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Course Information Sheet

Shame and Addiction (2 education hours)

<u>Course Description</u>: Shame is a powerful, elusive, and clever emotion that can protect or destroy an individual. The healthy function of shame is to protect and motivate us to move in a positive direction. This course examines shame and the addict.

Course Objectives:

- 1. Explain the healthy function of the emotion of shame
- 2. Describe how shame can become a negative emotion and lead to destructive thoughts and behaviors
- 3. Discuss how shame can lead to use of , abuse of , and addiction to various types of drugs and alcohol
- 4. Participate in an exercise that will help you recognize and understand the role that shame plays in your life

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