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The Cleo Eulau Center Resiliency Consultation Program: Development, Practice, Challenges and Efficacy of a Relationship-Based Consultation Model for Challenged Schools

Paula Jacobsen, LCSW.....

Abstract:

The Cleo Eulau Center (CEC), founded to help children overcome adversity, established the CEC Resiliency Consultation Program. The Program utilizes a strengths-based relationship model for challenged schools. The model is informed by clinical experience and resiliency research. Through a parallel process, consultants support and enhance the resiliency of teachers so that, in turn, teachers can do the same for their students. The relationship of the consultant to the teacher mirrors the relationship that the consultants work to develop between teachers and students. The development and implementation of the model are addressed, as are challenges and efficacy.

Key Words: school consultation, relationship, resiliency, strengths-based

Case Journal of Organic Delusional Disorder

Pamela Goodfriend, MSW.....

Abstract:

An intern assists on a Petition for Dependency and Neglect case in the Social Services Agency that serves her home town. Upon learning about the removal of a 14-year-old boy from his home, it was discovered that the father had recently passed away, leaving the child to be reared by a mother who had been diagnosed with Organic Delusional Disorder. Guns, a history of prostitution, and prescription drug abuse factor into the assessment and removal of the child from the home. While colorful and interesting, this woman left the writer saddened to see the extent of the impact of her neglect of her only child.

Key words: child welfare, delusional disorder

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