

Research Project: Stress Management - ABSR Online Courses

Eight weeks to escape the hectic life of our time. Get to know short effective exercises and incorporate them into your life.

Holistic approach: Everyday exercises, contemplation, movement. Process-oriented: Exchange in the group, facilitated meetings.

Effort: Nine online meetings of 1:15h duration 1x a week

15 minutes daily practice plus 5 minutes reflection

Leaders: Dr med Harald Haas and Theodor Hundhammer

Execution: Certified ABSR course leaders and practitioners

Research: Institute for Complementary and Integrative Medicine

of the University of Bern

Participation: People in need of stress reduction and personal strength

ening and people with a high stress level at work.

Start: Depending on your course around 30 September 2023

Cost: Between 80 and 225 Euros, depending on

the situation, sponsored seats available.

Information and registration:

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Invitation to the research project: Stress Management with ABSR Online Courses

Target group: People who generally need stress reduction

and personal strengthening and people

exposed to high stress levels at work.

Method: Holistic and process-oriented. Everyday

exercises, contemplation, movement. Exchange in the group, facilitated meetings.

Lead: Dr. med. H. Haas and T. Hundhammer, ABSR

course instructors and practitioners.

Research: How does the therapeutic application of Rudolf Steiner's lecture "Overcoming

Nervousness" through Activity-based Stress Reduction (ABSR) change stress levels and affect participant satisfaction? How does the performance of the course

instructors influence the outcome?

Researcher: The evaluation is carried out by the Institute for Complementary and Integrative

Medicine IKIM at the University of Bern using four questionnaires at the beginning,

in the middle, at the end and 8 weeks after the course.

Theoretical basis:

As early as 1912, Rudolf Steiner developed seven easy-to-use and highly effective exercises for stress management in a lecture entitled "Overcoming Nervousness". The exercises activate health forces, provide balance and enable us to cope with the demands of life:

Seven amplifiers of stress factors playfully transformed and dissolved by:

Forgetfulness Conscious misplacement of objects
Jumpiness and anxiety Changing handwriting in a playful way

Self-doubt and over-concern Thinking texts and circumstances in reverses order

Restlessness and loss of control Changing habits in a playful way

Dependency Temporarily refraining from small wishes
Compulsion and indecision Practicing decision-making with the heart
Circling or compulsive thoughts Refraining from criticism and self-criticism

The practical exercises are supplemented with simple movement exercises that illustrate the topic, make it accessible to the senses and enhance the effect of the exercises.

"It's not always the right thing to say that if someone is sick, you should send them to the pharmacy, where they will find the right medicine they need. – The right thing to do will be to arrange the whole of life in such a way that people are less affected by diseases at all or that the diseases are less oppressive."

(Rudolf Steiner, Overcoming Nervousness, https://rsarchive.org.

We are still looking for participants.

Participate in the research at half price and draw full benefit from the course. Help to investigate and further improve the effectiveness of ABSR courses for sustainable stress management.

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