## **RESILIENCE ACTIVITIES**



#### Activity 4.3

# The Stroop Effect Activity

### Objectives:

- Engage in activities that challenge the brain to think in different ways.
- Expand knowledge of how minds work and understand how brains can be trained to think in new ways.

#### Materials:

Stroop Effect Visuals:

Blue Yellow Red
Purple Black

Blue Yellow Red
Purple Black

#### Steps:

- 1. Have the participants state the color of each word in the first graphic—in which the color and the word correspond.
- 2. Next have participants state the color of each word in the second graphic—in which the colors and the words do <u>not</u> correspond.
- 3. Discuss:
  - o How did you feel?
  - o Was this confusing for you?
  - o Was it frustrating?