



Creativity as a Functional Goal in a Biomedical or Neurodevelopmental Music Therapy Practice

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Abstract If creativity is an essential component to what it means to be human, then creativity is a viable outcome for therapy when treating people with disabilities. However, in most music therapy education and research, creativity has never been considered as a desired or targeted therapeutic outcome. Participants will learn how creativity can be a functional outcome in music therapy. Through demonstrations and a workshop, participants will see examples of creativity as a functional outcome in music therapy and practice designing goals and session strategies to address creativity.

Statement of Relationship

Creativity as a Functional Goal in a Biomedical or Neurodevelopmental Music Therapy Practice is approved by the Certification Board for Music Therapists (CBMT) for 3 Continuing Music Therapy Education credits. The Southwestern Region of the American Music Therapy Association, AP-055 maintains responsibility for program quality and adherence to CBMT policies and criteria.