Addiction: an effective 'Disconnector'





A 'family' may be relatives, friends, partners...the key is supportive.

BURN OUT...DISCONNECTED.. NO SUPPORT AT THIS TIME

- borrowed MONEY stolen
- lost FINANCIAL STABILITY gone
- massive amounts of TIME at the expense of others
 - stolen BELONGINGS pawned
 - broken RELATIONSHIP abusive
 - working RETIREMENT gone



no TRUST broken

- damaged HEALTH
- lost FRIENDS lonely

lost RESPECT self

• REPEAT

"Through the hoop, Bob! Through the hoop!"

A loaded question...

 Is it possible that working within the principle of confidentiality might have the potential to harm your client?

 Could it be in your client's best interest to work with a supportive team/a supportive family? If so...how?

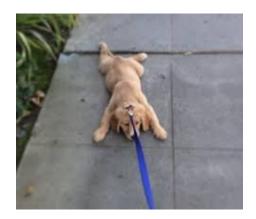
Working within confidentiality guidelines....

- Confidentiality...
 - Discuss importance of, first with client to gain cooperation and understanding;
 - Decide on parameters with client;
 - Present parameters to family support;
 - Make space for client to have individual time;
 - Support the support!



The reluctant client...

- May have to honour but explore...
 - Shame- how did this become me?
 - Guilt- previous actions, behaviours;
 - Cover ups- use is greater than stated;
 - Independence-wants to prove they can do it;
 - Fear of failure- relapse again.



HELP SEPARATE THE 'DOER' FROM THE DEED; The BEHAVIOUR FROM THE PERSON.

HOPE...

