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### **Reading Leadership Questions Week 8**

1. According to the article regarding the justice system and COD, despite the many EB Interventions used throughout the diverse systems, the interventions are considered insufficient when treating offenders with COD. What are some of the problems with how the interventions are used?
2. In a remedy to treat SMI patients with co-morbidity of SUD should it be a requirement or prerequisite for a psychiatrist to have IDDT as a skill to obtain a license to serve patients with SMI and SUD?
3. According to the article, why do you think that the budget for EBP for integrated treatment in the BH agency's leadership placed more focus on education and training sessions than and not the implementation of the actual EBP IDDT? What are some of the disparities that should be considered when planning for a COD program?