



A Just in Time Training Live Web Event Invitation

Presented by the Florida Quality Parenting Initiative

The Quality Parenting Initiative invites you to join us for a Live Web Event:

“Attachment, Trauma and RAD—What Does It All Mean?”

Date: Monday, March 28, 2016
9:30 – 11:30 AM (Eastern)
8:30 – 10:30 AM (Central)

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Reactive Attachment Disorder (RAD) has been in the psychiatric coding books for more than 40 years and yet there is more controversy about RAD than there is research on RAD. For clinicians and caregivers alike understanding what RAD is and what it is not is a challenge! This presentation will focus first on defining RAD, which is quite an uncommon disorder when the criteria are applied strictly. Next, a more overarching review of what attachment is and why attachment is so important will be presented. This will include a focus on disruption in attachment in the context of trauma (including abuse and/or neglect). Although the majority of children brought in for evaluation for RAD will NOT meet criteria for the disorder that does not mean that there aren't very real problems with the child's behavior that an attachment-based intervention wouldn't help. The final part of this presentation will focus on just such interventions and give clinicians and caregivers a view of which types of attachment-based therapies are most helpful.

AUDIO will be provided over your Computer.

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