

# **pura vida counseling and wellness**

## **Pura Vida Counseling and Wellness: Finding Your Path to Peace and Wellbeing**

Are you feeling overwhelmed, stressed, or just a little lost? Life can throw curveballs, and sometimes we need a helping hand to navigate the challenges and rediscover our inner peace. At Pura Vida Counseling and Wellness, we believe in the power of holistic well-being, and this post will guide you through our services, philosophy, and how we can help you on your journey to a more fulfilling life. We'll explore what makes Pura Vida Counseling and Wellness unique, and how our approach to counseling and wellness can support you in achieving your personal goals.

### **Understanding the Pura Vida Philosophy: More Than Just a Slogan**

"Pura Vida" – a Costa Rican expression meaning "pure life" – encapsulates our core philosophy. It's about embracing the simple joys, finding gratitude in everyday moments, and cultivating a positive mindset. At Pura Vida Counseling and Wellness, we integrate this philosophy into our approach, focusing on creating a supportive and nurturing environment where you can explore your thoughts, feelings, and experiences without judgment. We understand that true wellness encompasses mind, body, and spirit, and we're committed to helping you find balance in all three.

### **Our Comprehensive Range of Counseling Services**

We offer a diverse range of counseling services tailored to meet your individual needs. These include:

**Individual Therapy:** Addressing personal challenges, relationship issues, trauma, anxiety, depression, and more. We provide a safe space for self-discovery and personal growth, using evidence-based therapeutic approaches to help you develop coping mechanisms and achieve lasting change. Our therapists are trained in various modalities, including Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT), Dialectical Behavior Therapy (DBT), and person-centered therapy, allowing us to customize our approach to best fit your unique needs.

**Couples Counseling:** Navigating the complexities of relationships can be challenging. Our experienced therapists guide couples through conflict resolution, communication improvement, and strengthening their bond. We help couples understand each other's perspectives and develop healthy patterns of interaction.

**Family Therapy:** Family dynamics play a significant role in our overall well-being. Our family therapists work with families to improve communication, resolve conflicts, and strengthen family bonds. We create a supportive environment where family members can learn

healthier ways of interacting and supporting one another.

**Group Therapy:** Connecting with others who share similar experiences can be incredibly powerful. Our group therapy sessions provide a sense of community and support, allowing individuals to learn from each other and develop coping strategies in a shared setting.

## **Beyond Counseling: Embracing Holistic Wellness**

Pura Vida Counseling and Wellness goes beyond traditional talk therapy. We believe that true well-being is achieved through a holistic approach, incorporating various elements to support your overall health and happiness. This includes:

**Mindfulness Practices:** We offer workshops and resources on mindfulness techniques, such as meditation and yoga, to help you manage stress, cultivate self-awareness, and improve your mental clarity.

**Nutritional Guidance:** We recognize the profound link between nutrition and mental health. We can connect you with registered dietitians who can provide personalized guidance on improving your diet and enhancing your overall well-being.

**Lifestyle Coaching:** Our lifestyle coaches work with you to develop healthy habits and create a lifestyle that supports your mental and physical health. This might include guidance on exercise, sleep hygiene, stress management, and time management.

## **Our Team of Compassionate and Experienced Professionals**

Our team is comprised of licensed therapists and wellness professionals dedicated to providing compassionate, evidence-based care. We are committed to creating a safe and welcoming environment where you feel comfortable sharing your vulnerabilities and working towards your goals. We prioritize building strong therapeutic relationships founded on trust, respect, and understanding.

## **Finding the Right Path for You at Pura Vida Counseling and Wellness**

Choosing a therapist or wellness program is a personal decision. We encourage you to explore our website, read testimonials, and contact us to learn more about how we can support you. Your journey to a more fulfilling life starts with taking the first step. Contact us today to schedule a consultation and discover how Pura Vida Counseling and Wellness can help you find your path to peace and wellbeing.

## **Conclusion**

At Pura Vida Counseling and Wellness, we are dedicated to helping you live a more balanced and fulfilling life. Whether you are seeking traditional counseling or a more holistic approach, we provide a supportive and nurturing environment where you can heal,

grow, and discover your true potential. Embrace the "pura vida" – embrace your well-being.

## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

1. What insurance plans do you accept? We accept most major insurance plans, but it's best to contact us directly to verify your coverage.
1. What are your hours of operation? Our hours are flexible to accommodate your schedule. Please contact us to discuss availability.
1. Do you offer online counseling sessions? Yes, we offer telehealth services for the convenience of our clients.
1. What is the cost of your services? The cost varies depending on the type of service and your insurance coverage. We are happy to provide a detailed cost breakdown during your initial consultation.
1. What makes Pura Vida Counseling and Wellness different? We combine evidence-based therapeutic approaches with a holistic wellness philosophy, focusing on mind, body, and spirit to achieve lasting positive change. We prioritize building strong therapeutic relationships and creating a supportive, judgment-free environment for our clients.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Body & Soul (Watertown, Mass.)** , 2007

**pura vida counseling and wellness:** *Tantsu* Harold Dull, 2008

**pura vida counseling and wellness: The Seven Spiritual Laws of Success** Deepak Chopra, 2010-03-29 In *The Seven Spiritual Laws of Success*, Deepak Chopra distills the essence of his teachings into seven simple, yet powerful principles that can easily be applied to create success in all areas of your life. Based on natural laws that govern all of creation, this book shatters the myth that success is the result of hard work, exacting plans, or driving ambition. Instead, Chopra offers a life-altering perspective on the attainment of success: Once we understand our true nature and learn to live in harmony with natural law, a sense of well-being, good health, fulfilling relationships, energy and enthusiasm for life, and material abundance will spring forth easily and effortlessly. Filled with timeless wisdom and practical steps you can apply right away, this is a book you will cherish for a lifetime, for within its pages are the secrets to making all your dreams come true. A

must-read for anyone who missed *The Prophet*, by Kahlil Gibran. — The New York Times

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Applied Mindfulness** Victor G. Carrión, M.D., John Rettger, Ph.D., 2019-02-11 *Applied Mindfulness: Approaches in Mental Health for Children and Adolescents* starts from the premise that mental health clinicians must have their own mindfulness practice before teaching the tenets and techniques of mindfulness to others, including young people. To that end, the book offers readers clear instructions on how to first practice mindfulness in their own lives and then extend their personal practice outward to others. Once this knowledge is internalized, the clinician can focus on mindfulness in terms of its application to specific clinical diagnoses, such as anxiety and depression, attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder, and substance abuse. Because many mental health professionals work in multiple settings, such as in schools, in clinics, and online, the contributors, representing a wide range of creative and authoritative voices, explain how to skillfully tailor mindfulness interventions for effective application across diverse contexts. Drs. Carrion and Rettger, as Director of the Stanford Early Life Stress and Pediatric Anxiety Program (SELSPAP) and Director of SELSPAP's Mindfulness Program, respectively, have been engaged in ongoing community-based work delivering mindfulness and yoga programming to underserved youth and their helpers. This expertise is evident in their eloquent yet down-to-earth editing. The volume offers clinicians everything they need to begin their mindfulness journey, including the following: - Introductory knowledge on how to get started with a meditation practice. Specific mindfulness scripts are provided throughout the book to foster development of the reader's own practice. In addition, there are audio practices and clear written descriptions of practices to offer support for those learning to meditate, internalize mindfulness practices, and then adapt these skills for clinical practice. - A developmental and ecological approach to implementing mindfulness. The book offers insight into integrating mindfulness across many settings, platforms, and applications, and includes chapters on mindfulness online, at home, and in school, as well as chapters on incorporating nature into mindfulness practice and the relationship between mindfulness and creativity. - Material on specific clinical populations, including immigrant youth and incarcerated youth. A special chapter is devoted to trauma-informed yoga, which has been shown to be an effective therapeutic intervention for youth who have been incarcerated. - Comprehensive information on the current state of youth mindfulness research, which prepares readers to discuss these topics knowledgeably with colleagues and patients. Like ripples in water, the benefits of mindfulness spread outward, from clinicians to patients, families, schools, and communities. *Applied Mindfulness: Approaches in Mental Health for Children and Adolescents* is the first step toward stress reduction, peace, and compassion for a new generation.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Richard Hittleman's Introduction to Yoga** Richard Hittleman, 1997-08-18 Millions of Americans know of the extraordinary benefits of Yoga--physically, mentally and spiritually. But many have been discouraged from trying Yoga because they believe that years of devotion and arduous exercising are required. Now, here is Yoga simplified. Mr. Hittleman's is a progressive concept of instruction that lets you begin with the elementary positions and gradually advances you at your own pace. You will discover remarkable new strength and energy within you. Your mind and your body will experience the joy that is life at its best. Day by day, you will find yourself growing slimmer, stronger, more graceful. Physical discomforts will vanish. Peace of mind will replace anxiety. You will look, act and feel more truly alive. Richard Hittleman--Author, Lecturer and Television Instructor--has introduced the practice of Yoga to more American s than any other living authority. This book is the second of his Yoga Masterwork series.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Becoming Safely Embodied** Deirdre Fay, MSW, 2021-03-09 Whether you are stuck in the distress of life, or appear like nothing's wrong, you may have faced trauma or incredible stress or suffocating fear. Maybe you wonder whether those emotions, memories, and experiences are blocking you from being as fulfilled and happy as you could be. Maybe you're stuck in patterns that simply no longer work for you. What if you could change it all? What if you could feel safe and solid and secure inside your own body? What if your life could be peaceful and centered and fulfilled? In *Becoming Safely Embodied*, Deidre Fay shares

