST:

The Pros and CONs!



▶ Protest

- Review stigmatizing images
- Shame on you for thinking that way

SPORTS ★ ★ ★ ★ FINAL

DAILY NEWS

NEW YORK'S HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER

Friday, November 13, 2009



**TEXAS
CAMPUS
TRAGEDY
KILLS 11**

PAGES 6 & 7



**GREAT
NEW YORK
EATS THAT
FIT
THE BILL**

PAGES 78-80

★★★
**FOR JAMES
BOND'S
'WORLD'**

PAGE 66

GET THE VIOLENT CRAZIES OFF OUR STREETS

NEWS' SPECIAL EDITORIAL

SEE PAGES 2 & 3

▶ Beware the rebound effect

the white bear



Wonderland

2000



NAMI - stigmabusters

**PSYCHO
DONUTS**



*Crazy
Good!*



The
JASONUT



The SUICIDE
SQUEEZE



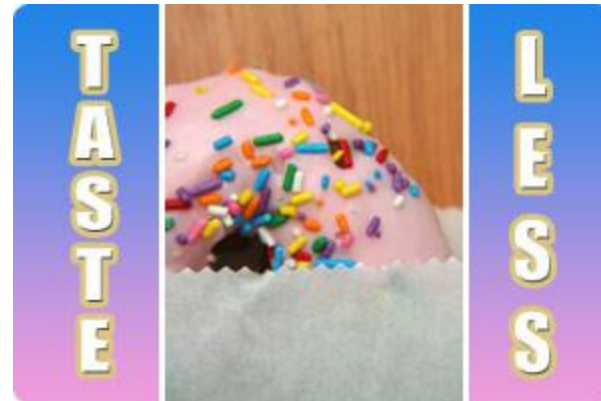
The CRAZY
FACE

Located in Campbell and San Jose
California



Join the national on-line food fight.

Help turn lemon donuts into lemonade.



Stigmabusters – Fight Stigm

**PSYCHO
DONUTS**



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examiner.com

I'm an advocate of equal rights and a more tolerant world toward all people of different races, religion, gender, and sexual orientation; but that is it. Any thing else is just moronic.

Stan Rezaee, Aug, 2009

**PSYCHO
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*Crazy
Good!*



**FRANCHISE
OPPORTUNITIES**

Framing Stigma Change

-----processes-----

	Protest	Educ	CONTACT
Media-based			
<i>In vivo</i>			

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CONTACT vs EDUCATION

The Pros and CONs!



▶ Contact

“Meet Bob
Lundin”



▶ Bob's story

- My name is _____ and **I have** a severe mental illness called schizo-affective disorder
- My **childhood** was not unusual...
- Unfortunately, my mental illness was **traumatic**. It did not go away quickly...
- Despite these problems, **I have achieved** several accomplishments.

