Syllabus of CBT

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What is CBT?
What CBT isn't
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Lesson 2

Criticisms of CBT
Establishing the Therapeutic Relationship
Establishing Rapport
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ABC MODEL
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Goal setting cognition Useful Cognitive Techniques Problems with Cognition

Lesson 5

Behavioral techniques
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Activity Scheduling
Useful Physical Techniques
Relaxation
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Anxiety
Understanding and working with Anxiety Disorders
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Anger Management using CBT
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Understanding and Working with Stress

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