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The Psychology of the Human-Animal Bond

A Resource for Clinicians and Researchers

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Professional Collaborations for Positive Outcomes

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Fields of interest

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Face to Face with Emotions in Health and Social Care

This book draws from the everyday experiences as well as the harsh realities confronting behavioral care providers on the frontline. The book recounts the stories and sometimes disturbing emotions of people whose lives have undergone sudden change or even drastic trauma; people whose feelings of comfort and safety have been shattered by exposure to illness, abuse, death and bereavement. The perspectives and experiences of nurses, social care staff, patients, children and families are at the core of understanding the importance, challenges and therapeutic vitality of emotions.

Features

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Contents

Introduction to labour in health and social care. – Introduction to literature and key concepts. – Health and social care policy and practice. – The local areas and services. – Sample, methods, and methodology. – Emotions and nursing. – Learning to care in student nursing. – The clinical contexts of emotional labour. – Emotions in frontline social care. – Emotions, ethnicity, and the case of child protection. – Managing emotions in education and supervision. – Conclusion: Emotional labor and cultural capital. – References. – Appendix.

Fields of interest

Psychotherapy and Counseling; Social Work; Nursing

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M. K. Lewis, I. Marshall, Winston-Salem State University, NC, USA

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Fields of interest

Sexual Behavior; Social Work

Target groups

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D. A. Maroof, Orlando, FL, USA

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Common Procedures Made Comprehensible

This book describes appropriate statistical models that are commonly utilized in neuropsychology. The book discusses such issues as developing normative data for neuropsychological measures, assessing the validity of neuropsychological tests, and quantifying change “over time” through longitudinal analyses. The rationale for and allure of the volume is the fact that there are no publications that dovetail the two subdisciplines of applied statistics and neuropsychology. The overall objective of this book is to provide a pragmatic and concrete source for applying methodological and statistical techniques in research studies whose emphasis includes neuropsychology. Since there are a plethora of technique to arrive at similar answers, each method with its strengths and weaknesses will be delineated. The beauty of the book will be that it will hopefully demystify commonly encountered issues faced with researchers. More specifically, it will provide a “how to do it” approach.

Features

► Addresses the issue of when and how to use appropriate statistical modeling in neuropsychology ► Only text to dovetail the two subdisciplines of neuropsychology and statistical modeling through nonmathematical frameworks ► Provides a how-to approach to overcoming common problems in neuropsychology research

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Peace Psychology in the Balkans

Dealing with a Violent Past while Building Peace

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Features

► Focuses on issues relating to the post-communist and post-conflict transitions faced by countries within this region ► Introduces theories and practices of peace psychology in the Balkans ► Multidisciplinary viewpoint not only focusing on psychology, but also politics, law, cultural and peace conflict studies

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