

## Group 1:

- History of DSM - Chapter 20
- Power of diagnosis
- Begin history of conversion therapy
- Gay psychiatrist who sat in mtgs & testified
- Gender dysphoria not the same as homosexuality
- American Psychiatric Association system - homophobia, heteronormativity
- Articles on critiques of the DSM

### 1.) History of homosexuality - Josely

- Definition
- Religion/culture/family systems

### 2.) History of DSM - Kim

- Power of diagnosis
- Origins of homosexuality w/in & its effects
- medically-based

### 3.) Therapy options - Alicia

- Consequences
- cultural/societal shift/stigmas
- Emotional effects (suicide rates, etc.)
  - Minority/oppression
  - Human rights/Laws

\* Integration of Ethical Codes for ea. section, 1 article per section

★ Presentation Due: ~~May 2<sup>nd</sup>~~ April 25<sup>th</sup>

## Professional Issues in Counseling and Mental Health Group Presentation Assignment

### Objectives

#### Students will:

Examine an ethical issue in counseling and present this issue to colleagues

Identify and explain different sides of one ethical issue (dilemmas, controversies and tensions from different interpretations and perspectives)

Identify impact of systems, cultures, and other forces that may affect the counseling process (i.e., accessibility to resources, ableism, poverty, racism, classism, homophobia)

Identify current policy and law regarding the ethical issue

Utilize relevant practice, values and ethics literature as well as research to critically examine a counseling practice issue

Participate in the negotiation, creativity and role identification required to complete a group task

### Format:

Each group will have 30 minutes for the presentation

- No more than 3-5 bullet pts. for each slide.

The following is a suggested *timetable* for the presentation:

**5 min** Introduction and background of ethical issue

Current impact on counseling practice

Supporting statistics

} Collective

- Discuss lack of information

**20 min** Current law, policy, political/social interest as well as public opinion

Josely < regarding the ethical issue and their impact on counseling

me < Systems, institutions, and forces involved dealing with the ethical issue as a counselor

each — Ethics, principles and values related to the ethical issue

Ancia — Recent ethical dilemmas regarding the ethical issues and the outcome after resolution

**5 min** Conclusion, Q & A

Present ethical dilemma to class

} Collective