Cultural Competency Resources

The following links to external websites are provided as a courtesy for further interest. The von Tauber Institute does not endorse the products or services offered on these websites.

Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality

Agency discusses part 1 of a report that highlights objectives of cultural competence research. Here they outline goals, methodology, findings and possible practical considerations when it comes to health care.

American Academy of Family Physicians

Provides a description of cultural competence and its importance and a self-assessment cultural competence tool that can assist physicians in improving their practice.

American College of Physicians

ACP Ethics Manual (6th. Ed.).

American Medical Association

International Medical Graduates in American Medicine

American Psychiatric Association

Diversity resources, including: videos, reports, curricula, fact sheets and brochures.

American Psychological Association

Organization highlights mental disorders most commonly affecting Asian Americans with an emphasis for the need for culturally competent health care professionals.

Association of American Medical Colleges

Tool for Assessing Cultural Competence Training (TACCT).

Association of Schools of Public Health

Discusses cultural competence education for students in medicine and public health.

BMC Health Services Research (Article)

Cultural Competence in Mental Health Care: A review of Model Evaluations.

Health Affairs (Article)

Cultural Competence and Health Care Disparities: Key Perspectives and Trends.

National Alliance on Mental Illness

What cultural competency means when it comes to mental health and recommended reforms for improving cultural competency in mental health.

National Institutes of Health

Description of what cultural competency is, why it is important and how to learn more about this.

New York State Psychiatric Institute

Center of Excellence for Cultural Competence (NYSPI-CECC).

Office of Mental Health

Provides a list of resources dealing with cultural competent needs of different groups.

The American Journal of Psychiatry

The AJP lists articles that specifically discuss cultural competence.

The Commonwealth Fund (Article)

Cultural Competence in Health Care: Emerging Frameworks and Practical Approaches.