COLLABORATION WITH CLIENTS

3 BIG IDEAS

Collaboration is rooted in connection

Collaborating helps clients clarify their characteristics, goals, and motivations

When clients better understand themselves, they gain confidence and self-esteem

2 WAYS TO PUT THIS INTO PRACTICE

Ensure intentionality in your working alliance with clients

Align your support methods with your tasks and interactions

1 NEXT STEP

What changes in attitude, mindset, or behaviour will you make to reduce barriers for a meaningful relationship with clients?

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