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Eating Disorders

Based on twenty-five years of clinical experience and groundbreaking research on more than 1,000 individuals, Feeling Good Together presents an entirely new theory of why we have so much trouble getting along with each other, and provides simple, powerful techniques to make relationships work. We all have someone we can't get along with--within our families, or at work, or among friends or colleagues who complain constantly; a relentlessly critical boss; an obnoxious neighbor; a teenager who pouts and sours doors, all the while insisting she's not upset; or a loving, but irritating spouse. In Feeling Good Together, Dr. Burns presents Cognitive Interpersonal Therapy, a radical new approach that will help you transform troubled, conflicted relationships into successful, happy ones. Dr. Burns' method for improving these relationships is easy and surprisingly effective. By treating Good Together to this new book at your own pace, you'll learn how to turn your relationship into a healthy, satisfying one. The Intimacy Exercises, and more, Feeling Good Together will help you enjoy far more loving and satisfying relationships with the people you care about. You deserve rewarding, intimate relationships. Feeling Good Together will show you how.

Handbook on Family and Community Engagement

Dialogue and Difference

Leading innovators in progressive addiction treatment outline a science-based program for overcoming addiction-related problems, demonstrating how to effectively use positive reinforcement and motivational and behavioral strategies. (Self-Help)

Circumplex Model

Handbook of Child Psychology and Developmental Science, Ecological Settings and Processes

In Communication: A Critical Introduction embraces the full range of diverse gender identities and expressions to explore how gender influences communication, as well as how communication shapes our concepts of gender for the individual and for society. This comprehensive gender communication book is the first to extensively address the roles of religion, the gendered body, single-sex education, and an institutional analysis of gender construction, social construction theory, and more. Throughout the book, Sabourin has designed tools you can use to make these conclusions your own. In this new edition, Sabourin uses updated literature to examine new topics including: gender and digital communication. New to the Third Edition: Current examples in the chapter openers illustrate how a critical gender lens is necessary and useful by discussing recent events, such as the 2008 election of Michelle Obama and Bill Clinton. Sabourin covers the use of Facebook to create thigh gaps. Updated chapters on voices, work, education, and family reflect major shifts in the state of knowledge. Expanded sections on trans and gender non-conforming identities reflect changes in language. All other chapters have been updated with new examples, new concepts, and new research. More than 500 new sources have been integrated throughout, and new sections on debates over bathroom bills, intensive mothering, humor, swearing, and Title IX have been added. "His" and "her" pronouns have been replaced with "they" in most cases, even if the reference is singular, in an effort to be more inclusive.

Children in Changing Worlds

Despite the significant decrease in bullying that has been reported in many countries during the last two decades, bullying continues to be a significant problem among young people. In this book of interdisciplinary attention to cyberbullying, researchers will examine why it may be a fertile ground for bullying behaviors, specifically, what is known as cyberbullying. "Family, Bullying and Cyberbullying" examines the association of several family variables with bullying in offline and online environments during childhood and adolescence. Contributors from the Americas, Canada, Asia, and Europe offer cutting-edge research on family dynamics, bystander behaviors, parents’ and educators’ perceptions, and bullying and cyberbullying prevention and intervention strategies of bullying for school and home. This book also provides an analysis of the current research on the influence of family in the electronic bullying. Research topics included in the book: 1) Parental education and bullying and cyberbullying; 2) Parental monitoring and cyberbullying; 3) Parental communication and feelings of affiliation; 4) Student and educator perspective on cyberbullying; 5) Parents’ responses to bullying; 6) Parental mediation and bystander behavior; 7) Development of scales to measure cyberbullying and high internet risks. "Family, Bullying and Cyberbullying" is an essential resource for researchers, graduate students, families, and practitioners in social education, social work, teacher education, and psychology.

Toward an Integrated Science of Research on Families

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The Big Book of Conflict Resolution Games: Quick, Effective Activities to Improve Communication, Trust and Collaboration

With a synthesis of research on issues key to understanding family interaction, as well as an analysis of many theoretical and methodological choices made by researchers studying family communication, the Handbook serves to advance the field by reframing old questions and stimulating new ones. The contents are comprised of chapters covering: theoretical and methodological issues influencing current conceptions of family; research and theory centering around the family life course and the family context. The book includes case studies of family communication embedded in social, cultural, and physical contexts. Key changes to the second edition include: updates throughout, providing a thorough and up-to-date overview of the field. New topics include new chapters on "Sibling Conflict and Cooperation," "Parenting in the Digital Age," and "Interpersonal Communication and Physical Health." Highlighting the work of scholars across disciplines—communication, sociological psychology, clinical psychology, sociology, family studies, and other social and behavioral sciences—this book's breadth and depth of research on family communication and family relationships. The well-known contributors approach family interaction from a variety of theoretical perspectives and focus on topics ranging from the influence of structural characteristics on family relationships to the importance of specific communication processes.

Gender in Communication

The Contemporary American Family: A Dialectical Perspective on Communication and Relationships recognizes that families are both close and distant, stable and changing, amenable and uncontrollable. Teresa Chambel Sabourin employs a dialectical approach, acknowledging that a family’s contradictions and relational tensions may be the determining factor in its interaction. Writing in a direct and simple style, Sabourin uses this innovative theoretical position to address four types of family diversity: structural, cultural, developmental, and functional. Designed as a supplemental text for upper-level undergraduate and graduate courses in Family Communication, this book furthers the reader’s understanding of the complex dynamics of communication within families.

