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# ANGER MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

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**COURSE LENGTH: 1.0 DAYS** 

Allowing yourself to be controlled by your anger can have disastrous results in the way you behave or react to situations or other people. The Anger Management workshop by PD Training teaches you how to manage anger so that it does not control you but helps you control it.

This workshop teaches: the process of finding a deeper understanding of the realities of anger, learning the helpful and unhelpful ways to deal with anger, how to "blow off steam", controlling stressful situations in a positive manner, the benefits of managing anger to improve your personal and professional life and much more.

This comprehensive and valuable training course is now available across the U.S., including Atlanta, Austin, Baltimore, Boston, Charlotte, Chicago, Dallas, Houston, Los Angeles, Manhattan, Miami, Orlando, Philadelphia, San Antonio and Seattle.

#### ANGER MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP COURSE OUTLINE

#### **FOREWORD**

Benjamin Franklin once said, "In this world nothing can be said to be certain, except death and taxes." We would add a third item to his list: anger. Anger can be an incredibly damaging force, costing people their jobs, personal relationships, and even their lives when it gets out of hand. However, since everyone experiences anger, it is important to have constructive approaches to manage it effectively.

This **Anger Management Training** program will help teach participants how to identify their anger triggers and what to do when they get angry.

#### **OUTCOMES**

### By the end of this training course, participants will:

- ▶ Gain a better understanding of anger & the natural anger cycle
- Gain insight into the "fight or flight" response that triggers anger
- Understand the realities of anger
- Learn helpful & unhelpful ways of dealing with anger
- ▶ Master strategies for gaining control of anger in all situations
- ▶ Learn some productive ways of "blowing off steam"
- Learn how to improve home life & work life by managing anger better

### **MODULES**

Lesson 1: Understanding Anger	Lesson 2: Solving the Problem
► The cycle of anger	► Choosing a solution
Understanding fight or flight	Making a plan
Common myths about anger	▶ Getting it done
Lesson 3: Do's and Don'ts	Lesson 4: Personal Plan
▶ Unhelpful ways of dealing with anger	Understanding hot buttons
▶ Helpful ways of dealing with anger	Identifying your hot buttons
	A personal anger log
Lesson 5: Gaining Control	Lesson 6: The Triple A Approach

- A word of warning
- Using coping thoughts
- Using relaxation techniques
- Blowing off some steam

- Alter
- ▶ Avoid
- Accept

# Lesson 7: Separate the People from the Problem

- ▶ Objective vs. subjective language
- Identifying the problem
- Using "I" statements

# Lesson 9: Working on the Problem

- Using constructive disagreement
- Negotiating tips
- Building consensus
- Identifying solutions

## Lesson 8: Dealing with Angry People

- Understanding the energy curve
- De-Escalation techniques
- When to back away and what to do next

# Lesson 10: Pulling it All Together

- Process overview
- Putting it into action

#### **WEB LINKS**

- View this course online
- In-house Training Instant Quote