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From the President's Desk!

by Tim Smith, MS, LMFT

NCAMFT Board Members Meet for Quarterly Business Meeting in Graham, NC



NCAMFT leaders from around the state met in Graham, NC on Friday, August 12 to talk about issues important to MFTs and to fine tune plans for the fall and spring conference. Megan Castle gave a great report about what was going on in the area of professional practice and from this report we will decide as a division what our top three legislative issues will be for the upcoming year. NCAMFT will notify AAMFT via the Division Advocacy Report and let it know what our top legislative goals are so it can provide support and assistance to us in getting

important legislation passed. The Division Advocacy Report is a tool used by AAMFT to get information from the divisions so national can help us in our efforts to get important legislative initiatives passed in the legislature that will directly or indirectly benefit MFTs and promote the profession of Marriage and Family Therapy. NCAMFT will be asking you for feedback soon on what issues/initiatives you believe should be on our radar in the coming year.

Another important initiative for NCAMFT is re-designing our website to be more provider-and-consumer-friendly. One of the goals NCAMFT has been talking about is increasing accessibility to resources for LMFTs, LMFTAs, students, affiliates and consumers. Thanks to Lindsay Henson for spear-heading the student mentorship initiative. We have made a commitment to reach out to students and LMFTAs to help them in their professional development. Please contact Lindsay if you would like to be listed as a resource for students or associates. Once our website design is complete, we should be better able to access more clinical resources, promote more networking among colleagues and have a better platform from which we can promote the profession of Marriage and Family Therapy and showcase the professionals who make a significant and valuable therapeutic impact on families, couples and individuals in our communities. A big thanks to Liza Shaw, public relations chair, for working on the website re-design project.

On the national level, please be reminded of the 2011 AAMFT annual conference which will be held in Fort Worth, Texas September 22-25. The theme of this year's conference is, "the Science of Relationships." Jeff Krepps and I will be attending the national conference this year and I am looking forward to the opportunity to network with fellow MFTs and represent the North Carolina division. As always, I am proud to be associated with the wonderful group of professionals in our NCAMFT family and appreciate the opportunity to serve with you. A special thanks to the leadership of NCAMFT, past and present, which has served and continues to serve with incredible passion and commitment. I look forward to seeing you in Raleigh on October 21st for the fall conference!

Mussings from the Editor

By Deborah Klinger, MA, LMFT

I was thrilled when Richard Schwartz was chosen as our presenter for the NCAMFT 2011 conference. I'd seen him present on Internal Family Systems (IFS) several times before, because, as an eating disorders specialist, I'd attended conferences and trainings at which he was speaking. I had been drawn to the IFS model, but I'd already received training in a lesser-known modality for working with different parts of self and getting wounded child parts unstuck from the past, the Developmental Needs Meeting Strategy (DNMS). Since the formal IFS training is costly and time-consuming, and I was facile with the DNMS and had had enough exposure to IFS to combine some of the principles with the DNMS, I figured I could manage.

For several years, I've been a member of a consult team comprising therapists who were using the DNMS. Each of us was becoming increasingly interested in IFS, and we discussed our experiences with it to the degree that we understood and were able to use it with clients. Once again, my interest in taking the training was sparked. But another member of the team was taking the Somatic Experiencing (SE) training, and was urging me to do so as well. As a yoga instructor and yoga therapy practitioner, I find body-oriented therapeutic modalities very alluring.

SE? IFS? SE? IFS? So many trainings, so little time... and money.... They both meant going up to Asheville for several weekends per year. Both include three levels altogether. Which to do? And then in January one of my clients, with whom I'd worked for some years, a disordered eater with a history of trauma, who had been working hard and making great progress but was still struggling, decided she would go to Castlewood eating disorders treatment center, where Schwartz has trained the entire staff, down to the dieticians, in IFS. I'd been using my DNMS/IFS hybrid with her and I knew that she would be working with skilled IFS-ers at Castlewood, and I wanted to be able to give her the best follow-up care I could, and so my decision was made. I enrolled in the IFS training that began last March.

There is training and then there is training. Training in which I sit, listen, watch and scribble copious notes is a world of difference away from a training in which the participants learn by exploring themselves, in which the trainers are sensitive to the needs and emotional experiences of the participants, and in which the participants' internal parts are treated with the same respect and understanding that their visible-to-the-naked-eye selves are.