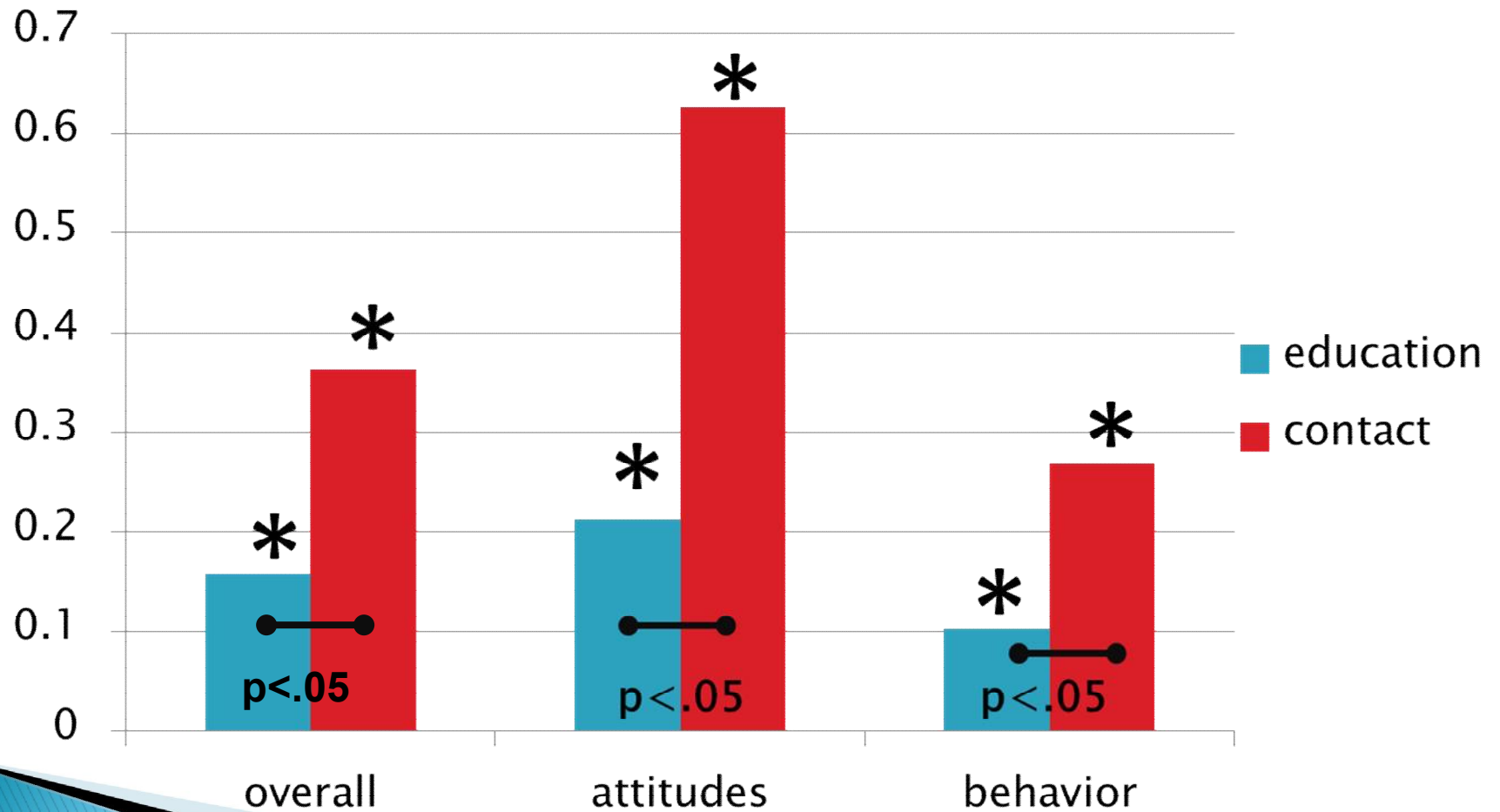
Meta-Analysis:

- ▶ Contact vs Education
- ▶ DV' s
 - Overall
 - Attitudes
 - Behavior
- ▶ > 38,000 Ss
- ▶ 79 studies; 13 RCTs