from her 35 years of psychotherapy and spiritual practice to provide a truly practical way to integrate modern neurobiology and ancient wisdom to finally and completely heal from emotional trauma, no matter how deep or faint, how long ago or recent you experienced the pain. Throughout her years as a therapist, Deirdre noticed that clients would make progress while in a therapy session and then revert to old patterns between sessions. What people need is a set of skills and practices to support ongoing healing and wholeness. That's what this book will help you with. You'll discover: What "trauma" is and why you might have had a hard time healing from this pain, Why shame is an attachment wound and how to harness self-compassion to truly transform suffering, What to do when you feel like you're easily "triggered" by a certain person or situation in your life so that you can stay centered and safe, Instantly effective methods of breath work for brain change and emotional regulation so that you can calm your mind or energize your body, The nine core skills that can help you to be more at home with your internal world and cultivate a body that's a safe place for rest, reflection, and wellbeing, Simple daily practices that (like brushing your teeth) promote ongoing healing in your body, mind, and soul, And much, much more. Whether you are healing from abandonment issues or from pain or from grief—or whether you are helping someone else to heal—*Becoming Safely Embodied* is your map and guidebook to finally becoming at home with your internal world, cultivating a body that's a safe place for rest, reflection, and wellbeing, and creating the life you want to live, instead of living in the life your history catapults you into. You may be wondering, "Is it possible for ME? Can I change? Is it possible for me to shift these painful patterns into a more fulfilling life? Can I truly organize this crazy inner world?" The simple answer is, "Yes," and your journey to becoming safely embodied begins inside the pages of this book.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: *The New Key to Costa Rica*** Beatrice Blake, Anne Becher, 2002-08 *The New Key to Costa Rica* is the ultimate insider's guide to this small but incredibly beautiful country. It leads to many natural wonders, including volcanoes, waterfalls, caves, and cloud forests. The guide shows where to watch wildlife at 38 national parks, reserves, and refuges plus whale-watching tours, dolphin-viewing areas, and butterfly gardens. 20 new maps.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: *The Ticos*** Mavis Hiltunen Biesanz, Richard Biesanz, Karen Zubris Biesanz, 1999 The authors trace the evolution of Costa Rican culture and institutions from pre-Columbian times through the late 1990s. Particularly concerned with the change wrought by the economic crisis of the 1980s, they base their portrayal on interviews with Costa Ricans; observations of many facets—from coffee plantation work to the deliberations of the Legislature; and readings of journalists, essayists, poets, historians, and others. Annotation copyrighted by Book News, Inc., Portland, OR

