Social Graces Icebreaker

- Take a fruit pastel each
- Each colour relates to a different question
- Speak to other people in the group and share your answers with each other

Remember, social graces are both visible and invisible, voice and unvoiced







Take a moment to reflect on the icebreaker

Each table has a case study. Use your knowledge and understanding of sociocultural trauma and social graces to answer the following questions:

- What in my practice might the person of family be experiencing as helpful, and what might be unhelpful or even oppressive?
- How is sociocultural trauma showing up in the working relationship?
- How does my presence impact the person/family I'm supporting?
- In what way do my biases impact on my professional ability?







How did it feel doing the activity?

What came up for you during the exercise?

What will you take into practice/your service moving forward?

Take a moment to write down your pledge