Corrigan, Michaels et al., 2012

Mean effect sizes: RCTs only

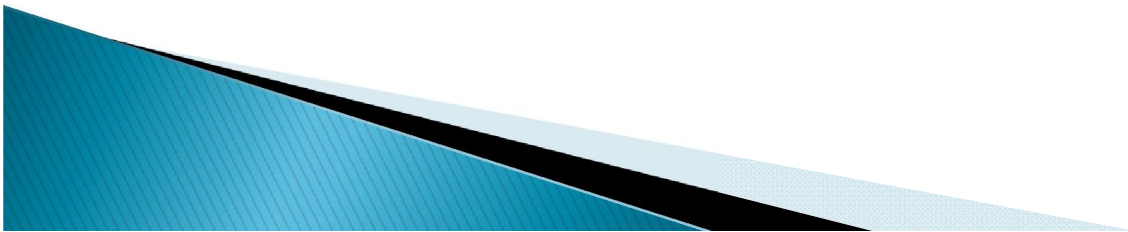


TLC

- ▶ Targeted
- ▶ Local
- ▶ Credible
- ▶ Continuous
- ▶ CONTACT

Corrigan, 2011

**Who should
targets be?**



Targets

Landlords

Health care professionals

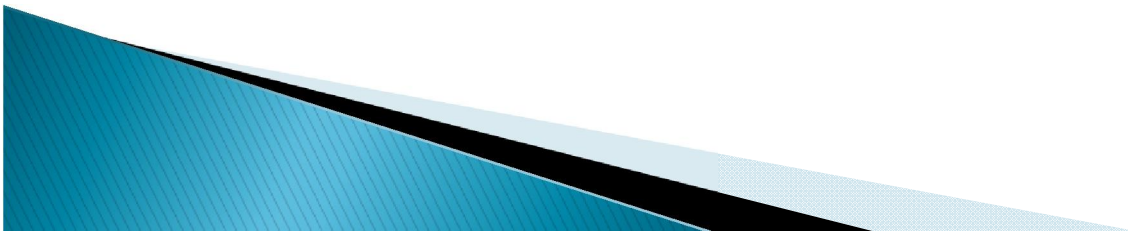
Teachers

Legislators

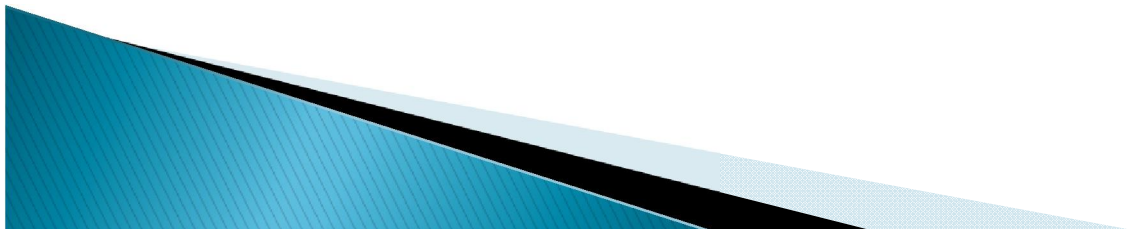
Employers



What is local?



LOCAL



LOCAL

*Does it
play in
PEORIA?*



CHICAGO:
the heart and
brains of Illinois

ILLINOIS



Local

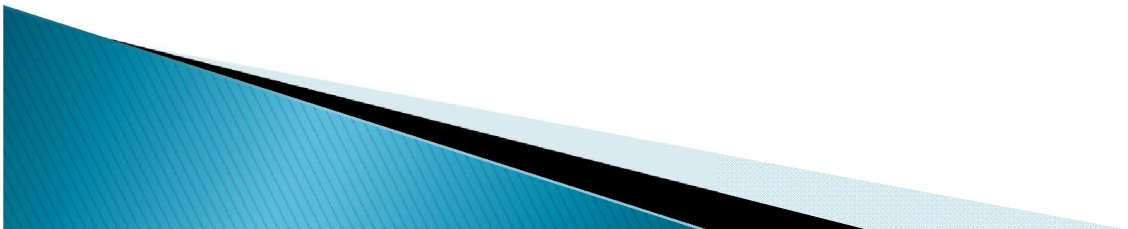
- ▶ City
- ▶ Office
- ▶ Church, synagogue, mosque

- ▶ School



▶ Good stigma change

- credible
- continuous



Credible

- ▶ Contact with whom
- ▶ Example
 - Military (PTSD)
 - Other enlisted members
 - Marines from marines
 - Sailors from sailors



