

BECOME AN ACISTE CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL

According to ACISTE's first survey of 60 experiencers, 50% dealt with depression, 10% suffered from substance abuse, 6.7% had attempted suicide as a direct or indirect consequence of their STE(s). Only 5% indicated they had no challenges. Experiencers need therapists trained in differential diagnosis and the integration needs of spiritually transformative experiences. At the end of this training and certification, you will be able to:

MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

- Describe the difference between acute spiritual emergency and psychosis
- Define a spiritually transformative experience
- Describe six categories of spiritually transformative experiences
- Define the contributing factors to challenging aftereffects of spiritually transformative experiences
- Identify at least 6 psychological, physical, spiritual, and social challenging aftereffects of spiritually transformative experiences
- · Describe how to normalize the spiritually transformative experience for the experiencer

SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE COUNSELORS/DIRECTORS

- · Describe how to validate a spiritual experience for the experiencer
- Define a spiritually transformative experience
- Identify spiritual literature that offers information on psychospiritual integration of spiritual experience
- Describe how to become a spiritual companion to someone experiencing spiritual emergence or emergency
- Describe how to normalize the spiritually transformative experiencers
- Support spiritual experiencers in ways that gives wide berth for increased sensitivities of awareness, empathy, and compassion.

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