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HANDBOOK OF FAMILIES AND HEALTH D.
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HANDBOOK OF FAMILIES AND HEALTH:
INTERDISCIPLINARY PERSPECTIVES
PRESENTS STATE-OF-THE-ART
SUMMARIES OF RESEARCH RELATED TO
COUPLE, MARITAL, AND FAMILY
INFLUENCES ON HEALTH. EDITORS D.

RUSSELL CRANE AND ELAINE S.
MARSHALL, ALONG WITH A
DISTINGUISHED GROUP OF
CONTRIBUTORS ACROSS VARIOUS
DISCIPLINES, BRING COMPLEMENTARY
PERSPECTIVES TO A WIDE RANGE OF
FAMILIES AND HEALTH ISSUES. A MAJOR
GOAL OF THIS HANDBOOK IS TO
HIGHLIGHT COMMON ISSUES, CONCERNS,

AND GOALS ACROSS DIVERSE FIELDS AND THE BENEFITS OF BRINGING MULTIPLE PERSPECTIVES TO THESE ISSUES. A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF THE BOOK IS DEVOTED TO INTERVENTIONS TO IMPROVE FAMILY HEALTH.

DISPARITIES IN PSYCHIATRIC CARE

PEDRO RUIZ 2010 THIS BOOK OFFERS EVIDENCE-BASED CLINICAL APPROACHES FOR UNDERSTANDING DISPARITIES IN THE PROVISION OF MENTAL-HEALTH SERVICES IN THE U.S. AND OTHER INDUSTRIALIZED NATIONS. CHAPTERS ADDRESS THE AVAILABILITY AND BARRIERS TO CARE AMONG VARIOUS ETHNIC POPULATIONS AND THE ROLES OF THEIR CULTURES, LANGUAGES, AND RELIGIONS AS THEY AFFECT DIAGNOSTIC AND TREATMENT APPROACHES. ISSUES RELATED TO SPECIAL POPULATIONS SUCH AS MIGRANTS, REFUGEES, INCARCERATED INDIVIDUALS, AND THE HOMELESS ARE DISCUSSED. THE BOOK ALSO ADDRESSES ISSUES RELATED TO GENDER, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, AND AGE. BRIEF SECTIONS ON TRAINING, EDUCATION, AND POLICY WILL LAY THE FOUNDATION FOR ASSESSING EVIDENCE-BASED APPROACHES AND OUTCOMES IN THESE DIVERSE POPULATIONS.

DEPRESSION IN LATINOS SERGIO A.

AGUILAR-GAXIOLA 2009-04-05 DEPRESSION RANKS AS A LEADING MENTAL HEALTH PROBLEM AMONG HISPANIC IMMIGRANTS AND THEIR US-BORN CHILDREN. AND A WIDE ARRAY OF ISSUES - STARTING WITH THE WIDESPREAD STEREOTYPE OF THE "ILLEGAL IMMIGRANT" - MAKES THE LATINO EXPERIENCE OF THIS CONDITION

DIFFER FROM THAT OF ANY OTHER GROUP. DEPRESSION IN LATINOS CONSOLIDATES THE CONCEPTUAL, DIAGNOSTIC, AND CLINICAL KNOWLEDGE BASED ON THIS SALIENT TOPIC, PROVIDING COVERAGE FROM PREVALENCE TO PREVENTION, FROM EFFICIENT SCREENING TO EFFECTIVE INTERVENTIONS. IN THIS CONCISE YET COMPREHENSIVE VOLUME, LEADING CLINICIANS, RESEARCHERS, AND ACADEMICS OFFER EXTENSIVE RESEARCH AND CLINICAL FINDINGS, LITERATURE REVIEWS (E.G., AN IN-DEPTH CHAPTER ON THE MEXICAN AMERICAN PREVALENCE AND SERVICES SURVEY), AND INSIGHTS GATHERED FROM FIRST-HAND EXPERIENCE IN CLINICAL PRACTICE. PERCEPTIVE INFORMATION IS OFFERED ON THE MOST URGENT AND COMPLEX ISSUES ON DEPRESSION IN THIS DIVERSE AND DYNAMIC POPULATION, INCLUDING: (1) THE IMPACT LANGUAGE, CULTURE, AND SOCIETAL FACTORS HAVE ON DEPRESSION AND ITS DIAGNOSIS. (2) THE MOST RELEVANT ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENTS. (3) HOW DEPRESSION MANIFESTS AMONG LATINO CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND SENIORS AS WELL AS IN LATINAS. (4) THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN DEPRESSION AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE. (5) THE MOST EFFECTIVE EVIDENCE-BASED TREATMENT METHODS. (6) THE EFFICACY OF INTERVENTIONS FOR DEPRESSION AT THE COMMUNITY LEVEL. DEPRESSION IN LATINOS IS VITAL READING FOR CLINICIANS, COUNSELING AND SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS, PSYCHIATRISTS, CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKERS, AND PUBLIC

HEALTH PROFESSIONALS INTERESTED IN PROVIDING THEIR HISPANIC CLIENTS WITH THE MOST EFFECTIVE TREATMENT POSSIBLE. IN ADDITION, ITS COVERAGE OF THE BROADER ISSUES OF ACCESS TO CARE MAKES THIS VOLUME ESSENTIAL READING FOR MENTAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATORS, VOLUNTEER/OUTREACH AGENCIES, AND POLICYMAKERS.

RACISM AND PSYCHIATRY MORGAN M. MEDLOCK 2018-10-04 THIS BOOK ADDRESSES THE UNIQUE SOCIOCULTURAL AND HISTORICAL SYSTEMS OF OPPRESSION THAT HAVE ALIENATED AFRICAN-AMERICAN AND OTHER RACIAL MINORITY PATIENTS WITHIN THE MENTAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM. THIS TEXT AIMS TO BUILD A NOVEL DIDACTIC CURRICULUM ADDRESSING RACISM, JUSTICE, AND COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH AS THESE ISSUES INTERSECT CLINICAL PRACTICE. UNLIKE ANY OTHER RESOURCE, THIS GUIDE MOVES BEYOND AN EXPLORATION OF THE PROBLEM OF RACISM AND ITS DETRIMENTAL EFFECTS, TO A PRACTICAL, SOLUTION-ORIENTED DISCUSSION OF HOW TO UNDERSTAND AND APPROACH THE MENTAL HEALTH CONSEQUENCES WITH A LENS AND SENSITIVITY FOR CONTEMPORARY JUSTICE ISSUES. AFTER ESTABLISHING THE HISTORICAL CONTEXT OF RACISM WITHIN ORGANIZED MEDICINE AND PSYCHIATRY, THE TEXT BOLDLY EXAMINES CONTEMPORARY ISSUES, INCLUDING CLINICAL BIASES IN DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT, ADDICTION AND INCARCERATION, AND PERSPECTIVES

ON PROVIDING PSYCHOTHERAPY TO RACIAL MINORITIES. THE TEXT CONCLUDES WITH CHAPTERS COVERING TRAINING AND MEDICAL EDUCATION WITHIN THIS SPHERE, APPROACHES TO SUPPORTING PATIENTS COPING WITH RACISM AND DISCRIMINATION, AND STRATEGIES FOR CHANGING INSTITUTIONAL PRACTICES IN MENTAL HEALTHCARE. WRITTEN BY THOUGHT LEADERS IN THE FIELD, RACISM AND PSYCHIATRY IS THE ONLY CURRENT TOOL FOR PSYCHIATRISTS, PSYCHOLOGISTS, ADMINISTRATORS, EDUCATORS, MEDICAL STUDENTS, SOCIAL WORKERS, AND ALL CLINICIANS WORKING TO TREAT PATIENTS DEALING WITH ISSUES OF RACISM AT THE POINT OF MENTAL HEALTHCARE.

PUBLIC HEALTH PERSPECTIVES ON DEPRESSIVE DISORDERS NEAL L. COHEN 2017-08-29 HOW DOES MENTAL HEALTH IMPACT PUBLIC HEALTH? IN 2001, THE WHO RECOGNIZED DEPRESSIVE DISORDERS AS THE LEADING CAUSE OF DISABILITY WORLDWIDE. BUT MOST AMERICANS WHO MEET DIAGNOSTIC CRITERIA FOR MAJOR DEPRESSION ARE UNTREATED OR UNDERTREATED. LUCKILY, RECENT ADVANCES HAVE FINALLY MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR THE FIELD OF PUBLIC HEALTH TO ADDRESS MENTAL HEALTH IN THE POPULATION. PUBLIC HEALTH PERSPECTIVES ON DEPRESSIVE DISORDERS FILLS A GAP BY IDENTIFYING THE TOOLS AND STRATEGIES OF PUBLIC HEALTH PRACTICE AND BY EXPLORING THEIR APPLICATION TO TWENTY-FIRST-CENTURY PUBLIC MENTAL HEALTH