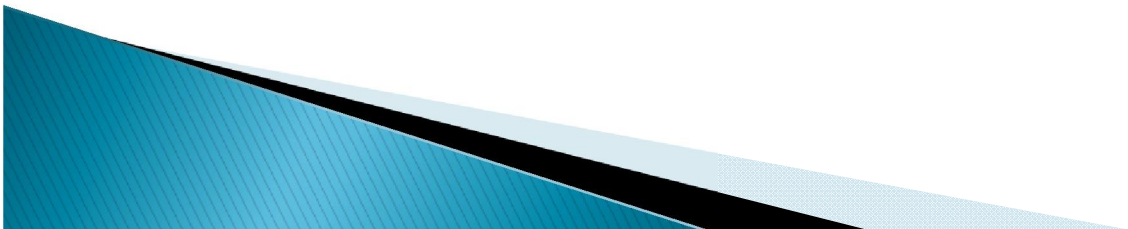
**FIRST
RESPONDERS?**

MAKE THE
CONNECTION
Shared experiences and support for Veterans



Continuous

- ▶ Once is not enough
- ▶ And cannot be carbon copies



TLC

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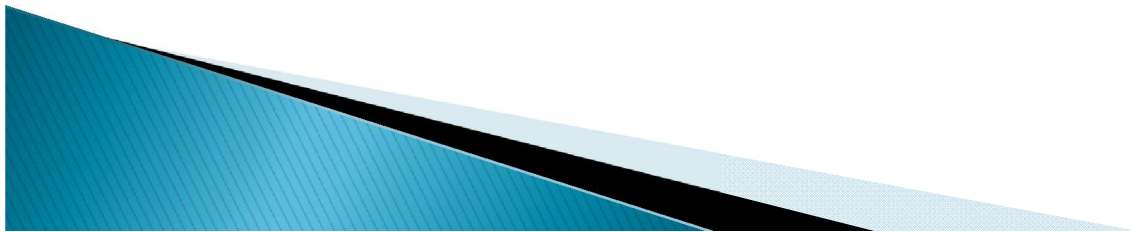
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The GRAND PLAN



▶ Come out everyone

▶ Come out everywhere



the Grand Plan

- ▶ Come out Mad
- ▶ Come out Proud

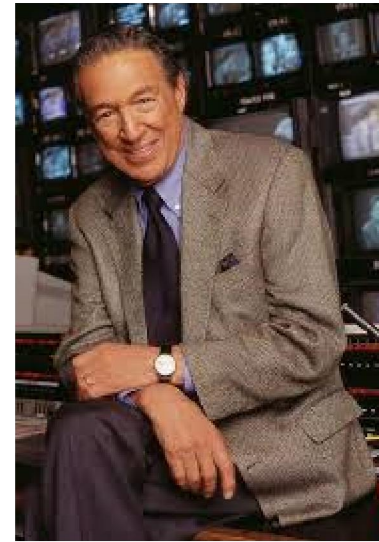




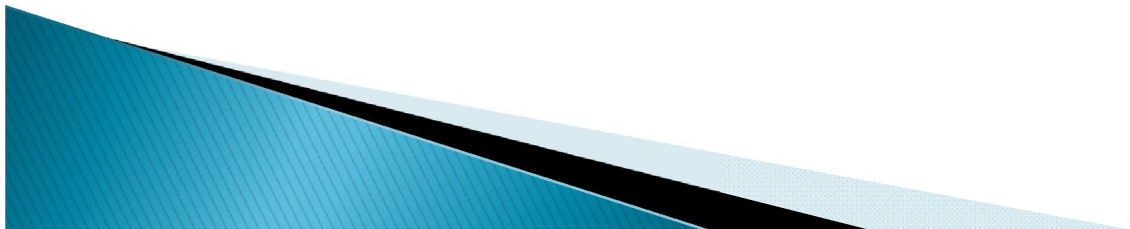
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Patty Duke



