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ILL-AbilitiesTM Train the Trainer Program

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- Client Profile Discussion*** (Shortened Version)
- Methodology
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- Simulation Activities
- Situations
- Final Group Discussion



Adapt, stay positive, and find your own way to do things!







ILL-A•bil•i•ty ['il-ə-'bi-lə-tē] noun, plural ILL-Abilities for 2~

- an adaptation of power, strength, and creativity.
- creating advantages from disadvantages.
- exploiting your capabilities ~ to live life to the fullest potential.

believing in yourself ~ to accomplish anything you set your mind to.









- Strength Based Model \bullet
 - Always focus on the dancer's strengths and not their weaknesses \bullet
- **Observation** \bullet
 - Pay attention to detail \bullet
- Littlest movement makes the biggest difference
 - Take the simplest movements into consideration ullet
- Freestyle
 - Allow the student to create their own movement







- **Body Awareness & Adaptation** \bullet
 - \bullet their bodies best.
- Communication \bullet
- Be honest with yourself and with your student \bullet
- <u>Teamwork</u> \bullet
 - Create a family environment for the dancers to feel safe to work together \bullet
- Recreation
 - Not therapy! Students more motivated in a recreational environment \bullet

Challenge your students to discover new movement. Encourage them to adapt themselves. They know







