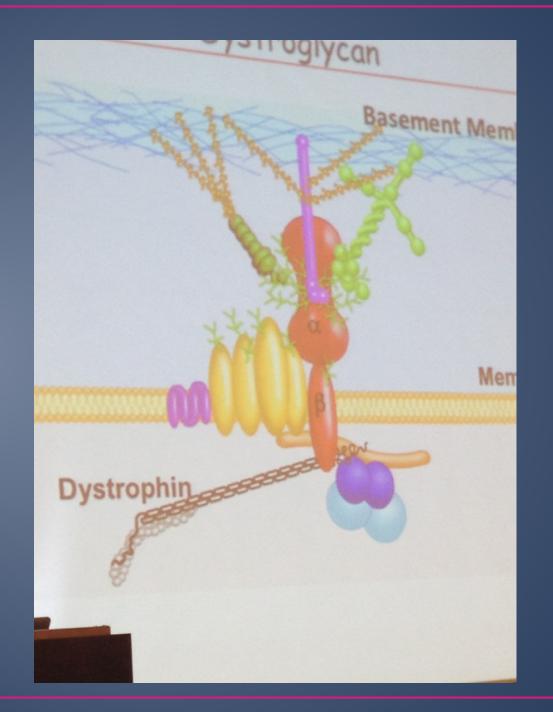
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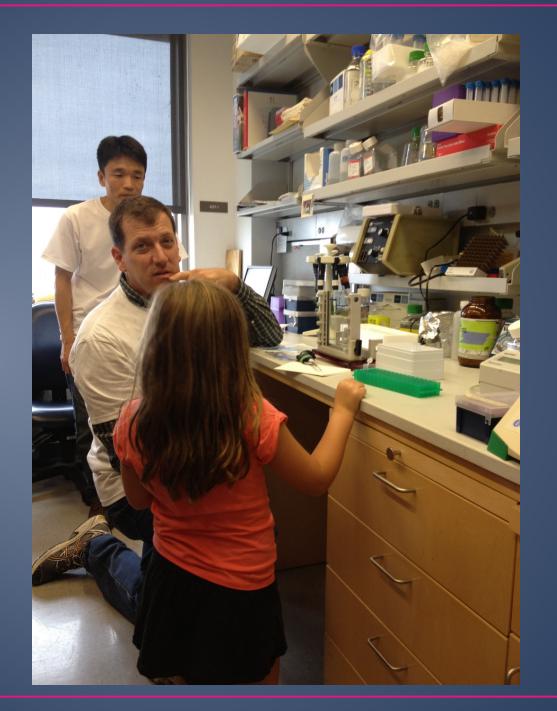










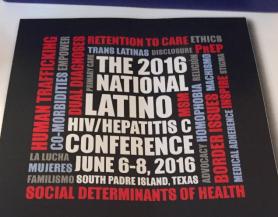






#### SINCE I'VE LAST SEEN YOU...





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This is the first of two posts of photos from the 2015 Black Tie Dinner, held Saturday night, Nov. 14, at Sheraton Dallas Hotel. The fundraiser featured speeches by Dallas Mayor Mike Rawlings, Houston Mayor Annise Parker, Kuchling Award winner Melissa Grove, marriage plaintiff Jim Obergefell, E! Entertainment Vice President Jim Olde, a representative of The Trevor Project, HRC President Chad Griffin and more.

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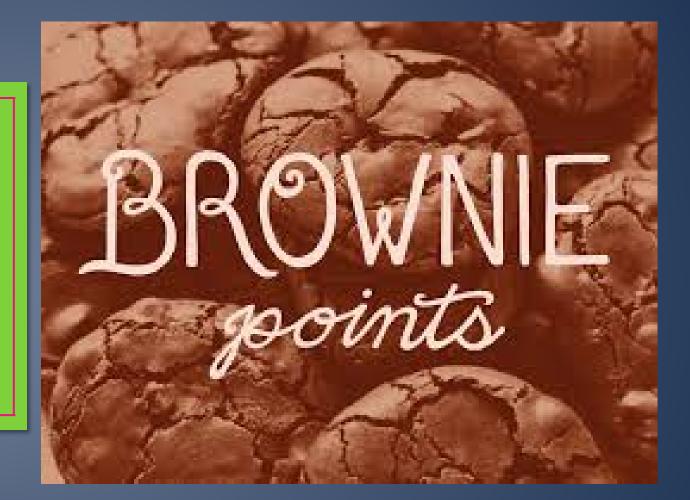