POLICY AND PRACTICE. BY LOOKING AT DEPRESSIVE DISORDERS THROUGH A PUBLIC HEALTH LENS, THIS BOOK HIGHLIGHTS THE CENTRALITY OF MENTAL HEALTH TO PUBLIC HEALTH. LINKING THE AVAILABLE RESEARCH ON DEPRESSIVE ILLNESS AT THE POPULATION LEVEL WITH PUBLIC MENTAL HEALTH POLICY AND PRACTICE, EXPERT CONTRIBUTORS SET A RESEARCH AGENDA THAT WILL HELP MAKE MENTAL HEALTH A CENTRAL PART OF PUBLIC HEALTH SCIENCE AND PRACTICE. THIS BOOK IS AN INVALUABLE RESOURCE FOR RESEARCHERS AND PRACTITIONERS TO DEVELOP, FACILITATE, AND CONDUCT PILOT AND FEASIBILITY STUDIES OF PROMISING PREVENTIVE AND TREATMENT INTERVENTIONS THAT MIGHT MITIGATE THE PROGRESSION TOWARD MAJOR DEPRESSION AND OTHER MENTAL DISORDERS AMONG POPULATIONS AT RISK. THE FIRST PART OF THE BOOK UNDERSCORES THE PUBLIC HEALTH SIGNIFICANCE OF DEPRESSIVE ILLNESS BY FOCUSING ON THE EVIDENCE PROVIDED BY RECENT APPROACHES TO NOSOLOGY, EPIDEMIOLOGY, ILLNESS BURDEN, AND IMPACT ON OVERALL HEALTH. THE SECOND PART LOOKS AT THE SOCIAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL INFLUENCES ON DEPRESSIVE DISORDERS THAT ARE CRITICAL TO FUTURE EFFORTS TO PREVENT ILLNESS AND TO PROMOTE MENTALLY HEALTHY COMMUNITIES. THE THIRD AND LONGEST PART ADDRESSES THE VULNERABILITY OF DIVERSE GROUPS TO DEPRESSIVE ILLNESS AND UNDERSCORE BEST PRACTICES TO MITIGATE RISK WHILE

IMPROVING BOTH THE PREVENTIVE AND THERAPEUTIC ARMAMENTARIA. **MENTAL HEALTH** 1999
LATINA/O AMERICAN HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH: PRACTICES AND CHALLENGES LETICIA ARELLANO-MORALES Ph.D. 2018-02-16
ESSENTIAL READING FOR HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATORS, COMMUNITY AGENCIES, AND POLICY MAKERS AS WELL AS STUDENTS AND GENERAL INTEREST READERS, THIS BOOK DETAILS THE STATE OF THE PHYSICAL AND MENTAL HEALTH OF MANY LATINA/O AMERICAN GROUPS. • EXAMINES THE PREVALENCE OF PSYCHOLOGICAL DISORDERS AND CHRONIC PHYSICAL DISEASES AMONG VARIOUS LATINA/O GROUPS IN THE U.S. • REVIEWS CULTURE-SPECIFIC TREATMENTS AND COMMUNITY EFFORTS TO IMPROVE MENTAL HEALTH • DISCUSSES SPIRITUAL AND INDIGENOUS PRACTICES SUCH AS CURANDERISMO, SANTERIA, AND ESPIRITISMO AND THEIR APPLICATIONS TO HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH • PROVIDES RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ELIMINATING BARRIERS TO HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH CARE FOR INDIVIDUALS BELONGING TO LATINA/O GROUPS

CHICANO PSYCHOLOGY JOE L. MARTINEZ, JR. 2013-10-22
CHICANO PSYCHOLOGY, SECOND EDITION CONSISTS OF FIVE PARTS, SEPARATING A TOTAL OF 19 CHAPTERS, BEGINNING WITH A BRIEF OVERVIEW OF THE HISTORY OF PSYCHOLOGY, FIRST IN SPAIN, AND THEN IN PRE-COLUMBIAN MEXICO. THIS OVERVIEW IS FOLLOWED

BY A FEW SUMMARY STATEMENTS OF THE TRANSPORTATION OF PSYCHOLOGY FROM SPAIN TO MEXICO, AND THE EVENTUAL DEVELOPMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY AS AN ACADEMIC DISCIPLINE IN MODERN MEXICO. THIS EDITION TACKLES THE DEVELOPMENTS WITHIN CHICANO PSYCHOLOGY. SUBSEQUENT CHAPTERS FOCUS ON FOUNDATIONS FOR A CHICANO PSYCHOLOGY, SOCIOCULTURAL VARIABILITY, PSYCHOLOGICAL DISORDER AMONG CHICANOS, AND SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY. LAST THREE CHAPTERS EXAMINE BILINGUALISM FROM THE STANDPOINT OF SEVERAL ISSUES INVOLVING CHICANOS. THIS BOOK WILL BE OF INTEREST TO BOTH SCIENTIST AND STUDENT WORKING IN THE AREAS OF CROSS-CULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY, RACE RELATIONS, PSYCHOLOGICAL ANTHROPOLOGY, CHICANO STUDIES, AND BILINGUAL EDUCATION.

CULTURAL CONSIDERATIONS IN LATINO AMERICAN MENTAL HEALTH HARVETTE GREY 2015 IN AMERICA'S INCREASINGLY DIVERSE SOCIETY, IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT MENTAL HEALTH PROVIDERS PRIORITIZE THE DEVELOPMENT OF THEIR CULTURAL COMPETENCE TO ASSURE THAT THEY ARE EQUIPPED TO MEET THE NEEDS OF THEIR CLIENTS. **CULTURAL CONSIDERATIONS IN LATINO AMERICAN MENTAL HEALTH** OFFERS A BROAD ARRAY OF PERSPECTIVES FROM CLINICIANS AND RESEARCHERS ACTIVELY WORKING WITH RACIALLY AND ETHNICALLY DIVERSE POPULATIONS. THIS BOOK ADDRESSES PSYCHOSOCIAL

CULTURAL ISSUES THAT IMPACT THE MENTAL HEALTH OF THE GROWING LATINO AMERICAN POPULATION. TOPICS DISCUSSED INCLUDE RELEVANT SOCIO-DEMOGRAPHIC VARIABLES FOR LATINOS AND THE IMPLICATIONS OF THE STEADILY INCREASING LATINO POPULATION IN THE UNITED STATES; CULTURAL VALUES, ACCULTURATION, AND ACCULTURATIVE STRESS IN THE LIVES OF LATINO ADOLESCENTS; CULTURALLY RESPONSIVE INTERVENTION OF DEPRESSION IN LATINO ADOLESCENTS; DEPRESSION ACROSS THE LIFESPAN; AND CULTURAL FACTORS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF SUBSTANCE ABUSE ISSUES IN THE LATINO ADOLESCENT POPULATION. THIS BOOK IS A MUST-READ FOR MENTAL HEALTH CLINICIANS, STUDENTS, COMMUNITY WORKERS, SCHOOL COUNSELORS, AND NURSES WHO WORK WITH DIVERSE POPULATIONS.

PERSPECTIVES IN CROSS-CULTURAL PSYCHIATRY ANNA M. GEORGIPOULOS 2005 THIS VOLUME PRESENTS CUTTING-EDGE WORK IN CROSS-CULTURAL PSYCHIATRY BY AN INTERNATIONAL GROUP OF CLINICIANS, RESEARCHERS, AND LEADERS IN MENTAL HEALTH POLICY. THE BOOK GREW OUT OF A RECENT LECTURE SERIES AT THE MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL HOSPITAL AND FEATURES CONTRIBUTIONS FROM DIVERSE FIELDS INCLUDING PSYCHIATRY, PSYCHOLOGY, ANTHROPOLOGY, SOCIAL WORK, SOCIAL MEDICINE, AND PUBLIC POLICY. THE FIRST SECTION HIGHLIGHTS THE IMPLICATIONS OF BIOLOGICAL AND CULTURAL DIVERSITY

FOR PSYCHIATRIC DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT. SUBSEQUENT SECTIONS FOCUS ON PSYCHOTHERAPY IN CROSS-CULTURAL CONTEXTS AND INTERNATIONAL MENTAL HEALTH POLICY. CHAPTERS EXAMINE A VARIETY OF PATIENT POPULATIONS, INCLUDING ASIAN, AFRICAN, AND HISPANIC AMERICANS AND POPULATIONS IN EUROPE AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES.