**pura vida counseling and wellness: *Christian Scripture and Human Resource Management*** G. Roberts, 2015-02-19 *Christian Scripture and Human Resource Management* provides a much-needed Christian faith-based perspective on human resources management written for both line and human resource managers using the framework of servant leadership, the mandated leadership approach used by Jesus.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: *Social and Sustainability Marketing*** Jishnu Bhattacharyya, Manoj Kumar Dash, Chandana Hewege, M.S. Balaji, Weng Marc Lim, 2021-09-26 ... an important intervention in the conversation around social and ecological sustainability that draws on both micromarketing and macromarketing scholarship to help the reader understand the challenges with illustrations from insightful cases both from emerging and developed economies. This compilation should be essential reading for the discerning student of sustainable consumption and production. -- Professor Pierre McDonagh, Associate Editor, *Journal of Macromarketing* (USA); Professor of Critical Marketing & Society, University of Bath, UK Experts in the field of economics, management science, and particularly in the marketing domain have always been interested in and acknowledged the importance of sustaining profitable businesses while incorporating societal and environmental concerns; however, the level of existing literature and availability of teaching cases reflect a dearth of real case studies, especially those focused on marketing for social good. This book of actual case studies will address that need. In addition, this book is important and timely in

providing a case book for instructors (those in both industry and academia) to help them in teaching and training the next generation of leaders through corporate training and universities. Currently, marketing for social good is increasingly becoming a part of most curriculums under the umbrella of different titles, such as social marketing, green marketing, and sustainability marketing. The relevance of these studies is increasing across the globe. This book is composed of long and short real cases with varying complexity in different sectors. This case book will also cover some review articles for an overview of the recent developments in the study area. With these case studies, collections of questions, teaching materials, and real-life marketing scenarios, this book offers a unique source of knowledge to marketing professionals, students, and educators across the world. The main objective of this case book is to understand the applicability of marketing science (marketing for social good context, such as social marketing and sustainability marketing) in internet marketing related to e-buying behavior and e-WOM. In addition, it illustrates the various types of existing marketing practices that are relevant from both theoretical and practical points of view in this electronic era, as well as discussing other non-electronic marketing practices and focusing on consumer buying behavior. As a result, marketing managers can treat their customers according to their desired value. This book particularly explores the possibilities and advantages created by social marketing and sustainability marketing through the presentation of thorough review articles and case studies. This case book helps corporate training centers and universities with compact teaching reference materials in their relevant courses.

**pura vida counseling and wellness:** Fly Girl with Fibro Trina NICOLE, 2018-11-11 Deeply transparent and personal, this is the story of a young woman navigating her past, present and future on a journey of physical, mental and emotional healing. Diagnosed with a chronic pain condition, she must push through the pain everyday to juggle the demands of life. This very relatable story chronicles the life of this self-proclaimed Fly Girl as she fights through much trial and tribulation. In the end, she discovers her own strength and resilience.

**pura vida counseling and wellness:** The Border and Its Bodies Thomas E. Sheridan, Randall H. McGuire, 2019-11-12 The Border and Its Bodies examines the impact of migration from Central America and México to the United States on the most basic social unit possible: the human body. It explores the terrible toll migration takes on the bodies of migrants—those who cross the border and those who die along the way—and discusses the treatment of those bodies after their remains are discovered in the desert. The increasingly militarized U.S.-México border is an intensely physical place, affecting the bodies of all who encounter it. The essays in this volume explore how crossing becomes embodied in individuals, how that embodiment transcends the crossing of the line, and how it varies depending on subject positions and identity categories, especially race, class, and citizenship. Timely and wide-ranging, this book brings into focus the traumatic and real impact the border can have on those who attempt to cross it, and it offers new perspectives on the effects for rural communities and ranchers. An intimate and profoundly human look at migration, The Border and Its Bodies reminds us of the elemental fact that the border touches us all.