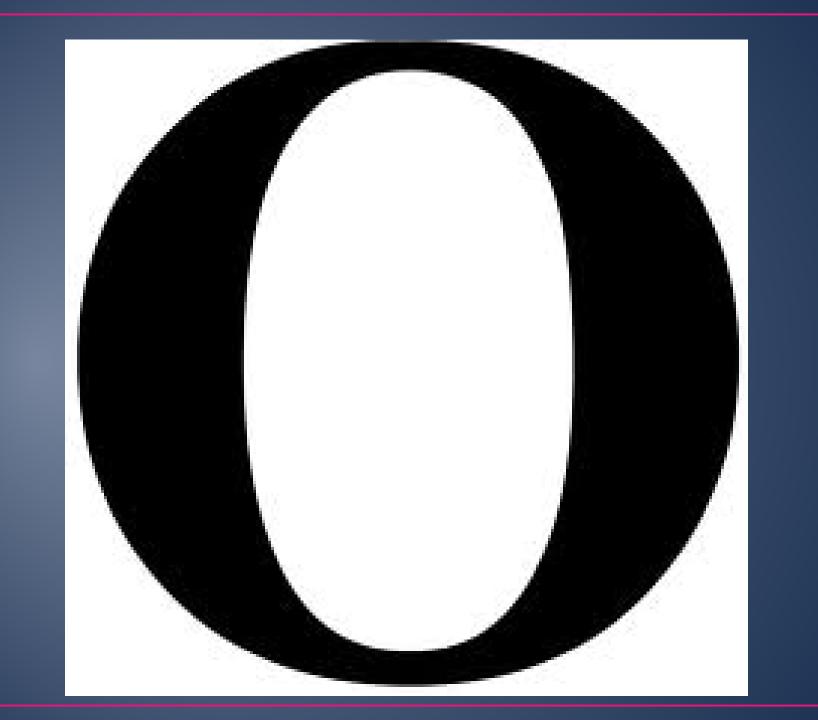




#### MENTAL HEALTH

How many brownie points do you get for being unhappy and miserable?





What are the chances that being depressed or unhappy will improve your MD?



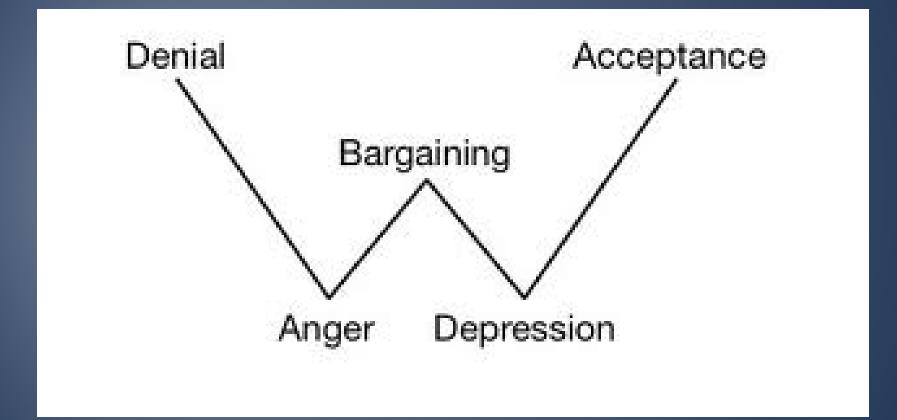
Andrew McCarthy Jami Gertz Robert Downey, Jr.



How much time have you spent researching and thinking about....

- Buying a car
- Picking out a new outfit
- Learning about apps on your phone
- Planning a vacation
- Learning skills to be your happiest self?
- Thinking about how you can add meaning and value? Living your best life?

## Skill Building





### Internal vs External locus of control

LOCUS OF CONTROL ? 1S YOUR WHICH think "There is nothina db Can about my otvre Jook what I can do!" "I can determine, my future. "why bother? Internal locus External locus of control of control Things happen to you. You make things happen.

What am I going to do about it?