CULTURE AND MENTAL HEALTH SUSSIE ESHUN 2009-02-11 CULTURE AND MENTAL HEALTH TAKES A CRITICAL LOOK AT THERESEARCH PERTAINING TO COMMON PSYCHOLOGICAL DISORDERS, EXAMININGHOW MENTAL HEALTH CAN BE STUDIED FROM AND VARY ACCORDING TODIFFERENT CULTURAL PERSPECTIVES. INTRODUCES STUDENTS TO THE MAIN TOPICS AND ISSUES IN THE AREAOF MENTAL HEALTH USING CULTURE AS THE FOCUS EMPHASIZES ISSUES THAT PERTAIN TO CONCEPTUALIZATION,PERCEPTION, HEALTH-SEEKING BEHAVIORS, ASSESSMENT, DIAGNOSIS, ANDTREATMENT IN THE CONTEXT OF CULTURAL VARIATIONS REVIEWS AND ACTIVELY ENCOURAGES THE READER TO CONSIDER ISSUESRELATED TO RELIABILITY, VALIDITY AND STANDARDIZATION OF COMMONLYUSED PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENTS AMONG DIFFERENT CULTURALGROUPS HIGHLIGHTS THE WIDELY USED DSM-IV-TR CATEGORIZATION OFCULTURE-BOUND SYNDROMES

MENTAL HEALTH 2001

SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE WITH

LATINOS RICH FURMAN 2010-06-01

LATINOS ARE NOW THE LARGEST ETHNIC MINORITY POPULATION IN THE UNITED STATES AND STILL THEY ENCOUNTER A GREAT DEAL OF MISUNDERSTANDING, PREJUDICE, AND DISCRIMINATION. UTILIZING A STRENGTHS-BASED PERSPECTIVE, SOCIAL WORK PRACTICE WITH LATINOS ADDRESSES THE UNIQUE NEEDS OF THIS DIVERSEPOPULATION. WRITTEN BY PRACTITIONERS AND SCHOLARS FROM MANY DISCIPLINES, THIS BOOK DISCUSSES SOCIAL ISSUES OF CONSEQUENCE TO LATINOS AND SPECIFIC STRENGTHS AND RISK FACTORS OF THE LATINO COMMUNITY. THEY THEN OFFER METHODS THAT UTILIZE THESE STRENGTHS TO ENSURE A CULTURALLY-COMPETENT APPROACH TO PRACTICE WITHLATINO POPULATIONS. EACH CHAPTER IS ACCOMPANIED BY KEY QUESTIONS FOR PERSONAL AND GROUP REFLECTION TO FACILITATE DISCUSSION AND UNDERSTANDING OF THESE VITAL THEMES. THE EDITORS HAVE NEARLY THREE DECADES OF COMBINED EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH LATINO POPULATIONS INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES. DRAWING ON THIS EXPERIENCE, THEY INTEGRATE THESE VARIED PERSPECTIVES TO PREPARE STUDENTS AND PRACTITIONERS FOR PRACTICE WITH THIS RICHLY DIVERSE COMMUNITY.

COUNSELING LATINOS AND LA FAMILIA AZARA L SANTIAGO-RIVERA 2002 COUNSELING LATINOS AND LA FAMILIA PROVIDES AN INTEGRATED APPROACH TO UNDERSTANDING LATINO FAMILIES AND INCREASING COMPETENCY FOR

COUNSELORS AND OTHER MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL WHO WORK WITH LATINOS AND THEIR FAMILIES. IT PROVIDES ESSENTIAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION ABOUT THE LATINO POPULATION AND THE FAMILY UNIT, WHICH IS SO CENTRAL TO LATINO CULTURE, INCLUDING THE DIVERSITY OF VARIOUS SPANISH-SPEAKING GROUPS, SOCIO-POLITICAL ISSUES, AND CHANGING FAMILY FORMS. THE BOOK ALSO INCLUDES PRACTICAL COUNSELING STRATEGIES, FOCUSING ON THE MULTICULTURAL COMPETENCIES APPROACH.

THE PSYCHOLOGY OF RELIGION AND COPING

KENNETH I. PARGAMENT
2001-02-15 BRIDGING THE SUBJECT FIELDS OF PSYCHOLOGY AND RELIGION, THIS VOLUME INTERWEAVES THEORIES WITH FIRST-HAND ACCOUNTS, CLINICAL INSIGHT, AND EMPIRICAL RESEARCH TO LOOK AT SUCH QUESTIONS AS WHETHER RELIGION IS A HELP OR A HINDRANCE IN TIMES OF STRESS.

MULTICULTURAL ASSESSMENT PERSPECTIVES FOR PROFESSIONAL

PSYCHOLOGY RICHARD HENRY DANA
1993 PROFESSIONAL AND CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGISTS, COUNSELING PRACTITIONERS IN RELATED FIELDS, AND THOSE INVOLVED IN TRAINING MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE PROVIDERS WILL WELCOME THIS TIMELY AND IMPORTANT BOOK. REFLECTING THE RAPID INCREASE IN U.S. MINORITY POPULATIONS, IT PROVIDES A COMPREHENSIVE SURVEY OF ASSESSMENT ISSUES FROM AN ENLIGHTENED MULTICULTURAL PERSPECTIVE. FOR THE FIRST TIME IN

ONE SOURCE, READERS WILL FIND ASSESSMENT ISSUES RELATED IN A SYSTEMATIC WAY TO THE CULTURAL EXPERIENCES AND WORLD VIEW OF FOUR MAJOR CULTURAL/MINORITY GROUPS: AFRICAN AMERICANS, ASIAN AMERICANS, HISPANIC AMERICANS, AND NATIVE AMERICANS. THE PROJECTED GROWTH RATE OF SEVERAL OF THESE GROUPS INCREASES THE LIKELIHOOD THAT MANY PRACTITIONERS WILL SOON BE PROVIDING SERVICES TO CLIENTS IN THESE GROUPS IF THEY ARE NOT ALREADY DOING SO. THE BOOK BEGINS WITH AN OVERVIEW THAT DISCUSSES THE NATURE OF SERVICES PROVIDED TO MULTICULTURAL POPULATIONS AND THE REASONS FOR THEIR UNDERUTILIZATION. THE GOAL OF THIS BOOK IS TO STIMULATE THE AWARENESS AND PROVIDE THE TOOLS NEEDED TO DEVELOP CULTURAL COMPETENCE. USING THE SAME FRAME OF REFERENCE FOR EACH GROUP, THE AUTHOR PROVIDES DETAILED DESCRIPTIONS OF THE WORLD VIEW SHARED BY MEMBERS OF THE GROUP; THEIR LANGUAGE, SENSE OF IDENTITY, VALUES AND BELIEFS; AND THEIR PERCEPTIONS ABOUT PSYCHOLOGICAL DISTURBANCES, MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES, AND ACCEPTABLE STYLES OF SERVICE DELIVERY. THROUGHOUT HIS ANALYSIS, HE IS CAREFUL TO POINT OUT THE DIFFERENCES WITHIN GROUPS AS WELL AS THOSE BETWEEN GROUPS. HAVING DESCRIBED THE FOUR MAJOR CULTURAL GROUPS, DANA GOES ON TO DISCUSS ASSESSMENT ISSUES, INCLUDING THE USE OF MODERATOR

VARIABLES TO IDENTIFY CULTURAL ORIENTATION - WHICH MUST BE DONE BEFORE ANY TESTING OR INTERVENTION IS ATTEMPTED. HE EXAMINES IN DETAIL AN ARRAY OF CULTURE-SPECIFIC TESTS AND DEVICES THAT PROVIDE INFORMATION ON THE EXTENT TO WHICH AN ORIGINAL TRADITIONAL CULTURE HAS BEEN RETAINED, AND/OR THE HOST ANGLO AMERICAN CULTURE HAS BEEN ADOPTED BY THE INDIVIDUAL. DANA REVIEWS THE STRENGTHS AND LIMITATIONS OF ALL MAJOR TESTS OF INTELLIGENCE, PSYCHOPATHOLOGY, AND PERSONALITY IN TERMS OF THEIR USEFULNESS WITH CLIENTS OF VARIOUS CULTURAL ORIGINS AND ORIENTATIONS. AND HE PROVIDES A MODEL FOR PRACTICE THAT BRIDGES THE GAP BETWEEN THE DESCRIPTIONS OF CULTURES AND TESTS AND PRACTICAL ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES.

CREATING INFRASTRUCTURES FOR LATINO MENTAL HEALTH LYDIA P. BUKI
2011-09-10 LATINOS ARE THE FASTEST GROWING AND LARGEST MINORITY GROUP IN THE UNITED STATES. IN 2008, THIS GROUP NUMBERED OVER 47 MILLION; BY 2050, THE POPULATION IS EXPECTED TO TRIPLE, REACHING 133 MILLION. TRADITIONALLY, LATINOS HAVE IMMIGRATED TO LARGE URBAN CENTERS (E.G., NEW YORK, LOS ANGELES) THAT OVER LONG PERIODS OF TIME DEVELOPED A COMPLEX INFRASTRUCTURE TO RECEIVE NEW IMMIGRANTS. INCREASINGLY, NEW SPANISH-SPEAKING IMMIGRANTS ARE MOVING INTO AREAS OF THE COUNTRY PREVIOUSLY

UNFAMILIAR TO THEM. ALTHOUGH URBAN CO-ETHNIC COMMUNITIES CONTINUE TO BE THE DESTINATION OF MANY NEWCOMERS, IMMIGRANTS FROM MEXICO, CENTRAL AMERICA, AND SOUTH AMERICA IN PURSUIT OF LOW-SKILLED LABOR OPPORTUNITIES ARE SETTLING IN SMALL TOWNS AND RURAL AREAS OF THE SOUTH AND MIDWEST. THIS NEW DEMOGRAPHIC TREND HAS RESULTED IN THE CREATION OF THE TERM "NEW GROWTH COMMUNITIES," WHICH REFERS TO SMALL RURAL AREAS THAT ARE NOW HOME TO A SMALL BUT RAPIDLY GROWING HISPANIC POPULATION. UNFORTUNATELY, THESE COMMUNITIES, WHICH ARE NOW PRESENT IN MANY STATES ACROSS THE COUNTRY (E.G., ILLINOIS, NORTH CAROLINA), LACK THE INFRASTRUCTURE NECESSARY TO MEET THE NEEDS OF LATINO IMMIGRANTS (E.G., ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE, IMMIGRATION ASSISTANCE, AND BREAKING DOWN LANGUAGE BARRIERS). THE LACK OF AN INFRASTRUCTURE AND THE LACK OF AN ESTABLISHED ETHNIC COMMUNITY TO FACILITATE THE ASSIMILATION OF NEW IMMIGRANTS PRESENT AN ONGOING CHALLENGE, ESPECIALLY IN THE AREA OF LATINO MENTAL HEALTH. THE VOLUME FOCUSES ON DEALING WITH SYSTEMIC ISSUES AND ON PROVIDING INNOVATIVE IDEAS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE OF SERVICES. THIS TEXT WILL ADVANCE WAYS TO UNDERSTAND AND AMELIORATE MENTAL HEALTH DISPARITIES BOTH FROM RESEARCH AND EXPERIENTIAL PERSPECTIVES.

MENTAL HEALTH, MENTAL ILLNESS AND

MIGRATION DRISS MOUSSAOUI
2021-09-18 THIS BOOK UNRAVELS THE MENTAL HEALTH CHALLENGES OF THE MIGRANTS AND THE SOCIO ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL CONDITIONS THAT BEAR ON THE MENTAL WELL BEING. IN ADDITION, IT COVERS THE MEASURES OF INTERVENTION THAT CAN HELP THE MIGRANTS MAINTAIN OR RESTORE THEIR MENTAL WELL BEING. RESEARCH INCLUDED IN THE BOOK IS TIMELY GIVEN THAT THERE IS EVER INCREASING MOBILITY OF PEOPLE WHICH ON ONE HAND HAS LED TO BETTER LIVELIHOODS, BUT ON THE OTHER HAS CREATED CONDITIONS OF STRESS FOR THE MIGRANTS AND THEIR FAMILIES. AS MIGRANTS ARE OFTEN FOUND TO BE HESITANT OF USING THE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES IN THE NEW PLACE WHICH MAY BE DUE TO THE LACK OF AWARENESS, THIS BOOK ELABORATES ON THE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES, COST ISSUES, STIGMA, AND SEVERAL OTHER FACTORS.

THE PUERTO RICAN SYNDROME
PATRICIA GHEROVICI 2010-05-04
WINNER OF THE GRADIVA AWARD IN HISTORICAL CULTURAL AND LITERARY ANALYSIS AND THE 2004 BOYER PRIZE FOR CONTRIBUTIONS TO PSYCHOANALYTIC ANTHROPOLOGY DURING THE 1950'S, US ARMY MEDICAL OFFICERS NOTED A NEW AND PUZZLING SYNDROME THAT CONTEMPORARY PSYCHIATRY COULD NEITHER EXPLAIN NOR CURE. THESE DOCTORS REPORTED THAT PUERTO RICAN SOLDIERS UNDER STRESS BEHAVED IN A VERY PECULIAR AND

DRAMATIC MANNER, EXHIBITING A THEATRICAL FORM OF PSEUDO-EPILEPSY. STARTLED PHYSICIANS OBSERVED FRIGHTENED AND DISORIENTED PATIENTS FOAMING AT THE MOUTH, SCREAMING, BITING, KICKING, SHAKING IN SEIZURES, AND FAINTING. THE PHENOMENON SEEMED TO CORRESPOND TO A SERIOUS NEUROLOGICAL DISEASE YET, AS WITH SOME FORMS OF HYSTERIA, PHYSICAL EXAMINATION FAILED TO IDENTIFY ANY SIGN OF AN ORGANIC ORIGIN. THIS UNUSUAL SET OF SYMPTOMS, ENTERED INTO MEDICAL RECORDS AS "A GROUP OF STRIKING PSYCHOPATHOLOGICAL REACTION PATTERNS, PRECIPITATED BY MINOR STRESS," AND WAS DESIGNATED "PUERTO RICAN SYNDROME." IN THIS LUCID AND SOPHISTICATED NEW WORK, PATRICIA GHEROVICI THOROUGHLY EXAMINES THE SO-CALLED PUERTO RICAN SYNDROME IN THE CONTEMPORARY WORLD, ITS SOCIAL AND CULTURAL IMPLICATIONS FOR THE GROWING HISPANIC POPULATION IN THE US AND, THEREFORE, FOR THE US AS A WHOLE. AS A MENTAL ILLNESS THAT IS, ALLEGEDLY, UNIQUELY PUERTO RICAN, THIS SYNDROME LINKS NATIONALITY AND CULTURE TO A PSYCHIATRIC DISEASE WHOSE REAPPEARANCE RECALLS THE SPECTACULAR HYSTERIA THAT LED TO THE DISCOVERY OF THE UNCONSCIOUS AND THE BIRTH OF PSYCHOANALYSIS. GHEROVICI BEAUTIFULLY AND SYSTEMATICALLY USES THE COMBINED INSIGHTS OF FREUD AND LACAN TO EXAMINE THE CURRENT STATE OF PSYCHOANALYSIS AND THE HISPANIC COMMUNITY IN AMERICA.

BLENDING THESE INSIGHTS WITH HISTORY, CURRENT EVENTS, AND HER OWN CASE MATERIAL, GHEROVICI PROVIDES A STARTLING, FRESH LOOK AT PUERTO RICAN SYNDROME AS SOCIAL AND CULTURAL PHENOMENON. SHE SHEDS NEW LIGHT ON THE FUTURE OF AMERICAN SOCIETY AND ARGUES THAT PSYCHOANALYSIS IS NOT ONLY POSSIBLE, BUT MUCH NEEDED IN THE GHETTO. FROM THE TRADE PAPERBACK EDITION.

CHICANA AND CHICANO MENTAL HEALTH YVETTE G. FLORES
2013-05-02 SPIRIT, MIND, AND HEART—IN TRADITIONAL MEXICAN HEALTH BELIEFS ALL THREE ARE INHERENT TO MAINTAINING PSYCHOLOGICAL BALANCE. FOR MEXICAN AMERICANS, WHO ARE BOTH THE OLDEST LATINA/O GROUP IN THE UNITED STATES AS WELL AS SOME OF THE MOST RECENT ARRIVALS, PERCEPTIONS OF HEALTH AND ILLNESS OFTEN REFLECT A DUAL BELIEF SYSTEM THAT HAS NOT ALWAYS BEEN INCORPORATED IN MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENTS. *CHICANA AND CHICANO MENTAL HEALTH* OFFERS A MODEL TO UNDERSTAND AND TO ADDRESS THE MENTAL HEALTH CHALLENGES AND SERVICE DISPARITIES AFFECTING MEXICAN IMMIGRANTS AND MEXICAN AMERICANS/CHICANOS. YVETTE G. FLORES, WHO HAS MORE THAN THIRTY YEARS OF EXPERIENCE AS A CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGIST, PROVIDES IN-DEPTH ANALYSIS OF THE MAJOR MENTAL HEALTH CHALLENGES FACING THESE GROUPS: DEPRESSION; ANXIETY DISORDERS, INCLUDING POST-

TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER; SUBSTANCE ABUSE; AND INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE. USING A LIFE-CYCLE PERSPECTIVE THAT INCORPORATES INDIGENOUS HEALTH BELIEFS, FLORES EXAMINES THE MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES AFFECTING CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS, ADULT MEN AND WOMEN, AND ELDERLY MEXICAN AMERICANS. THROUGH CASE STUDIES, FLORES EXAMINES THE IMPORTANCE OF UNDERSTANDING CULTURAL VALUES, CLASS POSITION, AND THE GENDER AND SEXUAL ROLES AND EXPECTATIONS CHICANAS/OS NEGOTIATE, AS WELL AS THE LEGACIES OF MIGRATION, TRANSCULTURATION, AND MULTICULTURALITY. *CHICANA AND CHICANO MENTAL HEALTH* IS THE FIRST BOOK OF ITS KIND TO EMBRACE BOTH WESTERN AND INDIGENOUS PERSPECTIVES. IDEALLY SUITED FOR STUDENTS IN PSYCHOLOGY, SOCIAL WELFARE, ETHNIC STUDIES, AND SOCIOLOGY, THE BOOK ALSO PROVIDES VALUABLE INFORMATION FOR MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS WHO DESIRE A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF THE NEEDS AND STRENGTHS OF THE LARGEST ETHNIC MINORITY AND HISPANIC POPULATION GROUP IN THE UNITED STATES.

LATINO FAMILIES IN THERAPY, SECOND EDITION CELIA JAES FALICOV
2015-04-10 "SINCE ITS INITIAL PUBLICATION, THIS ACCLAIMED WORK HAS PROVIDED A COMPREHENSIVE CONCEPTUAL FRAMEWORK AND HANDS-ON STRATEGIES FOR CULTURALLY COMPETENT CLINICAL PRACTICE WITH LATINO FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS.

PRACTITIONERS AND STUDENTS GAIN AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE FAMILY DYNAMICS, MIGRATION EXPERIENCES, ECOLOGICAL STRESSORS, AND CULTURAL RESOURCES THAT ARE FREQUENTLY SHARED BY LATINO FAMILIES, AS WELL AS VARIATIONS AMONG THEM. THROUGH IN-DEPTH CASE ILLUSTRATIONS, THE AUTHOR SHOWS HOW TO APPLY A MULTICULTURAL LENS TO ASSESSMENT AND INTERVENTION THAT DRAWS ON EACH CLIENT'S STRENGTHS. CREATIVE IDEAS ARE PRESENTED FOR ADDRESSING FREQUENTLY ENCOUNTERED CLINICAL ISSUES AND CHALLENGES AT ALL STAGES OF THE FAMILY LIFE CYCLE. NEW TO THIS EDITION *REFLECTS THE ONGOING DEVELOPMENT OF THE AUTHOR'S MULTIDIMENSIONAL MODEL, INCLUDING ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENT/TREATMENT PLANNING TOOLS. *INCORPORATES THE LATEST CLINICAL RESEARCH AND OVER A DECADE OF SOCIAL AND DEMOGRAPHIC CHANGES. *CHAPTER ON WORKING WITH GEOGRAPHICALLY SEPARATED FAMILIES, INCLUDING INNOVATIVE USES OF TECHNOLOGY. *CHAPTERS ON HEALTH DISPARITIES AND ON ADOLESCENTS. EXPANDED DISCUSSION OF SAME-SEX MARRIAGE, INTERMARRIAGE, DIVORCE, AND STEPPARENTING. SUBJECT AREAS/KEYWORDS: ACCULTURATION, ADOLESCENTS, ASSESSMENTS, CHICANO, CHILDREN, CLINICAL PRACTICE, COUPLES, CULTURAL DIVERSITY, DISCRIMINATION, ETHNICITY, FAMILIES, FAMILY THERAPY, HISPANIC, IMMIGRANTS, IMMIGRATION, LATINO,

MENTAL HEALTH, MIGRATION, PARENTING, PREJUDICE, PSYCHOTHERAPY, RACISM, RELIGION, SPIRITUALITY, TREATMENTS AUDIENCE: THERAPISTS AND COUNSELORS WORKING WITH FAMILIES; INSTRUCTORS AND STUDENTS IN FAMILY THERAPY, CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY, PSYCHIATRY, SOCIAL WORK, COUNSELING, AND NURSING"--

FORGOTTEN DEAD WILLIAM D. CARRIGAN 2013-05-30 FORGOTTEN DEAD UNCOVERS A NEGLECTED CHAPTER IN THE STORY OF AMERICAN RACIAL VIOLENCE, THE FIRST COMPREHENSIVE STUDY OF LYNCHING OF HUNDREDS OF PERSONS OF MEXICAN ORIGIN OR DESCENT.

PSYCHOLOGY OF THE AMERICAS MANUEL RAMIREZ 2017-01-31 *PSYCHOLOGY OF THE AMERICAS: MESTIZO PERSPECTIVES ON PERSONALITY AND MENTAL HEALTH* PRESENTS THE FRAMEWORK FOR A PERSONALITY PSYCHOLOGY AND PSYCHIATRY OF THE AMERICAS. THIS FRAMEWORK IS BASED ON THE MESTIZO WORLD VIEW, A PERSPECTIVE THAT EMERGED FROM SOCIOPOLITICAL EVENTS WHICH ARE UNIQUE TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF MANY OF THE NATIONS OF THE AMERICAS. THE WORD "MESTIZO" REFERS TO THE SYNTHESIS OF NATIVE AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN PEOPLE, CULTURES, AND LIFE STYLES. THIS BOOK IS DIVIDED INTO NINE CHAPTERS AND STARTS WITH A DISCUSSION OF THE CONCEPTS AND PRINCIPLES OF DEVELOPMENTAL, PERSONALITY, COMMUNITY, AND

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY/PSYCHIATRY, WHICH ARE REFLECTED IN THE CULTURES OF THE INDIGENOUS PEOPLES OF NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA, AS WELL AS THE CARIBBEAN. CONSIDERABLE CHAPTERS OFFER SOME MODELS THAT ARE BASED ON THE PARADIGMS OF DIVERSITY AND SYNTHESIS, SPECIFICALLY A VALUES/BELIEF SYSTEMS-COGNITIVE STYLES FRAMEWORK BASED ON RESEARCH THAT HAS EXPLORED THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN TRADITIONALISM-MODERNISM AND COGNITIVE STYLES. THE SPECIFIC MODELS FOCUS ON INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT OF PLURALISTIC IDENTITIES, THE MENTAL HEALTH OF FAMILIES COPING WITH ACCULTURATION STRESS, PERSON-ENVIRONMENT FIT OF MIGRATING INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE MISMATCHED WITH INSTITUTIONS AND AGENCIES OF THE COMMUNITY, AND ON INTERGROUP AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS IN SITUATIONS OF CONFLICT. THE REMAINING CHAPTERS DEAL WITH THE TENETS AND ASSUMPTIONS OF A PSYCHOLOGY AND PSYCHIATRY, INCLUDING THEORIES AND APPROACHES WHICH DIFFER IN MANY RESPECTS FROM THE EUROPEAN WORLD VIEW-BASED PERSONALITY PSYCHOLOGY AND PSYCHIATRY OF THE PAST. THIS BOOK IS OF VALUE TO PSYCHOLOGISTS, PSYCHIATRISTS, RESEARCHERS, AND STUDENTS.

THE CROSS-CULTURAL PRACTICE OF CLINICAL CASE MANAGEMENT IN MENTAL HEALTH PETER MANOLEAS
2013-01-11 DISCOVER A CULTURALLY COMPETENT MODEL OF

CLINICAL CASE MANAGEMENT IN MENTAL HEALTH PRACTICE SETTINGS. IN THE CROSS-CULTURAL PRACTICE OF CLINICAL CASE MANAGEMENT, AUTHOR PETER MANOLEAS SYNTHESIZES SOME OF THE EXISTENT THINKING ON CASE MANAGEMENT IN CROSS-CULTURAL PSYCHOTHERAPY SETTINGS AND DEVELOPS AN EFFECTIVE MODEL OF CLINICAL CASE MANAGEMENT FOR MENTAL HEALTH PRACTITIONERS. THE PERSON-IN-ENVIRONMENT APPROACH LEADS MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS TO REALIZE THAT CASE MANAGERS AND THEIR CLIENTS MUST DEAL WITH A VARIETY OF CULTURES WITHIN THE TREATMENT ENVIRONMENT. REHABILITATION PROGRAMS, SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAMS, PUBLIC ASSISTANCE, THE POLICE, AND ESPECIALLY PSYCHIATRY ITSELF, ARE EACH CHARACTERIZED BY THEIR OWN 'CULTURES.' THESE MAY, AT TIMES, CONFLICT WITH OR PRESENT SIGNIFICANT DISSONANCE WITH THE CLIENT'S OWN ETHNIC CULTURE. THE CROSS-CULTURAL PRACTICE OF CLINICAL CASE MANAGEMENT ADVOCATES THAT THE ROLE OF "CULTURE BROKER" BE ADDED TO THE LIST OF ACTIVITIES FOR EFFECTIVE CLINICAL CASE MANAGERS. SEVERAL OF THE MAJOR ETHNIC GROUPS REPRESENTED IN PUBLIC MENTAL HEALTH POPULATIONS ARE EXAMINED, AS WELL AS OTHER TOPICS RELEVANT TO THE DAILY PRACTICE OF MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS: EFFECTIVE CROSS-CULTURAL CRISIS INTERVENTION THE CULTURE OF HOMELESSNESS WOMEN

AND THE MENTAL HEALTH SYSTEM
ASIANS AND PACIFIC ISLANDERS
LATINOS AFRICAN AMERICANS NATIVE
AMERICANS SERIOUSLY EMOTIONALLY
DISTURBED CHILDREN THE CROSS-
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PRACTICING MENTAL HEALTH
PROFESSIONALS IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR
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INDIVIDUAL THERAPY TO CASE
MANAGEMENT MODELS OF SERVICE
DELIVERY. INCREASING NUMBERS OF
ETHNIC MINORITIES IN PUBLIC SYSTEMS
AND THE EMPHASIS ON CULTURAL
COMPETENCE WILL MAKE ALL OF THE
TOPICS OF INTEREST TO MANY READERS.
HISPANIC PSYCHOLOGY AMADO M.
PADILLA 1995 HOW CAN
PSYCHOLOGY CONTRIBUTE TO OUR
UNDERSTANDING OF HISPANICS IN THE
UNITED STATES? EDITED BY AMADO M.
PADILLA, HISPANIC PSYCHOLOGY
OFFERS STUDENTS, RESEARCHERS, AND
PRACTITIONERS THE MOST
CONTEMPORARY AND COMPLETE VIEW
OF PSYCHOLOGICAL WRITINGS
AVAILABLE TODAY. THE TOPICS
TACKLED BY A TEAM OF SOCIAL
SCIENTISTS INCLUDE ADAPTATION TO A
NEW CULTURE IN THE UNITED STATES,
THE ROLE OF THE FAMILY IN
ACCULTURATION, ETHNIC
IDENTIFICATION FOR HISPANICS, HEALTH
AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE AND
RESEARCH NEEDS OF HISPANICS, AND
CHANGING GENDER ROLES IN HISPANIC
CULTURE. THIS VOLUME EXAMINES SUCH
COMPLEX SUBJECTS AS CHICANO MALE
GANG MEMBERS, HOMELESS FEMALE AIDS

VICTIMS, AND EDUCATIONAL RESILIENCY
OF STUDENTS WITH AUTHORITY AND
PERCEPTIVITY. THIS BOOK BRINGS
TOGETHER DIVERSE PSYCHOLOGICAL
ISSUES THAT WILL SPARK AN INTEREST
IN ANYONE WISHING TO HAVE A
CURRENT PERSPECTIVE ON THE FASTEST
GROWING ETHNIC GROUP IN THE UNITED
STATES. "LIBRARIES SERVING
GRADUATE STUDENTS IN THE AREAS OF
PSYCHOLOGY, EDUCATION, CHILD
DEVELOPMENT, OR LATINO STUDIES
SHOULD FIND THIS BOOK HELPFUL." --
CHOICE "THE GROWING PRESENCE AND
RELEVANCE OF ETHNIC AND CULTURAL
ISSUES IN MANY MENTAL HEALTH
DISCIPLINES HAS A COGENT
DEMONSTRATION IN THIS HANDSOME
VOLUME. THE STRENGTH OF THIS
VOLUME IS IN ITS WELL-CONCEIVED AND
REALIZED RESEARCH STUDIES. INDEED,
THE "NEW SCHOLARSHIP" OF
CONCEPTUAL MODELS, MEASUREMENT
INSTRUMENTS, AND INTERPRETIVE
APPROACHES, DRAWING HEAVILY ON
THE SOCIAL CONTEXT IN WHICH
HISPANICS LIVE, GIVES THIS BOOK A
PROMINENT PLACE AMONG ITS PEERS.
THIS VOLUME WILL BECOME A
LANDMARK IN THE TASK OF DEFINING THE
REALITIES AND THE FATE OF HISPANICS
IN THE UNITED STATES OF THE
TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY." --RENATO
D. ALACR² IN *TRANSCULTURAL
PSYCHIATRIC RESEARCH REVIEW*
BLACK MENTAL HEALTH EZRA E. H.
GRIFFITH, M.D 2018-09-24 THE
EXPERIENCES OF BOTH BLACK PATIENTS
AND THE BLACK MENTAL HEALTH
PROFESSIONALS WHO SERVE THEM ARE

ANALYZED AGAINST THE BACKDROP OF THE CULTURAL, SOCIETAL, AND PROFESSIONAL FORCES THAT HAVE SHAPED THEIR PLACE IN THIS SPECIALIZED HEALTH CARE ARENA. HISPANIC JOURNAL OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES 2000

MENTAL HEALTH AND HISPANIC

AMERICANS ROSINA M. BECERRA 1982 CULTURALLY RESPONSIVE COUNSELING

WITH LATINAS/OS PATRICIA ARREDONDO 2014-12-08 THIS BOOK PROVIDES CULTURE-CENTERED ASSESSMENT AND INTERVENTION STRATEGIES FOR EFFECTIVE CLINICAL PRACTICE WITH LATINA/O INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES. MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS WILL GAIN NEW AND EXPANDED CULTURAL COMPETENCE AS THEY LEARN TO SENSITIVELY AND ETHICALLY INTEGRATE LATINO VALUES INTO THEIR WORK. THROUGHOUT THE TEXT, CASE SCENARIOS ILLUSTRATE WAYS TO WORK SUCCESSFULLY WITH CLIENTS OF ALL AGES. A SAMPLE CULTURE-CENTERED CLINICAL INTERVIEW IS INCLUDED, ALONG WITH A LISTING OF LATINO-SPECIFIC MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES. TOPICS DISCUSSED INCLUDE ROLES, RELATIONSHIPS, AND EXPECTATIONS IN LATINO FAMILIES; CULTURAL AND BICULTURAL VALUES; GENDER ROLE SOCIALIZATION; GENERATIONAL DIFFERENCES; IDENTITY AND ACCULTURATION ISSUES; EDUCATIONAL VALUES AND ACHIEVEMENT; LATINAS/OS IN THE WORKFORCE; AND RELIGIOUS BELIEFS AND PRACTICES. *REQUESTS FOR DIGITAL VERSIONS FROM THE ACA CAN

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HANDBOOK OF U.S. LATINO PSYCHOLOGY FRANCISCO A. VILLARRUEL 2009-07-29

EMPHASIZING THE IMPORTANCE OF CULTURAL SENSITIVITY AND COMPETENCE IN RESEARCH AND INTERVENTION APPROACHES, THIS HANDBOOK OFFERS UNRIVALLED COVERAGE OF THE PSYCHOLOGY OF ALL LATINO GROUPS IN THE UNITED STATES.

HANDBOOK OF MULTICULTURAL

MENTAL HEALTH FREDDY A. PANIAGUA 2000-06-05 CLINICIANS AND MENTAL HEALTH PRACTITIONERS ARE REGULARLY CALLED UPON TO TREAT PATIENTS OF DIVERSE CULTURAL AND ETHNIC BACKGROUNDS. NOT ONLY DO THESE PATIENTS DIFFER FROM ANGLOS IN CULTURE AND LANGUAGE, BUT ALSO IN CUSTOMS, BELIEFS, VALUES, AND PRACTICES. UNDERSTANDING THESE DIFFERENCES IS VITAL TO PERFORMING AN ACCURATE DIAGNOSIS/ASSESSMENT OF PSYCHOPATHOLOGY AS WELL AS IN DETERMINING AN EFFECTIVE TREATMENT REGIMEN. THIS BOOK PROVIDES VITAL INFORMATION TO CLINICIANS WORLDWIDE IN BETTERING THEIR TREATMENT OF DIVERSE POPULATIONS. EACH CHAPTER IDENTIFIES RELEVANT CULTURAL VARIABLES SPECIFIC TO EACH RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP, ALONG

WITH ETHNOCULTURAL MEASURES AND THEIR RELEVANT PSYCHOMETRIC PROPERTIES. PART 1 PRESENTS INTRODUCTORY MATERIAL ON THE DEFINITION OF MENTAL ILLNESS AND PATHOLOGICAL BEHAVIOR IN DIFFERING CULTURES, EPIDEMIOLOGICAL DATA ON THE PREVALENCE OF DIFFERENT DISORDERS BETWEEN DIFFERING POPULATION GROUPS, CULTURE SPECIFIC BELIEFS (E.G. HEXES), AND THE INFLUENCE OF CULTURE ON TREATMENT. PART 2 DISCUSSES ASSESSMENT ISSUES INCLUDING HOW SPECIFIC MEASURES (RORSCHACH, MMPI, ETC.) ARE BEST INTERPRETED WITH DIFFERENT POPULATION GROUPS, AND THE EXISTENCE AND USE OF ETHNOCULTURAL SPECIFIC MEASURES. PART 3 DISCUSSES ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT OF SPECIFIC POPULATION GROUPS (E.G., INDIANS, ASIANS, LATINOS, ETC.).

MULTICULTURAL PERSPECTIVES IN WORKING WITH FAMILIES ELAINE CONGRESS 2020-05-28 FEATURES A NEW INTERSECTIONAL APPROACH TO ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT AND INTERWEAVES THE PERSPECTIVES OF PSYCHOLOGISTS FOCUSING ON CRITICAL EMERGING ISSUES IN REGARD TO MULTICULTURAL FAMILIES, THE FOURTH EDITION OF THIS POPULAR BOOK REFLECTS FUNDAMENTAL ISSUES SURROUNDING ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT OF FAMILIES FROM DIVERSE CULTURAL BACKGROUNDS. THE MOST EFFECTIVE TREATMENT METHODS FOR WORKING WITH CULTURALLY DIVERSE FAMILIES ACROSS THE LIFE CYCLE ARE

COVERED IN DETAIL. INDIVIDUAL CHAPTERS FOCUS ON A VARIETY OF DISTINCT ETHNIC GROUPS INCLUDING AFRICAN AMERICAN, HISPANICS, ASIAN-AMERICAN, NATIVE AMERICAN, AND ARAB AMERICAN, AS WELL AS THE NEEDS OF LGBTQ MULTICULTURAL FAMILIES AND THE ROLE OF SPIRITUALITY. THE TEXT UNDERLINES THE IMPORTANCE OF AN INTERSECTIONAL APPROACH TO WORKING WITH FAMILIES THAT, IN ADDITION TO CULTURE AND ETHNICITY, ALSO CONSIDERS SOCIOECONOMIC CLASS, GENDER, AGE, RELIGION, IMMIGRATION STATUS, AND SEXUAL ORIENTATION AS IMPORTANT FACTORS. ADDITIONALLY, THE TEXT EXPANDS ITS DIRECT-PRACTICE VIEW WITH THE ADDITION OF FOUR NEW CHAPTERS WRITTEN BY PSYCHOLOGISTS, PLUS A NEW CHAPTER ON HEALTH ISSUES IN MULTICULTURAL FAMILIES AND ACCESS TO HEALTH SERVICES. THE TEXT IS UPDATED WITH THE LATEST KNOWLEDGE AND RESEARCH, ALONG WITH NEW AND REVISED CASE VIGNETTES DEMONSTRATING CULTURALLY COMPETENT PRACTICE. NEW TO THE FOURTH EDITION: PROVIDES A NEW INTERSECTIONAL APPROACH TO ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT ADDS THE PERSPECTIVES OF PSYCHOLOGISTS IN FOUR COMPLETELY NEW CHAPTERS INCLUDES A NEW CHAPTER ON DSM5 FROM A MULTICULTURAL PERSPECTIVE, PLUS NEW CHAPTERS ON HEALTH AND ACCESS TO HEALTH SERVICES OFFERS THE MOST UP-TO-DATE KNOWLEDGE AND