Mike Wallace

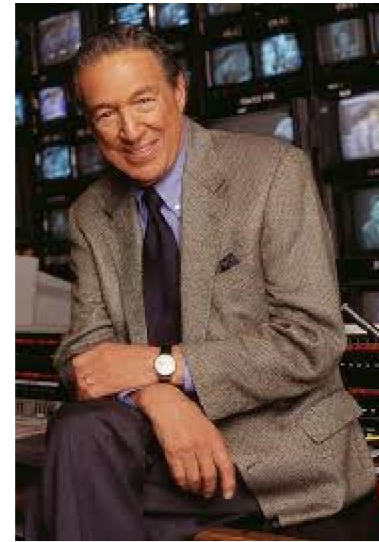




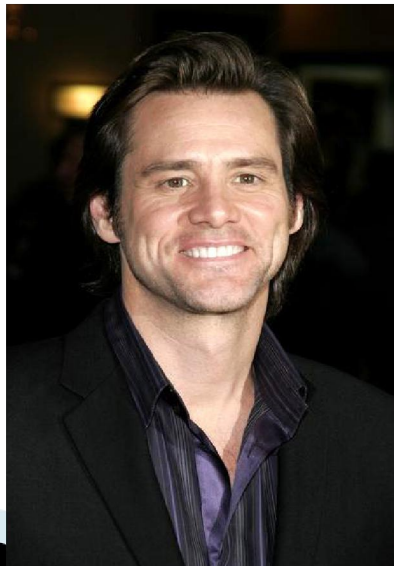
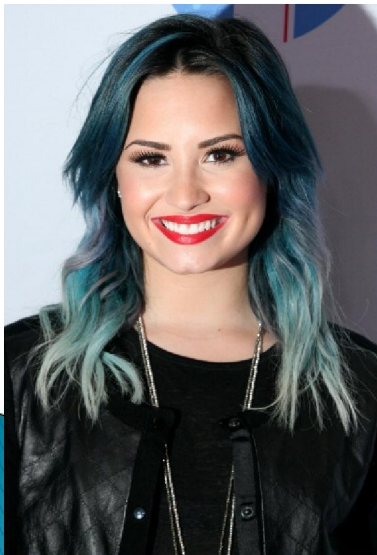
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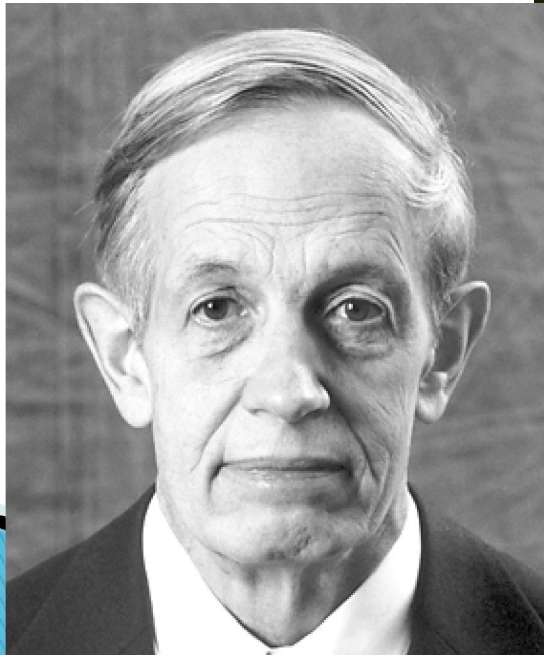
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Thurgood Marshall Effect





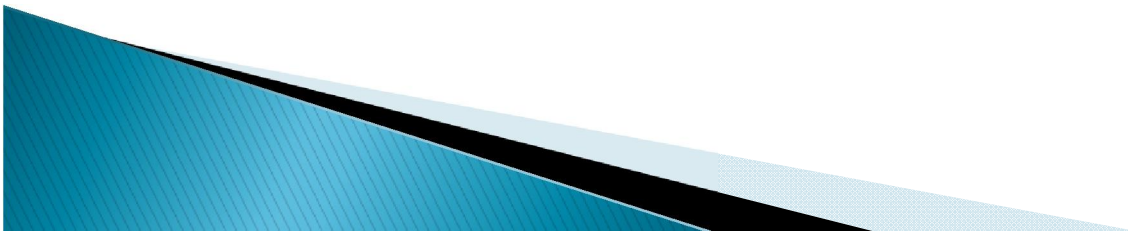
**COMING OUT PROUD
TO ERASE THE STIGMA
OF MENTAL ILLNESS:**

**STORIES AND ESSAYS OF
SOLIDARITY**

**PATRICK W. CORRIGAN
JON E. LARSON
PATRICK J. MICHAELS**

**HONEST, OPEN,
PROUD**

**to erase the stigma of
mental illness**



PRIDE?

- ▶ Accomplishment
 - Overcoming disability



- ▶ Who I am
 - Ethnic pride



- ▶ Authenticity

Disease Identity



DON' T BE A MENTAL PATIENT

Human Identity



EMBRACE WHO YOU ARE

Honest Open Proud program

▶ Three Lessons

- Consider the pros and cons of disclosing
- There are different ways to disclose
- Telling your story



TO PEER SUPPORT?