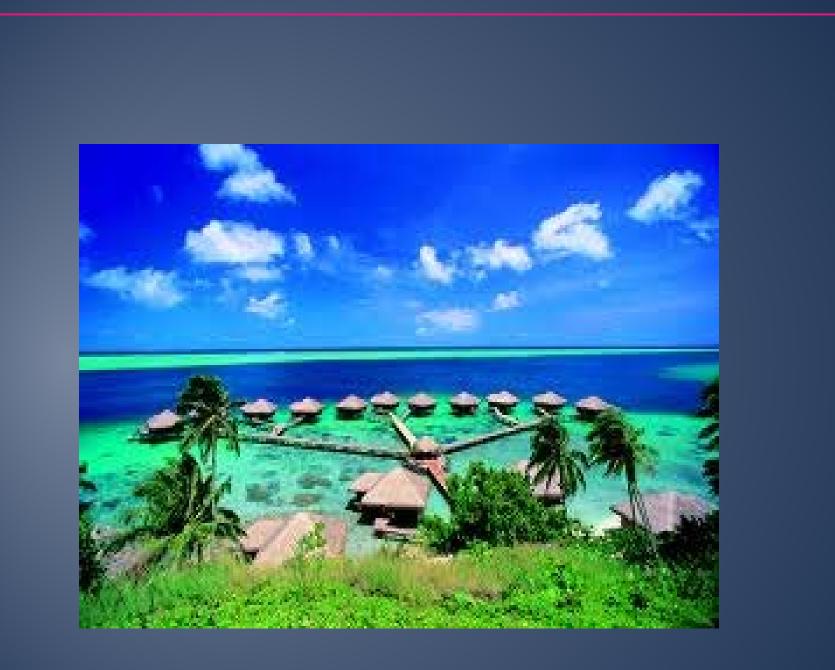


## REFRAMING



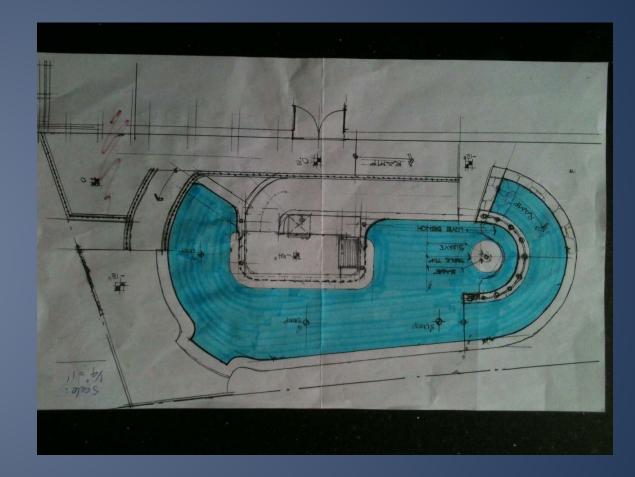




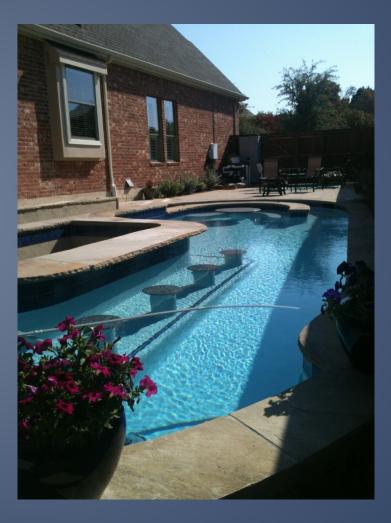


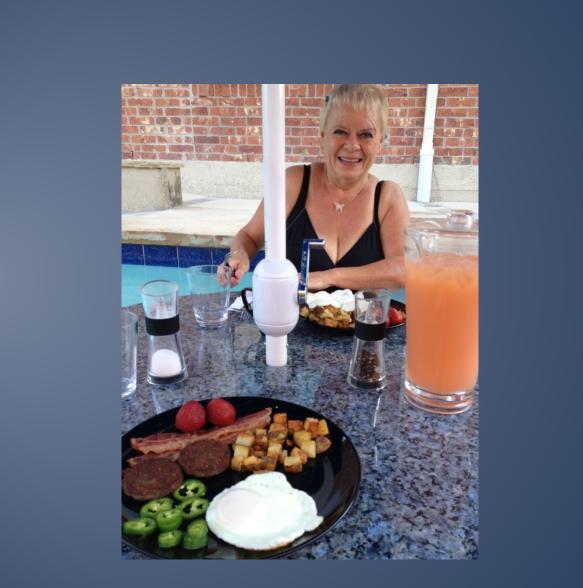


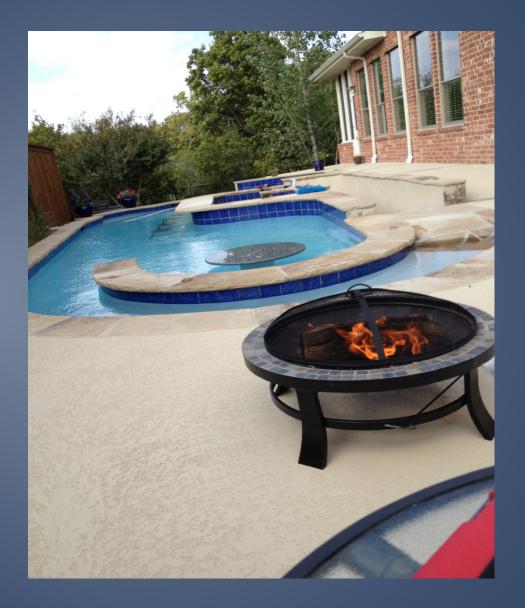
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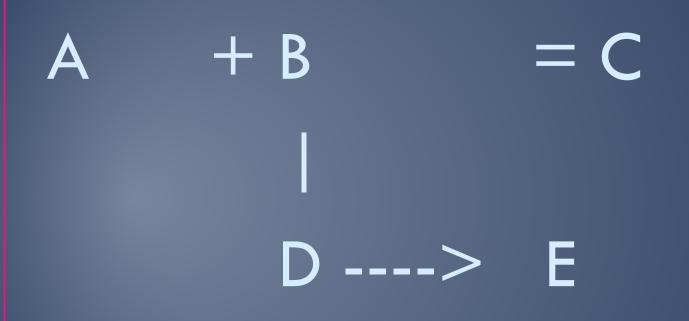








# Rational Emotive Therapy



#### Irrational Words

- Can't
- Should
- Never