**pura vida counseling and wellness:** The Abandonment Recovery Workbook Susan Anderson, 2016-07-15 A powerful workshop-in-a-book for healing from loss One day everything is fine. The next, you find yourself without everything you took for granted. Love has turned sour. The people you depended on have let you down. You feel you'll never love again. But there is a way out. In The Abandonment Recovery Workbook, the only book of its kind, psychotherapist and abandonment expert Susan Anderson explores the seemingly endless pain of heartbreak and shows readers how to break free—whether the heartbreak comes from a divorce, a breakup, a death, or the loss of friendship, health, a job, or a dream. From the first shock of despair through the waves of hopelessness to the tentative efforts to make new connections, The Abandonment Recovery Workbook provides an itinerary for recovery. A manual for individuals or support groups, it includes exercises that the author has tested and developed through her decades of expertise in abandonment recovery. Anderson provides concrete recovery tools and exercises to discover and heal underlying issues, identify self-defeating behaviors of mistrust and insecurity, and build

self-esteem. Guiding you through the five stages of your journey—shattering, withdrawal, internalizing, rage, and lifting—this book (a new edition of Anderson's Journey from Heartbreak to Connection) serves as a source of strength. You will come away with a new sense of self—a self with an increased capacity to love. Praise for Susan Anderson's The Journey from Abandonment to Healing: "If there can be a pill to cure the heartbreak of rejection, this book may be it." — Rabbi Harold Kushner, bestselling author of When Bad Things Happen to Good People

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Essential Oil Safety** Robert Tisserand, Rodney Young, 2013-12-02 The second edition of this book is virtually a new book. It is the only comprehensive text on the safety of essential oils and the first review of essential oil/drug interactions and provides detailed essential oil constituent data not found in any other text. Much of the existing text has been re-written, and 80% of the text is completely new. There are 400 comprehensive essential oil profiles and almost 4000 references. There are new chapters on the respiratory system, the cardiovascular system, the urinary system, the digestive system and the nervous system. For each essential oil there is a full breakdown of constituents, and a clear categorization of hazards and risks, with recommended maximum doses and concentrations. There are also 206 Constituent Profiles. There is considerable discussion of carcinogens, the human relevance of some of the animal data, the validity of treating an essential oil as if it was a single chemical, and the arbitrary nature of uncertainty factors. There is a critique of current regulations. The only comprehensive text on the safety of essential oils The first review of essential oil/drug interactions Detailed essential oil constituent data not found in any other text Essential oil safety guidelines 400 essential oil profiles Five new chapters 305 new essential oil profiles, including Cedarwood, Clary sage, Lavender, Rose, Sandalwood, Tea tree 79 new constituent profiles Five new chapters: the respiratory system, the cardiovascular system, the urinary system, the digestive system, the nervous system. Significantly expanded text

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Artificial Intelligence in Society** OECD, 2019-06-11 The artificial intelligence (AI) landscape has evolved significantly from 1950 when Alan Turing first posed the question of whether machines can think. Today, AI is transforming societies and economies. It promises to generate productivity gains, improve well-being and help address global challenges, such as climate change, resource scarcity and health crises.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: A Guide to Psychotherapy** Gerald Amada, 2010-11-16 This book is about a personal journey, an adventure that has the potential to change one's entire outlook. It is an introduction to psychotherapy that provides clear and direct answers to commonly asked questions about psychological treatment: How do I know when to enter therapy? How do I go about selecting a therapist? Does psychotherapy really work? Do I have to relive my past? Are my dreams important? When should I end psychotherapy? And much more.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Taming Your Outer Child** Susan Anderson, 2011-01-25 FINALLY, THE BREAKTHROUGH BOOK THAT PUTS YOU BACK IN CONTROL OF YOUR LIFE Most of us have met our Outer Child once too often. The self-sabotaging, bungling, and impulsive part of the personality. This misguided, hidden nemesis—the devil on your shoulder—blows your diet, overspends, and ruins your love life. A menacing older sibling to your emotionally needy Inner Child, your Outer Child acts out and fulfills your legitimate childlike needs and wants in the wrong place, at the wrong time, and in counterproductive ways: It goes for immediate gratification and the quick fix in spite of your best-laid plans. Food, attention, emotional release—your Outer Child usually gets what it wants, and your Adult self can feel powerless to stop it. Now, in a revolutionary rethinking of the link between emotion and behavior, veteran psychotherapist and theoretician Susan Anderson offers a three-step, paradigm-shifting program to tame your Outer Child's destructive behavior. This dynamic, transformational set of strategies—action steps that act like physical therapy for the brain—calms your Inner Child, strengthens your Adult Self and releases you from the self-blame and shame that are the root of Outer Child issues, and paves new neural pathways that can lead to more productive behavior. Discover • the common Outer Child personality types, including the Drama Queen; the Master of Disguise; My Way or No Way; and Love the Getting, not the Having • proven techniques to resolve underlying sources of self-sabotage • insights that will allow you to stop

