

TECHNIQUES IN TEACHING HUMAN SEXUALITY

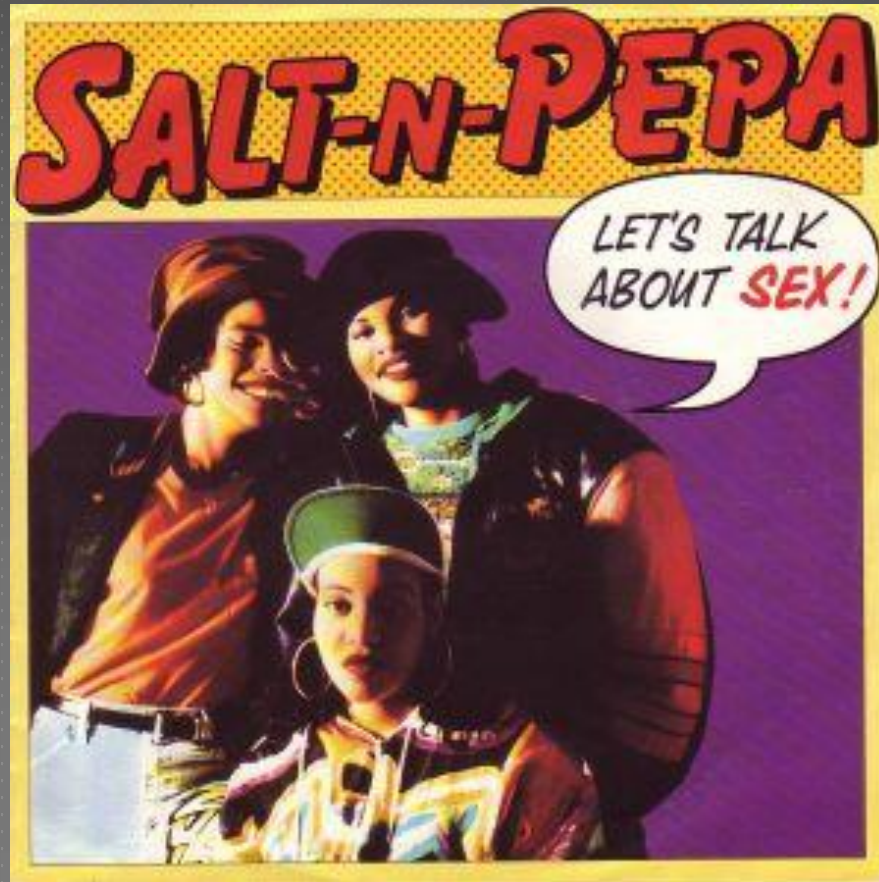
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OBJECTIVES

- ▶ At the conclusion of this session, participants will be able to:
 - ▶ Be familiar with current research and recommendations for teaching Human Sexuality
 - ▶ Compare and contrast different teaching styles
 - ▶ Discuss topics that should be included under the title of Human Sexuality
 - ▶ Share possible new techniques in teaching Human Sexuality

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- ▶ The program curriculum must include instruction in the social and behavioral sciences as well as normal and abnormal development across the life span.
 - ▶ Annotation: Social and behavioral sciences prepare students for primary care practice. Instruction includes detection and treatment of substance abuse; human sexuality; issues of death, dying and loss; response to illness, injury and stress; principles of violence identification and prevention; and psychiatric/behavioral conditions.

PAEA CURRICULUM SURVEY

- ▶ Lecture/ Lab combined hours of instruction
 - ▶ Mean= 7.8
- ▶ Lecture/ Discussion hours of instruction
 - ▶ Mean= 7.3
- ▶ Lab/ Practicum hours of instruction
 - ▶ Mean= 5.9

PAEA CURRICULUM SURVEY

Modality	Percentage
Lectures	98.6
Group Discussion	52.7
Seminars	6.8
Online Coursework	4.1
Simulations	2.7
Clinical Skills Labs	4.1
Labs	0
Patient or Case Based Learning	23.0
Interaction with Preceptors	10.8
OSCEs	2.7
Standardized Patients	10.8
Team-Based Learning	9.5

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- ▶ Objective
 - ▶ Assess how well medical schools prepare physicians to diagnosis and treat sexual problems
- ▶ Prospective cohort study
 - ▶ 125 US schools; 16 Canadian schools
- ▶ Results
 - ▶ One course 31.7%, Multidisciplinary 63.4%
 - ▶ 54.1% offered 3-10 hours of education
 - ▶ 42.6% offered clinical programs
 - ▶ Topics Covered
 - ▶ Causes of sexual dysfunction 94.1%
 - ▶ Treatment of sexual dysfunction 85.2%
 - ▶ Altered sexual identification 79.2%
 - ▶ Issues of sexuality in illness or disability 69.3%

WHAT ARE THE TOPICS THAT SHOULD BE INCLUDED?



WHAT TECHNIQUES CAN BE USED?



WHAT COURSES?

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