

The Association of Drug Referral Centres Limited

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CENTRE ENQUIRIES: Kings Cross, 31-2579; Manly, 977-2197.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Jurriaan Plesman, has been a voluntary worker at this Centre since January, 1974. He has regularly attended the Centre's approved Training Course during 1974 and has passed our requirements for accreditation with above-average results. Following accreditation, he specialized under supervision in the area of behaviour modification. He quickly became proficient in facilitation of informal group therapy, transactional analysis, rational emotive therapy, relaxation and systematic desensitization.

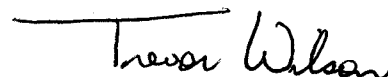
Because of his qualifications in psychology, the Centre has been able to use Jurriaan's special skills to help the Centre's more severely disturbed clients.

I have taken a great interest in Jurriaan's personal development; he tends to take the initiative and shows a positive approach in rehabilitative counselling. Lately he has become interested in helping clients who tend to act out their aggressions through a technique which allows clients to discover how aggression is related to negative aspects of their self-esteem. This has enabled us to deal positively with more clients than was hitherto thought possible.

Jurriaan's interest in the rehabilitation of drug dependency has motivated him to visit overseas drug treatment centres in Europe, England and the United States, and his report has enriched our knowledge on the subject.

Jurriaan has expressed a wish to further his skills in rehabilitative counselling and intends to obtain post-graduate qualifications. He is now working as a Probation and Parole Officer with the Department of Corrective Services, and there is no doubt in my mind that he will be a success in his chosen vocation.

It is certainly hoped that the Centre will retain his services as a voluntary worker with us, but in any case I wish him the best for his future plans.



Trevor R. Wilson,
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR.