

Rehabilitation and Community Providers Association

Save the Date Attachment-Based Family Therapy Workshop

One or Three Day Overview Workshop

Wednesday, November 1 – Day One Overview Workshop
Tuesday and Wednesday, December 5 & 6 – Day Two and Three Overview Workshop

**Sponsored by: Rehabilitation and Community Providers Association and the Department of
Couple and Family Therapy at the Drexel University
College of Nursing and Health Professions**

Attachment-Based Family Therapy (ABFT) is the only manualized, empirically informed family therapy model specifically designed to target family and individual processes associated with adolescent suicide and depression. ABFT emerges from interpersonal theories that suggest adolescent depression and suicide can be precipitated, exacerbated or buffered against by the quality of interpersonal relationships in families. It is a trust-based, emotion-focused psychotherapy model that aims to repair interpersonal ruptures and rebuild an emotionally protective, secure-based parent-child relationship.

PRESENTERS:



Guy S. Diamond, PhD

Currently a visiting professor and Interim Director of the PhD program in the Couple and Family Therapy department at Drexel University's College of Nursing and Health Professions, Dr. Diamond is the primary developer of, and has received support from several state and national foundations to fund his work on, ABFT. Along with his colleagues Drs. Gary Diamond and Suzanne Levy, Dr. Diamond's first ABFT treatment manual titled *Attachment-Based Family Therapy for Depressed Adolescents*, published in October 2013 by the American Psychological Association.



Suzanne A. Levy, PhD

Dr. Levy is a licensed clinical psychologist and the Director of Clinical Training for the ABFT Training Program at Drexel University's College of Nursing and Health Professions. Along with her colleagues Drs. Guy Diamond and Gary Diamond she is a co-developer of the first ABFT treatment manual titled *Attachment-Based Family Therapy for Depressed Adolescents*, published in October 2013 by the American Psychological Association.

WHERE: Best Western Premier Hotel & Conference Center, 800 East Park Drive, Harrisburg, PA 17111.

Attendees must make their own arrangements for lodging. Hotel reservations should be made directly with the Best Western Premier and receive special RCPA rate of \$95.95 per night.

November Date: Call 1-717-735-9397 or online at www.thecentralhotelharrisburg.com and click onto the reservations tab at the top of the home page using Group Code 082175.

December Dates: Call 1-717-735-9397 or online at www.thecentralhotelharrisburg.com and click onto the reservations tab at the top of the home page using Group Code 082176.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND? Psychiatrists, Counselors, Social Workers, Couple and Family Therapists, Mental Health Professionals, Psychologists, Psychotherapists, Health Care Administrators, Primary Care Physicians, and ER Physicians.

CEU credits offered for Psychologists, LCSW, LSW, LPC & LMFT

For LMFT, LCSW, LSW, and LPCs: The workshop qualifies for the following continuing education credits: 7 CEU's for Day One only, and 19.5 total CEU's for all three days. A Certificate of Participation will be awarded at the end of the presentation to all who attend and follow protocol for registration and evaluation forms.

Drexel University Couple and Family Therapy Department maintains responsibility for the program and content. Accreditation does not imply that Drexel College of Nursing and Health Professions approves or endorses any product included in the educational activity.



American Psychological Association (APA)

Drexel University College of Medicine, Behavioral Healthcare Education is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. Drexel University College of Medicine, Behavioral Healthcare Education maintains responsibility for the program and its content. This program is being offered for 6.5 for Day One only, and 18.5 hours of continuing education for all three days.

Registration Fees:

November 1 – Day One Overview Workshop – (unlimited amount of registrants)

Member Rate:	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$350
Non-Member Rate:	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$400
CE FEE	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$40

November 1, December 5 & 6 – FULL Three Day Overview Workshop – (limited to 30 registrants)

Member Rate:	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$350
Non-Member Rate:	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$400
CE FEE	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$40

For more information email Robena Spangler at rspangl@paproviders.org

Registration Information to Follow