◦ **Booster**

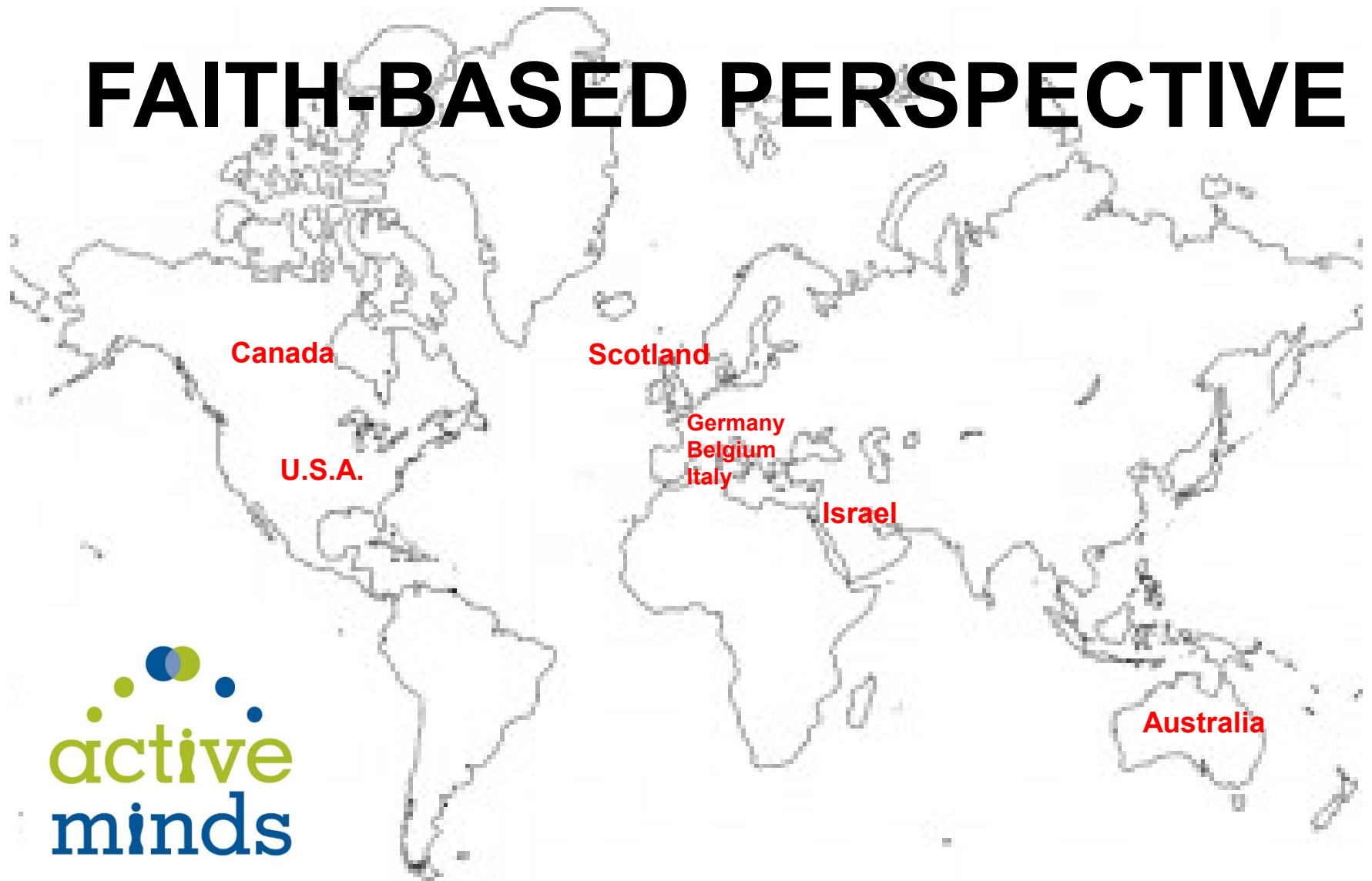


Honest, Open, Proud



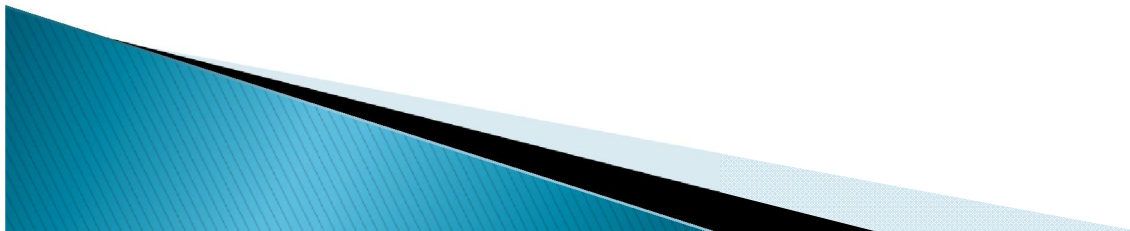
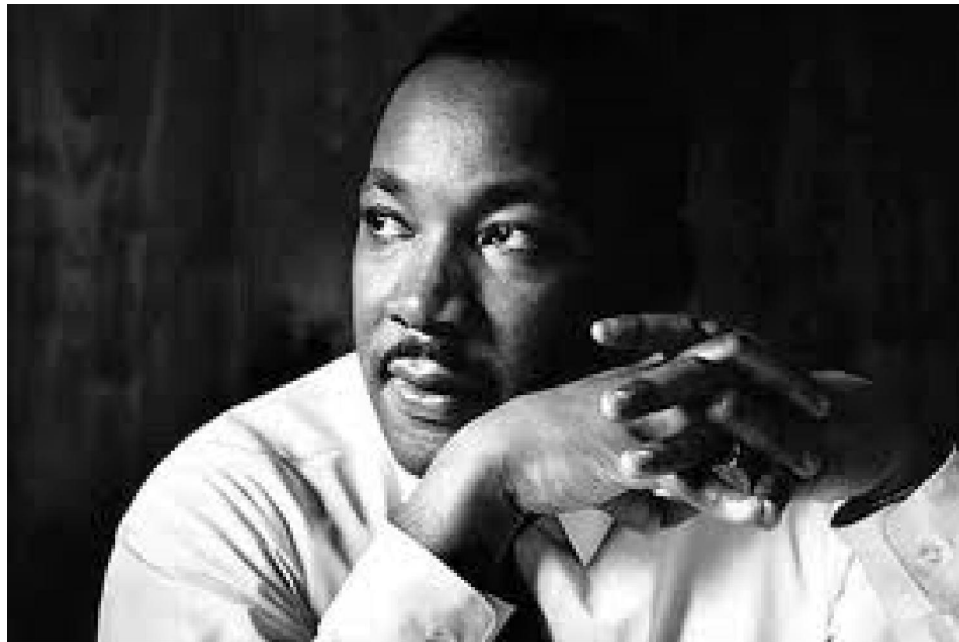
> 150 VA medical centers

FAITH-BASED PERSPECTIVE



> 400 US college campuses

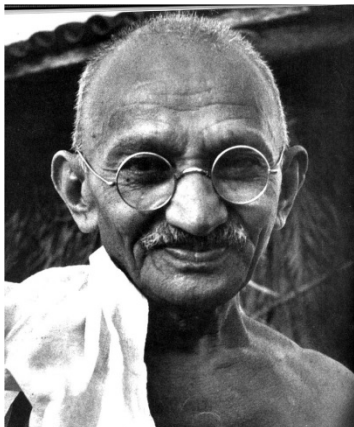
the ADVOCATE'S AGENDA





“I must fight in the open!”

Clifford Beers – 1909



“Let our first act every morning be to make the following resolve for the day: I shall not fear anyone on earth. I shall fear only God. I shall not bear ill will toward anyone. I shall not submit to injustice from anyone. I shall conquer untruth by truth. And in resisting untruth, I shall put up with all suffering.”

Mahatma Gandhi

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