- Always
- Worst
- Have to
- Got to
- Need to

#### **Rational Words**

- Better if
- Prefer if
- Might
- Maybe
- Somewhat
- Difficult but not impossible

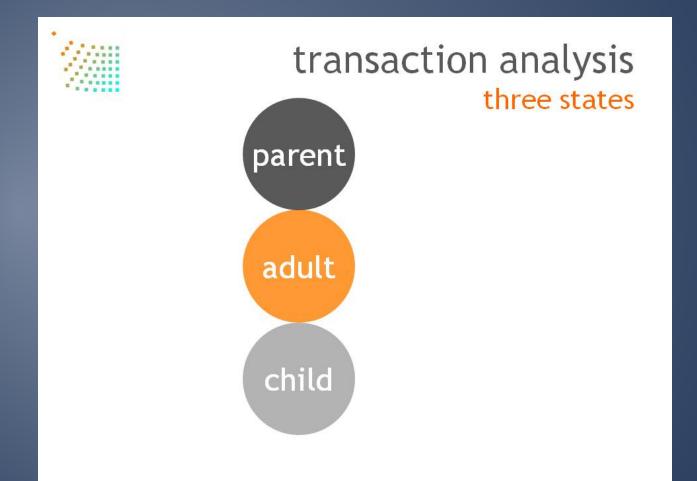
Mantras:

"It's inconvenient not catastrophic"

In case of emergency...

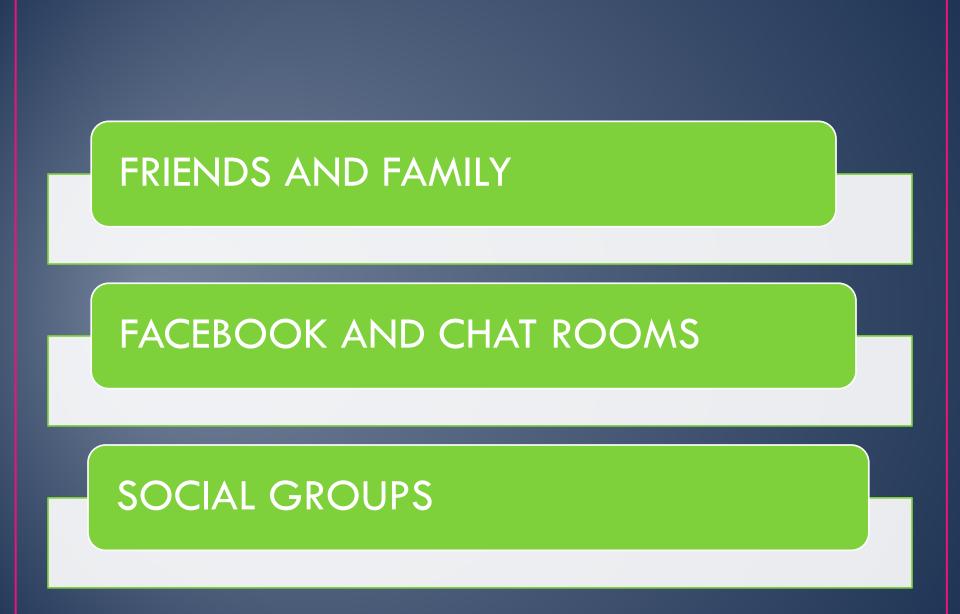
"Everything going to be ok."

## PARENT ADULT CHILD





## SUPPORT





### VOLUNTEERING





