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Petri Embregts studied Special Education at the Radboud University Nijmegen (The Netherlands). Starting in 1993, she was a Researcher in the Department of Special Education at the same university and later she became an Assistant Professor. As of 1 June 2010, Petri Embregts has been appointed Full Professor in the Department of Clinical Psychology at the Tilburg University (The Netherlands). She has two endowed positions there: Professor People with An Intellectual Disability: Psychopathology and Treatment Professor Professional Training Health Care Psychologist Embregts has always combined her research and teaching interests with work outside the university, including being chief supervisor for the Psychologist postgraduate Program in the area of Children and Adolescents at the SPON training institute in The Netherlands. She has also worked as a psychologist and coordinator at the Dutch National Center for Consultation and Expertise (CCE). Embregts attained her doctorate in 2002 with a dissertation entitled "Effects of video feedback on social behavior of youth with mild mental retardation." She won the Dutch Institute for the Study of Education and Human Development (ISED) award in 2000 and the University Education Prize from the Radboud University Nijmegen in 2005. Since May 2008, Embregts has been a Professor at the HAN University of Applied Sciences (The Netherlands). She is combining this function with that of Full Professor at the Tilburg University where she is concerned with the effectiveness of training and coaching programs for the those responsible for the care for people with an intellectual disability (e.g., competence-based training, dealing with aggression, and video feedback in combination with EQi profiles). Petri Embregts is also Director Innovation and Research at Dichterbij Specialized Care. This is a treatment clinic for people with a mild intellectual disability and severe behavior problems.