ADHD as a Model of Brain-Behavior Relationships

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Preventive Mental Health at School
Evidence-Based Services for Students
Some engage in high-risk behaviors. Others need help with emotional skills. Many are affected by mental disorders.

Features
► Addresses prevention at school from a systems perspective ► Examines issues faced by minorities and other special populations in preventive mental health ► Explores potential adaptations to evidence-based prevention strategies while maintaining program integrity ► Offers comprehensive, practical coverage of the significant challenges – and how to overcome the barriers – to introducing organizational change in schools

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Brain, Self and Consciousness
Explaining the Conspiracy of Experience
This book discusses consciousness from the perspectives of neuroscience, neuropsychiatry and philosophy. It develops a novel approach in consciousness studies by charting the pathways in which the brain challenges the self and the self challenges the brain. The author argues that the central issue in brain studies is to explain the unity, continuity, and adherence of experience, whether it is sensory or mental awareness, phenomenal- or self-consciousness. To address such a unity is to understand mutual challenges that the brain and the self pose for each other. The fascinating discussions that this book presents are: How do the brain and self create the conspiracy of experience where the physicality of the brain is lost in the subjectivity of the self?

Features
► Argues for a focus on correlations between the self and the brain to explain facets of consciousness ► Delves into issues of the unity, continuity, and adherence of experience ► Includes perspectives from neuroscience, neuropsychology, and philosophy

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Preventing Adolescent Depression and Suicide Among Latinas

Resilience Research and Theory

Since the 1960s, in comparison to other ethnic and gender groups, a higher rate of depression and suicide ideation has been documented for Latina girls. This Brief offers a concise summary of contemporary research on this critical topic. Among the considerations are the influence of bullying, families, immigration, and culture on Latina adolescent mental health. Presenting cutting-edge multiracial feminist frameworks for new and existing empirical findings, this book serves to guide the future research agenda on this topic. Clinical recommendations are also included.

Features
► Includes new qualitative and quantitative findings with adolescent girls ► Presents cutting-edge multiracial feminist frameworks ► Provides suggestions for effective clinical work with Latina adolescents and their families ► Recommends future research directions

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Culture, Activism, and Memory after Atrocity

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► Examines the relationship between transitional justice and the practice of art ► Collaborative work between scholars, civil society groups, and artists ► Interdisciplinary focus on the central themes of transitional justice

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- Applies positive psychology to the consumer domain
- Shows how money can be spent in support of well-being
- Strikes a middle ground between anti-consumerism and the promotions of the marketplace
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Considering core components and treatment effectiveness

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Fields of interest
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Emotional Processing Deficits and Happiness

Assessing the Measurement, Correlates, and Well-Being of People with Alexithymia

This briefs reviews the literature on alexithymia with a particular focus on the relation between positive well-being and alexithymia. It starts by exploring the definition, history and etiology of the construct. The briefs then discusses the importance of research and presents new research which sheds light on why alexithymia is characterized by poor well-being.

Features
- Provides the most comprehensive review of the relationship between well-being and alexithymia
- Critically reviews the assessment of alexithymia
- Expands the domain of positive psychology to include those with emotional processing disorders
- Identifies directions for future research on alexithymia
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