RESEARCH PROVIDES NEW AND UPDATED CASE VIGNETTES REFLECTS CHANGES IN THE FAMILY UNIT OVER THE LAST QUARTER CENTURY AND HOW IT IMPACTS TREATMENT ADDRESSES DISTINCT SOCIOPOLITICAL ISSUES AFFECTING IMMIGRANTS AND UNDOCUMENTED FAMILIES KEY FEATURES: FOCUSES ON THE MOST IMPORTANT EMERGING ISSUES OF MULTICULTURAL FAMILIES COVERS MULTICULTURAL MENTAL HEALTH ACROSS THE LIFESPAN ENCOMPASSES THE DISTINCT PERSPECTIVES OF DIFFERENT ETHNIC AND RACIAL GROUPS, AND THOSE OF LGBTQ FAMILIES DISCUSSES DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE IN REGARD TO MULTICULTURAL FAMILIES DELINEATES THE MOST EFFECTIVE TREATMENT METHODS EXAMINES THE CULTURAGRAM AS A USEFUL ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT PLANNING MODALITY ADDRESSES ETHICAL ISSUES INCLUDING THE NASW CODE OF ETHICS

PREVENTING ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION AND SUICIDE AMONG LATINAS ANDREA J. ROMERO 2013-09-20 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.

HISpanICS AND THE FUTURE OF AMERICA NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL 2006-02-23 HISpanICS AND THE FUTURE OF AMERICA PRESENTS DETAILS OF THE COMPLEX STORY OF A POPULATION THAT VARIES IN MANY DIMENSIONS, INCLUDING NATIONAL ORIGIN, IMMIGRATION STATUS, AND GENERATION. THE PAPERS IN THIS VOLUME DRAW ON A WIDE VARIETY OF DATA SOURCES TO DESCRIBE THE CONTOURS OF THIS POPULATION, FROM THE PERSPECTIVES OF HISTORY, DEMOGRAPHY, GEOGRAPHY, EDUCATION, FAMILY, EMPLOYMENT, ECONOMIC WELL-BEING, HEALTH, AND POLITICAL ENGAGEMENT. THEY PROVIDE A RICH SOURCE OF INFORMATION FOR RESEARCHERS, POLICY MAKERS, AND OTHERS WHO WANT TO BETTER UNDERSTAND THE FAST-GROWING AND DIVERSE POPULATION THAT WE CALL HispaniC. The CURRENT PERIOD IS A CRITICAL ONE FOR GETTING A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF HOW HispanICS ARE BEING SHAPED BY THE U.S. EXPERIENCE. THIS WILL, IN TURN, AFFECT THE UNITED STATES AND THE CONTOURS OF THE HispaniC FUTURE REMAIN UNCERTAIN. THE UNCERTAINTIES INCLUDE SUCH ISSUES AS WHETHER HispanICS, ESPECIALLY IMMIGRANTS, IMPROVE THEIR EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT AND FLUENCY IN ENGLISH

AND THEREBY IMPROVE THEIR ECONOMIC POSITION; WHETHER GROWING NUMBERS OF FOREIGN-BORN HISPANICS BECOME CITIZENS AND ACHIEVE EMPOWERMENT AT THE BALLOT BOX AND THROUGH ELECTED OFFICE; WHETHER IMPENDING HEALTH PROBLEMS ARE SUCCESSFULLY AVERTED; AND WHETHER HISPANICS' GEOGRAPHIC DISPERSAL ACCELERATES THEIR SPATIAL AND SOCIAL INTEGRATION. THE PAPERS IN THIS VOLUME PROVIDE INVALUABLE INFORMATION TO EXPLORE THESE ISSUES.

MEXICAN AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGY: SOCIAL, CULTURAL, AND CLINICAL PERSPECTIVES MARIO A. TOVAR 2017-03-27 PROVIDING IN-DEPTH COVERAGE OF THE MEXICAN AMERICAN POPULATION FROM SOCIAL, CULTURAL, AND PSYCHOLOGICAL (CLINICAL) PERSPECTIVES, THIS BOOK PROMOTES THE UNDERSTANDING OF CULTURAL PRACTICES AND SOCIOLOGICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF THIS IMPORTANT ETHNIC GROUP. • ADDRESSES THE CHARACTERISTICS OF MEMBERS OF THIS LARGE AND GROWING GROUP OF AMERICANS AS DISTINCT FROM THE GENERALIZED ETHNIC GROUP OF "LATINO AMERICANS" • COVERS LONG-TIME U.S. RESIDENTS AND RECENT IMMIGRANTS FROM MEXICO AS WELL AS SECOND AND LATER GENERATION MEXICAN AMERICANS • PROVIDES EXTENSIVE INFORMATION ABOUT THE MEXICAN AMERICAN POPULATION FROM DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES THAT GIVES READERS BETTER INSIGHT AND UNDERSTANDING ABOUT THIS IMPORTANT ETHNIC GROUP

• PROMOTES CULTURAL SENSITIVITY WHEN WORKING WITH MEXICAN AMERICANS IN DIFFERENT SETTINGS • DESCRIBES SPECIFIC CLINICAL STRATEGIES THAT CAN BE EFFECTIVE WHEN WORKING WITH MEXICAN AMERICANS

SOCIAL ISSUES IN LIVING COLOR: CHALLENGES AND SOLUTIONS FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF ETHNIC MINORITY PSYCHOLOGY [3 VOLUMES] ARTHUR W. BLUME PH.D. 2017-02-16

OFFERING FRESH AND EXCITING APPROACHES TO SOLVING GLOBAL PROBLEMS, THIS BOOK CREATIVELY VIEWS CHALLENGING SOCIAL ISSUES THROUGH THE LENS OF RACIAL AND ETHNIC PSYCHOLOGY. • UTILIZES CONCEPTS OF RACIAL AND ETHNIC MINORITY PSYCHOLOGY TO ADDRESS IMPORTANT ISSUES OF THE 21ST CENTURY, OFFERING UNIQUE INSIGHTS INTO THE NATURE OF TODAY'S REAL-WORLD PROBLEMS • PRESENTS RACIAL AND ETHNIC PSYCHOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES ON TOPICS SUCH AS MEDIA, THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, POVERTY, CLIMATE CHANGE, AND SUSTAINABILITY • PROVIDES MUCH-NEEDED ALTERNATIVE PERSPECTIVES ON HUMAN BEHAVIOR OTHER THAN THE THEORIES, SYSTEMS, AND PRACTICES THAT ARE LARGELY DERIVED FROM ANGLO-AMERICAN RESEARCH USING WHITE SUBJECTS

GUIDE TO PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT WITH HISPANICS LORRAINE T. BENUTO 2012-09-19

THIS BOOK FOCUSES ON DIVERSITY, CULTURE, AND ETHNICITY AS THEY

RELATE TO PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT OF HISPANICS. IT IS A HOW-TO GUIDE FOR CLINICIANS, RESEARCHERS, AND INSTRUCTORS WORKING WITH HISPANIC CLIENTS. EACH CHAPTER CONTAINS AN OVERVIEW OF CULTURAL CONSIDERATIONS NEEDED FOR ASSESSING THE HISPANIC CLIENT FOLLOWED BY A SPECIFIC EXPLORATION OF THE ASSESSMENT MEASURES AVAILABLE AND THE RESEARCH THAT HAS BEEN CONDUCTED ON THESE MEASURES WITH HISPANIC PARTICIPANTS. AN EXPLORATION OF THE STRENGTHS AND LIMITATIONS OF EACH ASSESSMENT MEASURE IS INCLUDED. CONSIDERING THAT ETHNOCULTURAL MINORITY INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE OF HISPANIC/LATINO ORIGIN MAKE UP THE LARGEST ETHNOCULTURAL MINORITY GROUP IN THE UNITED STATES, GUIDELINES FOR WORKING WITH THIS POPULATION ARE A MUST. GIVEN THAT A LARGE SUBSET OF THIS PERCENTAGE IS COMPOSED OF IMMIGRANTS MANY OF WHOM DO NOT SPEAK ENGLISH OR WHO HAVE LEARNED ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE, SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR EFFECTIVE PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT ARE NECESSARY. THIS BOOK FILLS A GAP IN THE SCIENTIFIC LITERATURE BY CONSOLIDATING THE RESEARCH ON PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT WITH HISPANIC SAMPLES INTO ONE COMPREHENSIVE VOLUME AND PROVIDING SIMPLE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT OF HISPANIC CLIENTS. AN EXPLORATION OF THE GENERAL PSYCHOLOGICAL

ASSESSMENT DOMAINS (E.G., PERSONALITY, INTELLIGENCE) IS INCLUDED WITH REFERENCES TO RESEARCH ON THE MAJOR ASSESSMENT MEASURES USED IN THE FIELD. A MORE SPECIFIC EXPLORATION OF PSYCHODIAGNOSTIC ASSESSMENT MEASURES FOLLOWS, INCLUDING THE ASSESSMENT OF MOOD DISORDERS, ANXIETY DISORDERS, SEXUAL DYSFUNCTION, PSYCHOSIS, ETC. SEVERAL CHAPTERS ARE DEDICATED TO SPECIALIZED ASSESSMENT, INCLUDING NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT, FORENSIC ASSESSMENT, AND SCHOOL-BASED ASSESSMENT, OVERALL CREATING THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE, UP-TO-DATE, RESEARCH-BASED COMPENDIUM OF PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT MEASURES FOR USE WITH HISPANIC CLIENTS.

