Yes, there is a big difference. The former are the ones you see on TV, putting people in humorous and often uncomfortable situations. But the latter are health experts, using hypnosis to help people.

Last week I had the honour of interpreting for Roxanna Erikson-Klein, daughter of the father of modern hypnotherapy, Milton Erickson. She came all the way from the USA to teach local doctors, physios, midwives and psychologists the benefits of hypnotherapy. Organiser Jean-Claude Levald of the CHOI (Collège de l’Hypnose de l’Océan Indien) said: “The objective of this conference is to promote medical hypnosis in Reunion, and three experts came to Reunion to teach us all. Two were from Mainland France, and one from the USA. Some children might think it’s the same as the hypnosis you see on TV - it’s not! It was a great experience because it’s important and impressive to meet people who have a lot to teach us. Roxanna was very pleased with her visit: “This has been a really interesting experience, being in La Réunion, an island I didn’t even know where it was before I was invited to come here, it’s one of the most beautiful places in the entire world and the weekend has been a marvellous experience for me. I’ll be informing all of my friends that this is an exquisite paradise island in the Indian Ocean with French-speaking people and fantastic food and a tropical heaven.”

It was an amazing experience.

Vocabulary
- former = ce premier
- the latter = ce dernier
- physio = kiné
- midwives = sage-femmes
- impressive = impressionnant

Hypnotists or Hypnotherapists?


La bonne orthographe

A - Un guerrier Masaya
B - Un guerrier Masaï
C - Un guerrier Mhasei

Quelle capitale ne doit pas faire partie de cette liste ?
RABAT / YAOUNDÉ / KIGALI / LE CAIRE / BRASILIA / BAMAKO / LOMÉ

Réponses

It was an amazing experience.

Milton Erickson 5th december 1901 25th march 1980