I'm halfway through my IFS Level One training. The experience is enriching me tremendously. Participants are encouraged to form practice groups with others who live nearby, and to do their own therapy with an IFS therapist. Good student and insatiable learner that I am, I'm doing both. Applying family systems theory to my and my clients' (and my husband's and my son's) inner worlds is helping me to understand myself and them more fully, and to view myself and others more compassionately, as well to be a more effective therapist. I go up to Asheville again in September. Can't wait to find out what's next!

On another note, it's time for me to hang up my, well, I guess, grammar-correcting tools, and wind down as editor of your newsletter. I came on board several years ago as co-editor with Irene Lazarus and took over as the sole editor in, um, 2008? 2009? I'm not exactly sure when, but it's been a while, and the demands of the other gazillion things I do are pulling me in too many directions for me to be able to continue. So, this is a, "HELP WANTED: NEWSLETTER EDITOR" ad:

Candidate must have excellent spelling, grammar and prose skills, must enjoy hanging out with really cool board members while learning about the inner workings of the NCAMFT about four times a year, and corraling said board members into writing articles about the things they are doing for and with NCAMFT.

Interested parties, please let me and Cathy Womack know!

Summer Updates on Legislation Impacting MFTs

by Megan Facer, MS, LMFT

Hello, fellow MFTs! What a busy summer it's been in the legislature! Things are still happening each week that impact the care we provide to families and couples.

As I shared with you in the last newsletter, the state has approved local management entities (LMEs) to become managed care organizations (MCOs) by 2013 under the Medicaid waiver. Each MCO will manage the allocation of Medicaid funds, and determine its own standards and way to use money and network providers. MCOs will also have flexibility of fees for services for providers in their networks. Some examples of when an MCO may negotiate a higher fee would include establishing an office in an underserved community or for producing exceptionally positive outcomes. During the first year, all providers will automatically be incorporated into the network. However, upon the second year, providers will have to apply. The state has determined that there will be one application process modeled after PBH (formerly Piedmont Behavioral Health).

As of the end of July, 87 of the 100 North Carolina counties had committed to an MCO. Counties who do not commit to an MCO by 2013 will be linked to an MCO by the state. PBH has already begun piloting the MCO model. This October, Alamance-Caswell, Orange-Person-Chatham (OPC), and Five County will merge with

PBH. Other MCO candidates in the application process include: Eastpointe, Pathways, Smoky Mountain, Wake, Southeastern Center, CenterPoint, East Carolina Behavioral Health, Western Highlands, Mecklenburg, and Durham Center who will formally contract with Johnston and Cumberland, and Sandhills and Guilford Center, which will merge. I recommend that each of you seek opportunities to strengthen your relationships with your LMEs so they are familiar with your good outcomes, high quality, and community collaboration during the application process.

There are a few more items to keep you informed of: the extension of H-Codes was discussed in the legislature this summer, and H-Codes were approved for one more year. However, the Professional Association Council (PAC) is submitting questions to the state to learn more about what prevents an extension of H-Codes long term. The PAC is also submitting comments to the state regarding the proposed changes to DMA Policy 8C for outpatient behavioral health services provided by direct-enrolled providers. This is our opportunity to have an impact on standards for practicing outpatient marriage and family therapy in North Carolina, so I recommend that you, too, take this opportunity to participate in the comment period before the deadline of September 3rd at the following link: <http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dma/mpproposed/index.htm>.

Do you take Medicaid??

Beginning **October 1** everything has to be done electronically! Don't delay....sign up today!

See Implementation Update # 89 (page 3)

<http://www.ncdhhs.gov/mhddsas/servicedefinitions/servdefupdates/dmadmh8-2-11update89.pdf>

Continuing Education Updates for Fall and Spring

by Emma Wallace, MS, LMFT

We in NCAMFT have many CE opportunities to look forward to. I wish each of you could be part of the planning for these events, for you would not be able to resist the positive energy that comes from talking with the future presenters and experiencing their excitement about coming to North Carolina. I am actually having presenters contacting me asking to come! That is quite a compliment to us as an active, successful chapter of AAMFT and speaks highly of our reputation across the country.

Our fall conference promises to be loaded with new information that will serve all of us who work with families, couples, children, adolescents, and/or individuals. Cheyenne Corbett, Ph.D., LMFT and Patrick Plumeri, M.S., LMFT, from Duke University, will address issues of families coping with chronic illness in the morning session from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Lunch will be on your own, 11:30 – 1:00. Deborah Klinger, M.A., LMFT (our newsletter editor), will present the afternoon session from 1:00 to 4:00 on intervening with individuals and families struggling with eating disorders. Registration information will be accessible via our website soon. The date for the fall conference is Friday, October 21, 2011 and it will be held in the AIHF Conference Room in Raleigh.

Our annual conference will be held Mar. 1 – Mar. 3, 2012, at Embassy Suites in Cary. Scott Miller, Ph.D., will be our presenter for the two days of the main conference. The Pre-Conference Institutes on Thursday, along with the main conference, will offer enough hours, including our required ethics hours, for us to acquire all 20 hours needed for licensure renewal. For those of you who have experienced Scott Miller, you know what we are in for. For those who have not, get ready for an energetic weekend! He is full of it!

The 2013 Annual Conference is already planned and some changes that you have been asking for have been instituted. It's going to have a new format, and be a great event. But you will have to wait awhile to hear about it because I am running out of space. Just be assured that we have great plans for 2013! Have fun and stay healthy!

Website Update!

The website is still being updated and redesigned. We plan a big reveal at the annual conference in March!



2011 Annual Conference and Meeting: "Satir in the World Today"

DATES:

October 1 - 2, 2011

Registration begins at 8:30am.

Program is from 9:00am-5:00pm.

LOCATION:

North Carolina Botanical Garden

100 Old Mason Farm Rd.

Chapel Hill, NC 27514

CONFERENCE FEE

Register at www.satirglobal.org

BEFORE AUGUST 31ST

Non-VSGN members: \$325

Includes a one-year membership in VSGN from Jan. 2012 – Jan. 2013

Current VSGN members: \$275

Fee includes membership discount

AFTER AUGUST 31ST

Non-VSGN members: \$375

Includes a one-year membership in VSGN from Jan. 2012 – Jan. 2013

Current VSGN members: \$325

Fee includes membership discount

[KEYNOTE SPEAKER]

Seth Eisenberg will be our keynote speaker. He is President and CEO of PAIRS, a leading national trainer, and author in the field of relationship skills training. For information on PAIRS, go to www.pairs.com.

[PRESENTERS]

Steve Buckbee, LMSW

Dan Doyle, LMSW

Michael Dupont, LMSW

Sharon Loeschen, LCSW

Jean McLendon, LCSW, LMFT

Pat Medvick, Ph. D.

Gundolf Strehl, MS

Margarita Suarez, RN, MA

Becky Winant, BA

[POST-CONFERENCE INSTITUTE: OCTOBER 3 - 4]

Post-conference Institute: Skills training in the program, *Enriching Your Relationship with Yourself and Others*, presented by Sharon Loeschen, LCSW, Margarita Suarez, RN and MA and Gundolf Strehl, MS. To read more about this program, go to the conference registration page at www.satirglobal.org.

STUDENT RATES

2011 Annual Conference: \$100

Enriching Program: \$100

Update from The Student/Associate Rep from the Central Area by Katie Church

2011 has proven to be a busy year for Pfeiffer University's Marriage and Family Therapy program. In March we celebrated our COAMFTE accreditation in Charlotte, and now, five months later, we have launched a second MFT program at our Raleigh-Durham campus. It's hard to believe that our inaugural class of eleven students began their graduate education only four years ago! Today, MFT students at Pfeiffer University's Charlotte campus exceed 50 in number, and former students have begun returning to share their experiences with current students, addressing their oftentimes anxious questions about licensure and employment opportunities for new graduates. Our dedicated faculty members guide us through courses, internships, and "externships," and facilitate the convergence of our honor society, Delta Kappa, the MFT branch of Pfeiffer's Graduate Student Association (GSA), and our Student Focus Group. Pfeiffer University's Charlotte and Raleigh-Durham campuses are rapidly increasing the availability of MFT education and training in North Carolina.

Mentor Program Up and Running

by Lindsay Henson, LMFT

Membership Committee Chair

In the Spring 2011 NCAMFT newsletter, I wrote about the emerging Mentor Program that will serve as a resource for students and therapists moving into the state who may need guidance or have questions about licensure, employment, private practice, insurance reimbursement, ethics, and other practical issues. The Mentor Program does not take the place of clinical supervision or count as supervision hours for AAMFT Approved Supervisors, AAMFT Supervisor Candidates, or those obtaining hours for licensure. It simply serves as a resource for MFTs and students to make connections and learn from those who may have been in their shoes while establishing themselves in the field.

I asked LMFTs across the state to consider being a mentor, and I thank everyone who responded to my call. I am happy to distribute the following list of LMFT mentors who comprise our new program. This list will be distributed to the MFT programs in our state.

Again, I appreciate all those who have agreed to be mentors as you are volunteering your time and efforts to lead and make progress in our profession to future LMFTs and NCAMFT leaders. THANK YOU!! I encourage you, if you have not considered being a mentor in our program, to contact me if you would like to be a resource for MFTs and students in your area.

MENTOR PROGRAM (roster as of Aug. 2011)

Western NC

Gil Beeson, PhD, LMFT

Hickory, NC
Phone: 828.330.0166
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Areas of experience: establishing a private practice, management, clinical procedures

He is a former board member of NCAMFT and served as treasurer.

W. Ellen Fox, LPCS, LMFT

Director of the Marriage & Family Enrichment Center at Western Avenue Baptist Church

Marriage and Family Enrichment Center

Western Avenue Baptist Church
1206 Museum Road
Statesville, NC 28625
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Email: Ellen@westernavenue.org

Areas of experience: supervision, couples therapy, sex therapy, integration of faith, self-care of the therapist, marketing and private practice management strategies, marriage and family topics for public speaking and marketing

She is currently a doctoral student in the MFT program at Northcentral University at Prescott, AZ and is working towards becoming an AAMFT Approved Supervisor.

Buzz Godwin, MA, LMFT, LPC

North Star Counseling Associates
606 S. Mulberry Street
Statesville, NC 28677
Phone: 704.838.8187
Email: wordsheal@gmail.com

Areas of experience: supervision, MFT exam preparation, couples/family work, marriages between Americans and eastern Europeans, brief therapy, neuro-linguistic programming, indirect hypnotherapy

He has been a clinical member of AAMFT and NCAMFT since 1993 and since then has supervised many ECU students. He graduated in 1990 from the MFT program at Reformed Theological Seminary in Jackson, MS.

Martha Teater, MA, LMFT, LCAS

Mountaintop Healthcare and Good Samaritan Clinic
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Areas of experience: private practice, medical settings, substance abuse issues

She has been in private practice since 1990 and works in a primary care medical practice.



Mentor Program Continued

Eastern NC

Maria Velazquez-Constas, M.Ed., Ed.S., LMFT

Fayetteville Family Life Center
114 Highland Avenue
Fayetteville, NC 28305
Phone: 910.484.0176
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Areas of experience: military population and biracial couples, cultural diversity, employment opportunities, at least 12 years in private practice

She is an AAMFT Approved Supervisor and serves on the licensing board for psychology as a public mentor. She recently presented on working with the military and biracial couples at the NCAMFT conference and will be presenting at the AAMFT conference in Sept. 2011. She is proficient in both English and Spanish.

Dave Geissler, LMFT

Day Rehabilitation Center
Pitt County Memorial Hospital
Greenville, NC
Phone: 252.847.6365
Email: dgeissle@pcmh.com

Areas of experience: supervision, medical settings, traumatic brain injuries, private practice

He has served as a valuable resource and mentor for many ECU students who have completed internships under his supervision at Day Rehab.....including me!

David Mikkelson, MDiv, LMFT

Fayetteville, NC
Phone: 910.303.5409
Email: david.mikkelson@us.army.mil

Areas of experience: Army, military, veteran issues

He is an AAMFT Approved Supervisor.

Suzanne Mikkelson, LMFT

Fayetteville, NC
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Areas of experience: supervision, military issues

She is currently an AAMFT Approved Supervisor.

Lee "Bob" Smith, MS, LMFT, CCSOTP

Director of training and development at the Institute for Family Centered Treatment, a private agency providing intensive in-home services

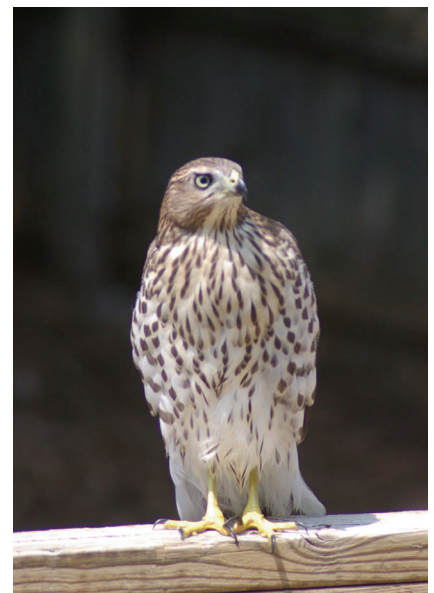
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Areas of experience: supervision; private practice of at least 10 years; clinical work in trauma, sex offenders, domestic violence, Juvenile Justice, oppositional youth, substance abuse, use of self as a therapist; research demonstrating the effectiveness of MFT and furthering the acceptance of MFT's in the general public eyes

He is an AAMFT Approved Supervisor and co-created an evidence-based practice called Family Centered Treatment.

Our current NCAMFT Board Members have also agreed to be included as mentors as well. Please see the list of our current board members on the front page of this newsletter and check out the Board of Directors link on our NCAMFT webpage at www.ncamft.org for their email addresses. Our board members are located throughout our state and are accessible to answer your questions.

You may contact me at 252.320.6326 or email me at lindsay@alumni.ecu.edu for any revisions, updates, or information.



Professional Association Council Fraud & Abuse—Why Should Professionals Care?

The Professional Association Council (PAC) is committed to minimize fraudulent and abusive behavior in behavioral health care. Why is this important??

Fraud and inappropriate provision of services:

- harms consumers of service
- jeopardizes the integrity of the system
- jeopardizes the clinicians working in the system

What is fraud and abuse?

Medicaid fraud and abuse is when a person knowingly cheats or is dishonest. The dishonesty results in a benefit such as payment or coverage.

Examples of Medicaid fraud and abuse (by provider):

- A provider's credentials are not accurate.
- A provider bills for services which were not rendered.
- A provider performs and bills for services not medically necessary.

What can you do?

- Read the material attached to know the facts
- Support adherence to professional guidelines, rules and regulations
- Report fraud and abuse to the appropriate agencies as outlined in the attached document

North Carolina Professional Licensure Board Contacts for Filing Complaints

North Carolina Social Work Certification and Licensure Board

www.ncswboard.org, Email: swboard@asheboro.com

Ethics Director: Richard Farris—1-866-397-5263

Main number: 1-800-550-7009 or follow link below and select “to file a complaint” on the left side of the homepage

North Carolina Psychology Board

www.ncpsychologyboard.org, Email: info@ncpsychologyboard.org

NCPA Board contact for complaints: Susan Batts

Main number: 828-262-2258 or follow link below to access the NCPB complaint form.

<http://www.ncpsychologyboard.org/filingacomplaint.htm>

North Carolina Board of Licensed Professional Counselors

www.ncblpc.org, Email: ncblpc@mgmt4u.com

Main number: 919-661-0820 or follow link below to access the NCBLPC complaint form

http://www.ncblpc.org/forms/10_Complaint_Form/Complaint_Form.pdf

North Carolina Marriage and Family Therapy Licensing Board

www.nclmft.org, Email: ncmftlb@nc.rr.com

Main number: 919-469-8081 or follow link below to access the NCMFTLB complaint form.

http://www.nclmft.org/images/uploads/other_pdfs/Complaint_Form.pdf

North Carolina Substance Abuse Professional Practice Board

www.ncsappb.org, Email: anna@recanc.com

Main number: 919-83200975 or follow link below to access the NCSAPPB complaint form

<http://www.ncsappb.org/complaintssteve/complaints.pdf>

North Carolina Board of Nursing

www.ncbon.org

Main number: 919-782-3211 or follow link below to access the NCBON complaint form

<http://www.ncbon.org/content.aspx?id=930&linkidentifier=id&itemid=930>

Fraud & Abuse—continued

Contact Information
 For Reporting Possible Violations of Statutes, Rules, Policy and/or Professional Ethics within the publicly-funded mental health, developmental disabilities, and substance abuse services system.

Contact Person	Agency Responsible	Area of Suspected Violation	Telephone	Email	Mailing Address
Sandee Resnick	NC DMH/DD/SAS, Resource & Regulatory Management, Accountability Team	Billing, Service Provision, Documentation (NC	O: 919-881-2446; C: 910-612-5730	Sandee.Resnick@dhhs.nc.gov	3824 Barrett Dr., Suite 304, Raleigh, NC 27609
Patrick Piggott	NC DMA, Behavioral Health Review Section, Program Integrity	Billing, Service Provision, Documentation	O: 1-877-DMA-TIP1 (1-877-362-8471)	Patrick.Piggott@dhhs.nc.gov	Alternatively, complete and submit a Medicaid fraud and abuse confidential online complaint form at www.ncdhhs.gov/dma/fraud/reportfraudform.htm
Tracy Ginn, Acting Team Leader	NC DMH/DD/SAS, Advocacy & Customer Service / Customer Services & Community Rights	Client Rights	O: 919-715-3197	Tracy.Ginn@dhhs.nc.gov	3009 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-3009

The following is a list of additional resources for reporting purposes:

Physician Complaints (Physicians and Urgent Care Centers)
 N.C. Medical Board (1-800-253-9653)
<http://www.ncmedboard.org>

Labor/Personnel Issues/Complaints
 N.C. Department of Labor (1-800-625-2267)

Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) Complaints
<http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/privacy/hipaa/complaints/index.html>

Discrimination Complaints
 U.S. Office of Civil Rights (1-800-368-1019)
<http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/civilrights/complaints/index.html>

Medicaid Fraud
 N.C. Division of Medical Assistance (919-647-8000)
<http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dma/medicaid/contacts.htm>

Medicare Fraud
 U.S. Office of Inspector General (1-800-447-8477)
<http://oig.hhs.gov/fraud/hotline/>

Chapter News!

South Central Chapter 2011 Meeting Schedule

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October 20 Men's Issues, Randy Wall, Ph.D.

November 17 Transgender Issues, Kimball Sargent, MSN, PMHCNS-BC

**Some titles are not finalized.*

North Central Chapter News

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Northeast Chapter Schedule for 2011

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As we are a large Chapter by area, I will be happy to assist in setting up any programs in your area. Any ideas for workshops or programs, please contact Dr. Ruth Cox at ruthpcox@msn.com.

Northwest Chapter

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Mid-Central Chapter News

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Southwest Chapter 2011 Meeting Schedule

Trip Woodard, MSW, LMFT
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October 12 Family Therapy with Adult Attachment Issues, Beth Starling, LMFT

November 19 Substance Abuse Issues and Family Therapy, Karen Smith, LMFT

December...our annual celebrity presentation and NCAMFT capital fund drive

Capital Chapter News

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We will be meeting on the 4th Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at Chili's, 8341 Brier Creek Parkway, Raleigh, NC, Dinner is Dutch Treat.

Member Ads

Approved Supervisor: Now accepting new supervisees for licensure as LMFT, LCAS or LPC. For more information, please visit my website at www.nagel4therapy.com or call Peter Nagel, LMFT, LCAS, CCS at 910-235-0900 or 336-626-5989. Peter is a Clinical Member and an Approved Supervisor of AAMFT.

Fundamentals of Marriage and Family Therapy Supervision Course. AAMFT approved for those working toward the Approved Supervisor Designation. Beginning October 14th, 2011 Instructor: Jeff Krepps, PhD, LMFT. For more information, visit www.JeffKrepps.com

The New Science of Love and Relationships-What you Need to Know About Establishing and Maintaining Connection. October 8th, 2011, 12-3PM, American Institute of Healthcare and Fitness, Conference Center, 8300 Health Park, Raleigh, NC 27615, Family Therapy Institute of Raleigh. (800) 599-0653 or info@fti-raleigh.com

Office Space: Beautiful big office for sublet up to 20 hours weekly-EK Powe House at 112 Swift Ave near 9th St Durham right off 147 Share kitchen, waiting area, with 5 psychotherapists-Spacious, bright, perfect for groups and families-919 698 9257