blaming your supposed “lack of willpower” for your problems • key strategies for healing the painful issues of your past • mental exercises that effectively deal with Outer Child challenges around food, procrastination, love, debt, depression, and more As your head, heart, and behavior come together and learn to help, not hurt, one another, your strong Adult Self, contented Inner child, and tamed Outer child will become a reality. The result is happiness and fulfillment, self-mastery, and self-love. From the Hardcover edition.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Jews Who Rock** Guy Oseary, 2016-09-27 Foreword by Ben Stiller Afterword by Perry Farrell Jewish achievement in the sciences? Celebrated. Jews in literature? Lionized. But until now, there's been no record of the massive contributions of Jews in Rock n' Roll. Jews Who Rock features 100 top Jewish rockers, from Bob Dylan to Adam Horowitz, Courtney Love (yes, she's half Jewish) to John Zorn, with a concise page of essential data and a biography of each one. Includes the complete lyrics to The Chanukah Song by Adam Sandler

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Taming the Tiger Within** Thich Nhat Hanh, 2004-10-21 Taming the Tiger Within is a handbook of meditations, analogies, and reflections that offer pragmatic techniques for diffusing anger, converting fear, and cultivating love in every arena of life—a wise and exquisite guide for bringing harmony and healing to one's life and relationships. Acclaimed scholar, peace activist, and Buddhist master revered by people of all faiths, Thich Nhat Hanh has inspired millions worldwide with his insight into the human heart and mind. Now he focuses his profound spiritual wisdom on the basic human emotions everyone struggles with on a daily basis.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Eat to Love** Jenna Hollenstein, 2019-01-10 A joyful, non-diet approach to mindfulness, intuitive eating, and falling in love with the body you live in. In Eat to Love, nutritionist Jenna Hollenstein leads a spiritual revolution against pervasive attitudes towards food and dieting, and demonstrates how to free your mind from the fear, frustration, and shame often associated with eating. Through a series of revelatory exercises, along with simple instructions for time-proven mindfulness and meditation techniques, you'll learn to identify prejudices around eating and reset your relationship with food. Eat to Love is not a diet book, not a “clean eating” manual, and not a guide to “being your best self.” Rather, it is a liberating path to sanity, and to loving the body you have right now. Since early childhood, many of us have heard that something is wrong with our bodies: with the way they look, the way they feel and the food we crave. This diet culture—surrounding us in the form of media, fashion, food trends, and even messages from friends and family—tells us that the only way to be happy is to be thin and to rigidly follow the latest eating dogma. Eat to Love challenges this insidious, pervasive messaging and resets your relationship with food from one that's shameful to one that's nourishing, liberating, and enriching.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards** , 1985

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Breastfeeding Twins** Australian Breastfeeding Association, 2005 Written and approved by Australian Breastfeeding Association and approved by the Australian Breastfeeding Association Advisory Panel, each of these booklets deals with specific topics related to breastfeeding. Drawing on current medical and technical information and the vast counselling experience of Australian Breastfeeding Association Breastfeeding Counsellors these easy to read booklets contain practical suggestions and reflect Australian Breastfeeding Association policies on the management of lactation. -- Australian Breastfeeding Association.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Understanding Dietary Supplements** Jenna Hollenstein, 2007 For many consumers, taking one or more dietary supplements is a natural addition to a healthy lifestyle. The decision to take a dietary supplement may be based on the recommendation of a doctor, a dietitian, or a friend. Television, newspapers, magazines, websites, and persuasive marketing materials in the pharmacy or supermarket may sway buyers. Information regarding dietary supplements abounds but can be misleading or contradictory. Understanding Dietary Supplements is a guide to making informed choices. Chapters provide Both an overview and detailed information about key supplements Coverage of a broad spectrum of vitamins and minerals, herbs and botanicals, drugs, and other options Jargon-free explanations of how each supplement can work



