

## S52-01

### VALUES AND ETHICS IN PSYCHIATRIC TRAINING

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**Aims:** To present reflections on the importance on teaching a method to work with values in psychiatric training

**Method:** Based on 6 years of teaching at training courses in values and ethics the papers presented by the trainees on values will be discussed and case examples be presented for discussion

**Results:** Ethical reflection in psychiatry is influencing many aspects of everyday practice and decision making. The papers presented by the trainees showed a great variety in capability to reflect abstract ethical issues and relate them to practical clinical work. One especially interesting aspect was the confrontation on how different cultural backgrounds amongst the trainees reflect the values with which they practice psychiatry

**Conclusion:** A training course involving discussion of ethics and values is essential to raise awareness of ethical reflection and providing tools to do so