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SWK354/SWK554: Human Behavior in the Social Environment II

Reflection # 11

1-Discuss the three primary reasons why AA may work for some people.

1. It offers the necessary social environment for addressing the issue. It is a place where people can feel understood and accepted for who they are in this social setting. Any program that can address the challenges of demotivation and loneliness would be beneficial to people.

2.It offers a communal environment for social support. Feeling like you belong—that you are not special—is essential for success in most groups. People acquire confidence that they can act to fix their difficulties by expressing their emotions and obtaining emotional support.

3.It offers a logical framework and a direction to take. When your life is thrown upside down, having a self-determined behavioral regimen you can rely on can be crucial. A mechanism for energy focus is provided by the stages.

2-Discuss several problems related to the deinstitutionalization of the mentally ill.

- There are twice as many persons living in public psychiatric hospitals as there are on the streets and in shelters. Serious mental illness is becoming more prevalent among those incarcerated in the country's jails and prisons. Serious mental illness patients are frequently discharged from hospitals with little to no aftercare or follow-up care. People with untreated mental illness are increasingly committing violent acts.

3-Identify several strengths and landmarks of development that present in middle adulthood.

- Midlife adults take on a range of social roles. There are new chances for friendships and deeper connections with adult children. Midlife may also offer benefits in the workplace.