



SNOEZELLEN

Beit Issie Shapiro (BIS) is well-known as the pioneer, developer and researcher of the Snoezelen multi-sensory environment, and its use as a therapeutic tool in treating children and adults with disabilities. BIS has guided the setting up of more than 400 Snoezelen rooms, and trained over 3000 professionals in Israel and internationally.

A Multi-Sensory Environment is a therapeutic tool combining the physical environment with a trained "client-centered" therapist. The physical environment consists of specially adapted harmonious sensory stimuli, which dramatically impacts the sense of well-being of people with disabilities, relaxing them, focusing them, and arousing their curiosity and exploration. Our experience and research has shown both behavioral and physiological improvements.

Today Snoezelen is being used in therapeutic centers, hospitals, homes for seniors and schools, to treat people with a wide range of sensory and cognitive difficulties, chronic illnesses and dementia and Alzheimer's.

Consultation and Training

- Using an existing Snoezelen room as an effective treatment for children and adults with disabilities
- Building of a new Snoezelen room and training in its use
- Implementing certain elements of the Snoezelen into various environments such as classrooms, clinics, pools etc.

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