COMMUNITIES IN ACTION NATIONAL ACADEMIES OF SCIENCES, ENGINEERING, AND MEDICINE 2017-04-27 IN THE UNITED STATES, SOME POPULATIONS SUFFER FROM FAR GREATER DISPARITIES IN HEALTH THAN OTHERS. THOSE DISPARITIES ARE CAUSED NOT ONLY BY FUNDAMENTAL DIFFERENCES IN HEALTH STATUS ACROSS SEGMENTS OF THE POPULATION, BUT ALSO BECAUSE OF INEQUITIES IN FACTORS THAT IMPACT HEALTH STATUS, SO-CALLED DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH. ONLY PART OF AN INDIVIDUAL'S HEALTH STATUS DEPENDS ON HIS OR HER BEHAVIOR AND CHOICE; COMMUNITY-WIDE PROBLEMS LIKE POVERTY, UNEMPLOYMENT, POOR EDUCATION, INADEQUATE HOUSING, POOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION,

INTERPERSONAL VIOLENCE, AND DECAYING NEIGHBORHOODS ALSO CONTRIBUTE TO HEALTH INEQUITIES, AS WELL AS THE HISTORIC AND ONGOING INTERPLAY OF STRUCTURES, POLICIES, AND NORMS THAT SHAPE LIVES. WHEN THESE FACTORS ARE NOT OPTIMAL IN A COMMUNITY, IT DOES NOT MEAN THEY ARE INTRACTABLE: SUCH INEQUITIES CAN BE MITIGATED BY SOCIAL POLICIES THAT CAN SHAPE HEALTH IN POWERFUL WAYS. COMMUNITIES IN ACTION: PATHWAYS TO HEALTH EQUITY SEEKS TO DELINEATE THE CAUSES OF AND THE SOLUTIONS TO HEALTH INEQUITIES IN THE UNITED STATES. THIS REPORT FOCUSES ON WHAT COMMUNITIES CAN DO TO PROMOTE HEALTH EQUITY, WHAT ACTIONS ARE NEEDED BY THE MANY AND VARIED STAKEHOLDERS THAT ARE PART OF COMMUNITIES OR SUPPORT THEM, AS WELL AS THE ROOT CAUSES AND STRUCTURAL BARRIERS THAT NEED TO BE OVERCOME.

FORENSIC MENTAL HEALTH ASSESSMENT OF CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS

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2006-03-16 MOST PROFESSIONAL FORENSIC LITERATURE ADDRESSES THE ASSESSMENT OF ADULTS YET NEGLECTS THE NECESSARY DIFFERENCES THAT ARISE WHEN WORKING WITH MINORS. FORENSIC MENTAL HEALTH ASSESSMENT OF CHILDREN PRESENTS THE READER WITH ESSENTIAL KNOWLEDGE AND PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS REGARDING THE FORENSIC ASSESSMENT OF MINORS INVOLVED IN A VARIETY OF LEGAL APPLICATIONS. METHODS OF EVALUATION ARE

DESCRIBED BY LEADING EXPERTS REGARDING TOPICS FREQUENTLY ENCOUNTERED AND OF GREAT IMPORTANCE TO THE COURTS INCLUDING: -PHYSICAL AND SEXUAL CHILD ABUSE -DOMESTIC VIOLENCE - CHILD CUSTODY IN DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS -RISK ASSEMENT FOR VIOLENCE -POTENTIAL FOR REHABILITATION IN JUVENILE COURT CASES -SPECIAL EDUCATION - CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT AND TRAUMA AS MITIGATING CIRCUMSTANCES IN DEATH PENALTY CASES IN ADDITION TO REVIEWING A BROAD SPECTRUM OF TOPICS, METHODS OF EVALUATION, AND THE APPLICATION OF SPECIFIC TESTS, CHAPTERS ALSO ADDRESS FORENSIC ASSESSMENT MATTERS SUCH AS ETHICAL ISSUES, PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY, AND CULTURAL CONSIDERATIONS. THIS COMPREHENSIVE RESOURCE WILL BE INDISPENSABLE TO MENTAL HEALTH PRACTITIONERS AND LEGAL PROFESSIONALS, AND OF GREAT INTEREST TO RESEARCHERS AND STUDENTS.

GRIEF THERAPY WITH LATINOS CARMEN VAZQUEZ, PHD 2011-01-28 "WE RECOMMEND THIS WORK FOR BOTH BILINGUAL COUNSELORS AND FOR MONO-LINGUAL COUNSELORS IN SCHOOLS AND CLINICAL SETTINGS. THE GRIEF COUNSELING TECHNIQUES ARE CLEARLY EXPLAINED AND ARE ACCESSIBLE EVEN TO THOSE WHO HAVE NOT BEEN EXTENSIVELY TRAINED IN THE AREAS OF LOSS AND GRIEF."--ILLNESS, CRISIS AND LOSS "GRIEF THERAPY WITH LATINOS: INTEGRATING CULTURE

FOR CLINICIANS ADVANCE THE FIELD OF GRIEF THERAPY BY OFFERING A CULTURALLY SENSITIVE MODEL FOR LATINO/AS. RICH IN THEORY AND PRACTICE, THIS BOOK OFFERS A CULTURALLY CONGRUENT APPROACH TO GRIEF THERAPY. THE AUTHORS PRESENT AN EFFECTIVE MODEL THAT TEACHES THERAPISTS HOW TO COMPREHEND LATINO/AS² 'MOURNING IN SPANISH.' GRIEF THERAPY WITH LATINOS: INTEGRATING CULTURE FOR CLINICIANS CAN SERVE AS A GRADUATE TEXTBOOK AS WELL AS A REFERENCE FOR NOVICE AND SEASONED CLINICIANS." --LILLIAN COMAS-DIAZ, PHD, IN PSYCHOANALYTIC PSYCHOLOGY THIS BOOK SERVES AS BOTH A GRADUATE TEXTBOOK AND CLINICAL REFERENCE THAT HELPS IN THE UNDERSTANDING OF RELEVANT CULTURAL VALUES AND THEIR EFFECT ON THE GRIEVING PROCESS. GRIEF THERAPY WITH LATINOS ALSO ADDRESSES THE APPLICATION OF SPECIFIC INTERVENTIONS IN A CULTURALLY APPROPRIATE MANNER, INCLUDING THE IMPORTANCE OF LANGUAGE IN GRIEF THERAPY, PSYCHOLOGY, AND COUNSELING WITH A LATINO POPULATION. THE MAIN FOCUS OF THIS BOOK IS TO IDENTIFY

UNDERLYING PATHOLOGIES, DEPRESSIONS, OR ANXIETIES THAT COULD HAVE EXISTED BEFORE, AND THE RELEVANCE OF THE CULTURAL COMPONENTS THAT CAN INTERFERE WITH THE ADAPTION TO AND THE RESOLUTION OF GRIEF. WRITTEN IN THREE PARTS--SPECIFIC CULTURAL AND PSYCHOLOGICAL COMPONENTS OF LATINO GRIEF, THE MANY FACES OF GRIEF, AND GRIEF WITHIN THE FAMILY CONTEXT--EACH PART DEMONSTRATES A CLEAR HANDS-ON APPROACH TO HOW TO RESPOND TO LATINO PATIENTS AND ADDRESSES ASPECTS UNIVERSALLY RELATED TO GRIEF AND PSYCHOLOGICAL POINTS OF VIEW. KEY FEATURES: ADDRESSES CULTURALLY SPECIFIC AND DIVERSE NARRATIVES OF LOSS TO ILLUSTRATE CULTURAL REVELATIONS IN THE GRIEF PROCESS AND THE CLINICAL ASSESSMENT OF DENIAL AND SPIRITUALITY DISCUSSES THE RELEVANCE OF LANGUAGE IN THE EXPRESSION OF GRIEF, ASSESSMENT, AND TREATMENT PRESENTS CLEAR AND EASY-TO-READ GRIEF THERAPY APPROACHES AND METHODS INCLUDES ADAPTATIONS OF TRADITIONAL PSYCHOTHERAPEUTIC TECHNIQUES, INCORPORATING RELEVANT CULTURAL VALUES