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INLAND EMPIRE CHAPTER OF CAMFT
(California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists)

FEBRUARY 2009

SPECIAL MEETING

Law and Ethics Training **“What Does the Law Expect of Me, Part IV”***

Featured Speaker:
CAMFT Staff Attorney, Dave Jensen, J.D.

Friday, February 27, 2009, 8:30 to 4:30

Check-in 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Workshop 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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285 E. Hospitality Lane,
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See pages 7 and 8
for details and registration information



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CHAPTER EVENTS TO REMEMBER

- Friday, March 27, 2009: “Victim Advocate Services” — Janet Hulse, San Bernardino District Attorney Office on Victim Advocacy Services
- Friday, April 24, 2009: “CAMFT Update”— Mary Riermesma
- Friday, May 22, 2009: “Sexual Addiction” — Rebecca Deighan, LMFT



As I'm sure you are all acutely aware, these are difficult and trying times for many families and for our state economy. It seems like the need for good competent mental health services are in demand more then ever. However there seems to be less and less funding and resources to provide those services. I recently received an email from AAMFT-CA, informing MFT's in California that the, "The governor's most recent budget proposal seeks to fund existing Medi-Cal services by raiding Mental Health Services Act monies. The MHSA funds were designed to modernize and revitalize the state's public mental health system, and the governor's proposal would cripple that effort, leaving the plans of counties and service organizations around the state deeply underfunded."

With all the uncertainty around us, I wanted to take this opportunity to pass on some positive news. For many years now MFTs have tried opening the door to allow us to work within the state's Corrections department. Historically, only social workers where allowed to be employed as therapists within Corrections. I recently received this notice, "The State Personnel Board has granted the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) the authority to begin hiring MFTs into temporary positions, pending the approval of permanent positions. This is a major step forward for MFTs working in state-funded positions. The positions involve work that is very similar to what clini-

cal social workers are doing in the prisons although CDCR is hoping to incorporate family reunification programs into reentry. The salary is the same as that of Clinical Social Workers. You can access the job description and benefits information for Clinical Social Workers at www.cdcr.ca.gov by clicking on healthcare careers, then mental health, and the clinical social worker. However, **MFT applicants should not apply via the online social worker application.** CDCR will have a separate process for the MFT positions. If you are interested in finding out more about the positions that are now available, contact Laura Hamon: Laura.Hamon@cdcr.ca.gov."

If any chapter members become aware of other opportunities for MFTs please let us know and we will do our best to pass on this information. In these stressful and trying times there is such a growing need for the help you provide to individuals and families. May each of you be blessed in your service to our community.

Chapter President
James Billings, Ph.D., LMFT

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Help Wanted!

If you know of an effective job search tool, please let your colleagues know. Please send information about employment opportunities for licensed and pre-licensed jobseekers — for example, job listing sites, resume formatting, successful interviewing, or other job search tools .

Forward your ideas to the editor, Heather, at hbryga@familyservicerivca.org.

CHAPTER NOTES

Committee Invitation

The IE-CAMFT Board would like to invite interested members to join our Website Committee. This will be a temporary committee with the goal of upgrading our chapter website. If you have an interest, please contact President-elect, Ruth Dusenberry, 951-961-4792, ruthd616@aol.com.



“ASK BEN”

The Board encouraged Ben Zinke to establish a pre-licensed exchange in the newsletter, giving interns and trainees a forum to discuss issues they often face. Please email your questions to Ben at ztherapist@gmail.com

Membership Information

Membership to the Inland Empire Chapter of CAMFT requires a membership in CAMFT —there are multiple benefits to belonging to both. For more information on membership benefits or how to join, see page 9, or contact Pam Hart or any board member for assistance. Phone numbers are on the first page of the newsletter.

Dues are due by April. Please renew to continue your newsletter.

NAME THE THERAPIST — Can you identify these therapists? See page 6 for the answers.