Parenting Matters

The second edition of Families in Global and Multicultural Perspective explores across geographical, cultural, and historical boundaries to explore the diversity of the world’s family-in-family structures, processes, history, and social and environmental contexts. Editors Brink E., Ungeldy and Susanna D. Smith examine a full range of topics including family origin and universality, family functions, marital structure, kinship rules, comparative research methods, family development, marriage adjustments, parenting, divorce, and aging. This comprehensive text includes students’ reception of and respect for cultural diversity as it influences family life.

Family Health Care Nursing

Children live in rapidly changing times that require them to constantly adapt to new economic, social, and cultural conditions. In this book, a distinguished, interdisciplinary panel of experts explores the issues faced by children in contemporary societies, such as discrimination in school and the workplace, children's socialization and the use of Photoshop to create thigh gaps. Updated chapters on voices, work, education, and family reflect major shifts in the state of knowledge. Expanded sections on trans and gender non-conforming identities reflect changes in language. All other chapters have been updated with new examples, new concepts, and new research. More than 500 new sources have been integrated throughout, and new sections on debates over bathroom bills, intensive mothering, humor, swearing, and Title IX have been added. "His" and "her" pronouns have been replaced with "they" in most cases, even if the reference is singular, in an effort to be more inclusive.

The Future of Families to 2030

Demographic changes, immigration, economic upheavals, and changing societal mores are creating new and altered structures, processes, and relationships in American families. Rapid changes in family development and evolving integration of science as cross-disciplinary social scientific perspective. The purpose of The Science of Research on Families: A Workshop held in Washington, DC, on July 13-14, 2010, was to examine the breadth of the broad research on families that is now being conducted in the United States, to explore how this research can be integrated into the workplace presentations and discussions. The report explores the idea of family research as being both basic and applied, offering opportunities for learning as well as intervention. It discusses research that is useful when organized around potential social and human development prevention. Toward an Integrated Science of Research on Families offers a problem-oriented approach that can guide a broad-based research program that extends across disciplines, institutions, and scientific discourses.

Brief Strategic Family Therapy

Family Communication: Cohesion and Change encourages students to think critically about family interaction patterns and to analyze them using a variety of communication theories. Using a framework of family functions, current research, and first-person narratives, this text emphasizes the diversity of today’s families in structure, ethnic patterns, gender socialization, and developmental experiences. New for the twelfth edition are expanded pedagogical features to improve learning and retention, as well as updates on current theory and research integrated throughout the book to provide a timely analysis and discussion. Cases and research featured in each chapter.
Psychopathy

This volume examines the ways in which bordering practices influence the everyday lives of racialized people in the changing welfare states of Finland, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, and Poland. Focusing on the need to negotiate, adjust, and reconcile family life, parenthood and parent-child practices in the face of national, material, ideological, and moral pressures, border-crossing processes challenge the representation of the Nordic welfare states. The case studies centre on migrant, refugee, and asylum seeker parents, as well as parents of the indigenous Sami communities. The book considers the ways in which the everyday lives of parents, people, and children are shaped by the borderlands of the parent-child bond, and examines the efforts on the part of racialized parents to negotiate such borders and organize their transnational everyday lives. Uncovering possibilities and obstacles that exist for families seeking to enact citizenship in the Nordic welfare states, Family Life in Transition will appeal to social scientists and human rights activists who wish to understand the experiences and outcomes of today’s families in terms of structure, ethnic patterns, and developmental experiences.

Family Communication

"The Family Communication Sourcebook" provides an in-depth examination of contemporary theory and research in the area of family communication. It frames current research practices and approaches with a historical overview of how the field developed. The Encyclopaedia of Quality of Life and Well-Being Research includes a broad range of topics, such as life satisfaction, quality of life, and happiness, and provides comprehensive information on the latest research and developments in the field. It is a valuable resource for researchers, practitioners, and anyone interested in understanding the quality of life and well-being in contemporary society.

Family, Bullying and Cyberbullying

The essential reference for human development theory, updated and recentered to focus on the lives of racialized people in the changing welfare states of Finland, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, and Poland. This book considers the need to negotiate, adjust, and reconcile family life, parenthood, and parent-child practices in the face of national, material, ideological, and moral pressures. Border-crossing processes challenge the representation of the Nordic welfare states. The case studies center on migrant, refugee, and asylum seeker parents, as well as parents of the indigenous Sami communities. The book examines the ways in which the everyday lives of parents, people, and children are shaped by the borderlands of the parent-child bond, and it evaluates the efforts of racialized parents to negotiate such borders and organize their transnational everyday lives. Uncovering possibilities and obstacles that exist for families seeking to enact citizenship in the Nordic welfare states, Family Life in Transition will appeal to social scientists and human rights activists who wish to understand the experiences and outcomes of today’s families in terms of structure, ethnic patterns, and developmental experiences.
Stonewall - How age, culture, geographical location, heterosexual marriage, and children impact a person's decision to come out - Why "conversion therapy" does not work and may be harmful - The difference between homophobia and homonaiveté - The archetypes of self-identified straight men who seek occasional or regular sex with other men - How to overcome the shame and guilt experienced by men who are sexually attracted to other men

Family Communication

Calling for inclusion and dialogue, these essays by an international group of feminist scholars and activists stress the need to put into relation seemingly discrepant approaches to reality and to scholarship in order to build coalitions across the usual North/South and East/West divides. This diverse group of authors, who spent fourteen weeks working collaboratively, dispense with unity and seek instead to use dialogue and difference in their production of knowledge about effective political action. The dialogues materialized here among women's movements that have emerged within different contexts and cosmologies take feminisms' challenges to contemporary corporate globalization in new empirical and theoretical directions.

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