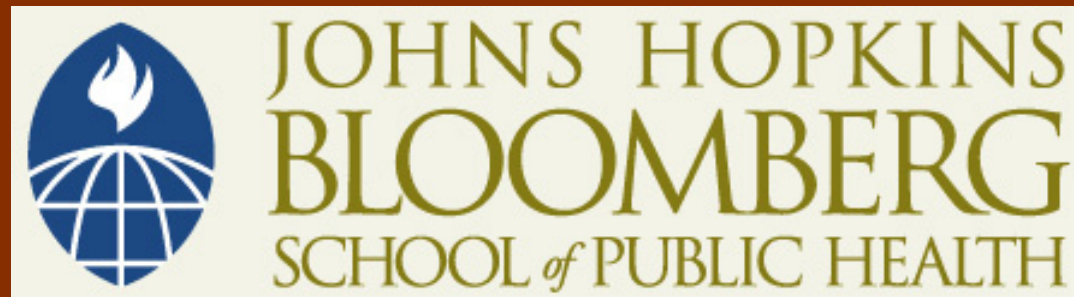


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Section D

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Selection of Interventions

- “It is not enough to do the right thing, you have to do the right thing right, for the right problem, and at the right time.”
 - Identifying the “right” problem
 - Choosing the “right” time
 - ▶ Developmental considerations
 - ▶ Onset/progression of problems
 - ▶ Timing of critical event

Adaptation

- Manuals and training
 - Modifications of manuals for differences in background mental health knowledge
 - Simplification of forms

- Process
 - Adaptations informed by those who know and are part of the culture (i.e., counselors themselves)
 - Identify variations rather than components
 - Adaptation is a process—not a one-time event

Review

- Identify the problems to be “treated”
- Determine the appropriate approach—psychosocial or psychological/psychiatric
 - Type of problem
 - Available human and financial resources
- Collaborate on adaptation and implementation
- **EVALUATE!**

What We Have Learned



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