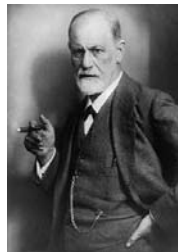
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Conference — Adults Healing from Sexual Abuse, “It Happens to Boys Too”

Saturday, March 7, Palm Desert. CEUs available.
For information, contact Carol Teitelbaum at (760) 346-4606, or catbaum@earthlink.net

California Association for Play Therapy Southern CA Annual Conference

March 13 and 14, 2009,
pre-registration deadline, March 3.

A special 12-hour, 12 CEU workshop with presentations on:
attachment, adoption, shame, selective mutism,
children of divorce, families with low incomes,
neurobiology, and sexual abuse.

Contact Jennifer Wentz at jenniferwentz@hotmail.com.

CALLS for RESOURCES

- Donate counseling to veterans — they receive pro bono services and, in exchange, the veteran chooses from a list of community agencies where they may volunteer their time. See www.giveanhour.org.
- If you have experience treating families with military service (with or without PTSD expertise), call or email State CAMFT.
- Mental Health Network Government Services is also recruiting professionals as Marriage and Family Life Consultants — <http://www.camft.org/mhnservices.htm>.

Redlands Psychodrama Classes

Fridays at 7:30 p.m. in the Youth Room,
at the University United Methodist Church,
940 E. Colton Ave., Redlands.

Free to attendees. Guests welcome. CEU and psychodrama credits available.

For information, contact Don Miller at (909) 798-2765

Childhood Grief and Traumatic Loss

Conference in Los Angeles, March 26, 2009

Information at

<http://ican-ncfr.org/documents/Grief2009SaveTheDate.pdf>

The 10th Annual Case Management Symposium “Case Management in a Multi-Cultural Environment”

Thursday, April 23, 2009
Riverside County DPSS Training Facility, Moreno Valley
Sponsored by CSUSB, School of Social Work

Exploring cross-cultural engagement,
consensus building practices, case management knowledge
and skills, and culturally competent practices.

For case managers of all levels
— professional, paraprofessional and volunteers —
who work in large and small private and public agencies
and
deliver social services to
individuals and families living in the Inland Empire.

Please contact Deanna Rinebolt for details at
drinebol@csusb.edu.

Children’s Conference “Fostering Care Across Communities”

Thursday, May 21, 2009 at Cal Baptist University in Riverside
For professionals, teens, and caregivers.

Workshops related to foster children and the foster care system:
grief and loss, preparing children for adulthood, IEPs, child
abuse, teen dating violence, team decision making,
and setting limits.

CEUs available. Call 951-686-3706
for information and registration.

International Conference on Violence, Abuse and Trauma, “Promoting Peace in the Home, Your Community, and the World: Linking Practice, Re- search, and Policy Across the Life- span”

September 21 - 26, 2009, San Diego

Contact information: 858-527-1860 ext. 4030 or

ivatconf@alliant.edu;

also see www.IVATCenters.org



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Licensed MFT, LCSW, or Ph.D. — Apple Valley

For clinical position in Apple Valley, CA. Managed care and EAP work. Practice setting with ownership possibilities. Must be licensed 2 years. Fax resume to (760) 946-1511 or call Nancy Hirst at (760) 946-2070.

“NAME THE THERAPIST”

Answers for page 3

- A) Carl Gustav Jung
- B) Cloe Madanes, Ph.D
- C) Virginia Satir, Ph.D
- D) Sigmund Freud
- E) John M. and Julie Gottman, Ph.Ds
- F) Carl Rogers, Ph.D
- G) Sue Johnson, Ph.D
- H) Irving Yalom, M.D.
- I) Albert Ellis, Ph.D
- J) Stanley Greenspan, M.D.

DISPLAY ADS RATES

BUSINESS CARD SIZE:

MEMBERS: \$10, NON-MEMBERS: \$20

1/4 PAGE: MEMBERS: \$20, NON-MEMBERS: \$40

CLASSIFIED AD RATES: Members: free

CLASSIFIED AD RATES: NON MEMBERS:

ONE MONTH: \$20

3 MONTHS: 10% OFF \$54

6 MONTHS: 25% OFF - \$90

12 MONTHS: 40% OFF - \$144

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David Jensen has been Staff Attorney with CAMFT since April 2002. David graduated from Brigham Young University with a Bachelor's degree in History. He received his law degree from the Thomas Jefferson School of Law in San Diego, California. As an attorney with CAMFT, he consults with members regarding legal and ethical dilemmas, and he is a regular contributor to *The Therapist* magazine. David gives numerous chapter, school, and agency law & ethics presentations and has developed “What Does the Law Expect of Me?” Parts 1, 2, 3, and now introduces Part 4.

