Outline of David Pollack’s MS Lecture on Community Mental Health Issues

1. Video presentation on the kinds of services are provided in community-based mental health programs.

2. Interactive discussion to systematically identify the main types of services provided.

3. Development of key principles of care: evidence-based, person-centered, recovery-oriented, culturally competent, and trauma-informed.

4. Digression into other relevant policy issues as time allows, especially the need for health care delivery system reform, universal coverage, and effective integration of behavioral health and primary care.