on the body Safety concerns about interactions and misuse Regulations imposed on the industry and recent trends in the industry's development A glossary and listings of outside resources Included here, the full text of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994--the model for the FDA's regulation of dietary supplements--affords guidance to deciphering labels and determining value. Understanding Dietary Supplements is an easy-to-use guide to a much demanded but often misunderstood group of products. Jenna Hollenstein is clinical editor at the Pri-Med Institute of M-C Communications in Boston, Massachusetts. Her work has been published in Nutrition Reviews, Nutrition in Clinical Care, ILSI News, Pri-Med in Practice, and Pri-Med Online.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Understanding Social Entrepreneurship** Jill Kickul, Thomas S. Lyons, 2012-03-22 This book seeks to provide graduate-level and upper-division or honors undergraduate students with a comprehensive understanding of the emerging and rapidly growing field of social entrepreneurship. It is the most complete text on the subject available, exploring both the theory and practice of social entrepreneurship and blending these seamlessly through examples, case studies, the voices of practicing social entrepreneurs, and special features that put students in a position that requires creative thinking and strategic problem solving--

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Psychoanalytic Group Therapy** Karl König, Wulf-Volker Lindner, 1994 Informed by Freudian, Foulkesian, and object relations approaches to individual and group analytic therapy, König and Lindner's extensive theoretical understanding of groups and individuals is saturated with a flexible common sense that moves comfortably between theory and practical application.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: 48 Days to the Work You Love** Dan Miller, 2010 Practical instructions from leading vocational thinker Miller reveal how to approach work as more than just a paycheck, but as part of the calling God has placed on each life.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Drinking to Distraction** Jenna Hollenstein, 2013-12 She never drove or worked drunk, never injured herself or someone else, never woke up next to a strange man, was fired, went bankrupt, or became homeless because of her drinking. But for years Jenna Hollenstein worried that she was using alcohol for the wrong reasons. Though it didn't cause her to spiral out of control, drinking seemed to be detracting from her life in subtler ways: missed opportunities, unaddressed fears, challenges not taken, relationships not cherished, and creativity unexplored. Rather than a series of dramatic events often associated with alcoholism, her decision to stop drinking was based on years of introspection, pros and cons lists, and conversations with friends, family, and a wise therapist. Though she never hit bottom, Hollenstein eventually realized that drinking was not enhancing her life: it was distracting her from it.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Eat What You Love, Love What You Eat with Diabetes** Michelle May, 2012 Explains to diabetics and prediabetics how to eat mindfully without simply giving up every food they love.

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Getting Well Again** O. Carl Simonton, 1986

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Breath & Spirit** Gunnell Minett, 1994

**pura vida counseling and wellness: Floret Farm's Discovering Dahlias** Erin Benzakein, 2021-03-09 A stunning guide to growing, harvesting, and arranging gorgeous dahlia blooms from celebrated farmer-florist and New York Times bestselling author Erin Benzakein, founder of Floret Flower Farm. World-renowned flower farmer and floral designer Erin Benzakein reveals all the secrets to growing, cultivating, and arranging gorgeous dahlias. These coveted floral treasures come in a dazzling range of colors, sizes, and forms, with enough variety for virtually every garden space and personal preference, making them one of the most beloved flowers for arrangements. In these pages, readers will discover: • Expert advice for planting, harvesting, and arranging garden-fresh dahlias • A simple-to-follow overview of the dahlia classification system • An A-Z guide with photos and descriptions of more than 350 varieties • Step-by-step how-to's for designing show-stopping dahlia bouquets that elevate any occasion Expert Author: Erin Benzakein's gorgeous flowers are celebrated throughout the world. Her book Floret Farm's A Year in Flowers was a New York Times bestseller and her first book, Floret Farm's Cut Flower Garden, won the American Horticultural

Society Book Award. Filled with Wisdom: Overflowing with hundreds of lush photographs and invaluable advice, DISCOVERING DAHLIAS is an essential resource for gardeners and a must-have for anyone who loves flowers, including flower lovers, avid and novice gardeners, floral designers, florists, small farmers, stylists, and designers.

**pura vida counseling and wellness:** There Is a Spiritual Solution to Every Problem Wayne W. Dyer, 2013-02-28 This radical new book from Wayne Dyer proposes that we hold the keys to solving any problems we face within us.

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