“*What Does the Law Expect of Me? Part 4*” will explore the role of therapists as creators of legal outcomes, and how through understanding the standard of care and adhering to it, therapist can lay the foundation of good clinical relationships and help protect themselves against false BBS accusations and meritless civil lawsuits. In addition to exploring the role of therapists as creators of outcomes, he will also review such standard subjects as: confidentiality; reporting of child, elder, and dependent adult abuse; consent to treatment of minors; and, the BBS accusation process.



This is a lecture-format course that will satisfy the BBS's ongoing requirement of six (6) CEUs in law and ethics.

**Although this is an advanced class, it is not necessary to have attended Parts 1, 2, or 3.*

Attendees will be on their own for lunch.

Cost: \$55.00 IE-CAMFT Member \$75.00 Non IE-CAMFT Members

— See Page 8 for Workshop Registration Form

SAVE MONEY on this workshop by joining Inland Empire Chapter of CAMFT.

Enjoy the benefits of networking with your peers and attend monthly chapter meetings with free CEU training's from local experts. See page 9 for the CAMFT membership application form. Mail registration and application, with payments, to the address below or bring completed application with you to the workshop.

Send Payments to: Inland Empire CAMFT, Attn: Ruth Dusenberry, 1093 W. Colton Ave., Redlands, CA 92373

*"What Does the Law Expect of Me? (Part 4)" — Workshop Registration**February 27, 2009**Inland Empire Chapter — California Association of Marriage and Family Therapists**Please Print Clearly*

Name _____ Degree _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone Number () _____ Fax Number () _____

Cell Phone Number () _____ Business Number () _____

Contact E-Mail Address _____

Check here if you would like to receive future IE-CAMFT emails _____

Business Name and Position _____

OPTIONAL IE-CAMFT MEMBERSHIP (non-members may attend workshop)

_____ Clinical (Licensed).....\$40

_____ Pre-licensed (Trainee, Intern, Social Worker Associate).....\$25

_____ Associate (Licensed in a related mental health field).....\$40

_____ Affiliate Practitioner in another field (e.g., RN, Attorney).....\$40

CHECK ONE: _____ New Member, IE-CAMFT _____ Renewal, IE-CAMFT

CAMFT Member# (Shown on your CAMFT membership card _____) (Note: Unless you are an Affiliate member of IE Chapter of CAMFT, you must also be a member of CAMFT to join a local chapter. Dues for membership in CAMFT are paid annually in April and are separate from fees for local chapter membership. To join the IE Chapter of CAMFT, please complete this form and make checks to IE-CAMFT in the amount shown above for the membership category appropriate for your field.)

Workshop Registration:

\$55.00 for IE-CAMFT Members or \$75.00 for non-IE-CAMFT Members \$ _____

(Please note: attendees are on their own for lunch)

Membership Fee (optional — join now and receive a discount on your workshop fee) \$ _____

Total Amount Enclosed \$ _____

Send Payment to: Inland Empire CAMFT

Attn: Ruth Dusenberry

1093 W. Colton Ave.

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Questions? Please contact Ruth Dusenberry (951) 961-4792**IE-CAMFT Mission Statement**

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Inland Empire - CAMFT

Name and Degree _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Telephone Number () _____ Fax Number () _____
E-Mail Address _____
Business Name _____ Business Telephone Number () _____

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- Networking
- Free 2 CEU 's at 9 Monthly Meetings. Reduced Cost for 6 CEUs for Law and Ethics
- Staying Connected to Other Therapists
- Low Cost Advertising
- Developing Peer Relations and Being Less Isolated
- Giving and Receiving Consultation and Referrals
- Becoming More Educated

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