C. Blazina, G. Boyra, D. Shen-Miller, Tennessee State University, Nashville, TN, USA (Eds)

The Psychology of the Human-Animal Bond
A Resource for Clinicians and Researchers

Contents

Fields of interest
Health Psychology; Rehabilitation; Social Work

Target groups
Professional/practitioner

Product category
Contributed volume

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2011. XXII, 421 p. 11 illus. Softcover
- € (D) 74,85 | € (A) 76,95 | sFr 93,50
- € 69,95 | £62,99
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J. Broitman, San Francisco Psychotherapy Research Group, CA, USA; J. M. Davis, California State University, East Bay, CA, USA (Eds)

Treating NVLD in Children
Professional Collaborations for Positive Outcomes

Contents

Fields of interest
Child and School Psychology; Educational Psychology; Pediatrics

Target groups
Professional/practitioner

Product category
Contributed volume

Due February 2013
2013. X, 335 p. 14 illus., 6 in color. Hardcover
- € (D) 48,10 | € (A) 49,45 | sFr 64,50
- € 44,95 | £40.99
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P. T. Coleman, Columbia University, New York, NY, USA (Ed)

Psychological Components of Sustainable Peace
Coeditor: M. Deutsch, Columbia University, New York, NY, USA

Features
- Re-orients study of peace from preventative to promotative  
- Emphasizes the importance of understanding sustainability in peace, which is a new &amp; developing concept in the field
- Provides a multidisciplinary field an up-to-date overview of the basic psychological components of peace

Contents

Field of interest
Personality and Social Psychology

Target groups
Research

Product category
Contributed volume

Available
- € (D) 139,05 | € (A) 142,94 | sFr 173,00
- € 129,95 | £117.00
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 suffering, pain, 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 viability of emotions.

Features
► Explores the complex, difficult emotions of nurses, doctors, social workers, and family counselors in frontline health and social care
► Discusses emotional labor in social care education
► Presents a new model of emotional work that breaks from traditional approaches

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, ethnicity and the case of child protection.
- Managing emotions in education and supervision.
- Conclusion: Emotional labor and cultural capital.

Fields of interest
Psychotherapy and Counseling; Social Work; Nursing

Target groups
Professional/practitioner

Product category
Monograph

LGBT Psychology
Research Perspectives and People of African Descent

Same-sex attracted, and non-gender conforming African-Americans are substantial in number, yet underrepresented in the social and behavioral science literature. This volume addresses the issues of African-American LGBT psychology as a case of indigenous psychology. The authors present the research of scholars who are developing theory, practice, and services that are couched within the specific cultural complexities of this population. The authors present the research of scholars who are developing theory, practice, and services that are couched within the specific cultural complexities of this population.

Some key topics addressed in African-American LGBT psychology are gender, spirituality, family, racism, coming out, generational differences, health and safety issues, urban vs. rural realities, and implications for researchers.

Contents
Black LBGT Study As An Indigenous Psychology.
- Covered Not Closeted.
- The New Outsiders.
- Gender: Implications for the Non-Gender Conforming and Bisexuals.
- On Spirited: An Analysis of Black Gay/Lesbian Spiritual Identity.
- On Sweet Tea: An Analysis of Black Gay Men of the South.
- Cultural Complexities and Implications.
- Urban vs. Rural Challenges.
- Education, Counseling and Community Service Implications.

Fields of interest
Sexual Behavior; Social Work

Target groups
Research

Product category
Monograph

Statistical Methods in Neuropsychology
Common Procedures Made Comprehensible

This book describes appropriate statistical models that are commonly utilized in neuropsychology. The book discusses 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.

Fields of interest
Neuropsychology; Health Informatics; Psychology Research

Target groups
Professional/practitioner

Product category
Monograph

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► € 39.95 | £35.99

Available
► *€ (D) 96.25 | € (A) 98.95 | sFr 129.00
► € 89.95 | £81.00
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► € 49.95 | £44.99
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Peace Psychology in the Balkans
Dealing with a Violent Past while Building Peace

The volume covers the development of peace psychology in the Balkans. The Balkans is a region marked by post-communist and post-conflict transitional turmoil, and this book provides a comprehensive introduction to research in peace psychology in this part of the world, written by scholars primarily working in the Balkan area. It brings together innovative scholarship that examines interdisciplinary aspects of peace psychology researched and written by scholars from Kosovo, Serbia, Bosnia, Bulgaria, Romania, Macedonia, Croatia, and Slovenia as well as presenting research that responds to contemporary global issues by tracking the ways in which peace psychology is developing and implementing in the Balkans.

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

Fields of interest
Personality and Social Psychology; Community and Environmental Psychology; European Integration

Target groups
Research

Product category
Monograph

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