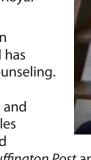
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I oe Kort, Ph.D., LMSW, is a board-certified sexologist and the founder of The Center for Relationship and Sexual Health, and runs a private practice in Royal Oak, Michigan.

Dr. Kort, a therapist, coach and author, has been practicing psychotherapy for over 25 years and has spoken internationally on the subject of gay counseling. He specializes in sex therapy, gay affirmative psychotherapy, sexually compulsive behaviors, and IMAGO relationship therapy designed for couples to enhance their relationship through improved



communication. Dr. Kort is a blogger for the Huffington Post and Psychology Today on issues of sexuality. He has been a guest on the various television programs on mixed orientation marriages and "sexual addiction". Dr. Kort is the author of several books, including, LGBTQ Clients in Therapy, Gay Affirmative Therapy for the Straight Clinician, 10 Smart Things Gay Men Can Do To Improve Their Lives, 10 Smart Things Gay Men Can Do To Find Real Love, and Is My Husband Gay, Straight or Bisexual.

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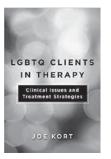
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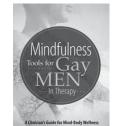
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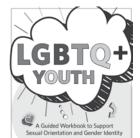
A therapist who treats LGBTQ clients often must be more than "gay friendly." Gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender clients have specific needs that require their own knowledge base. This book offers up-to-date information for clinicians treating LGBTQ clients, including new chapters on transgender, sexually fluid, and gender nonconforming clients.



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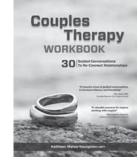
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The most comprehensive, practical and user-friendly workbook written specifically for clinicians and educators to engage and support lesbian, gay, transgender, bisexual and questioning youth.

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A series of scripted questions to promote meaningful couple conversations and build ongoing, connect communication. 30 guided conversations of the most critical relationship struggles. For each of the 30 topics, there is an introduction, goal-setting strategies and 10 scripted questions to ask each other - all presented in an easy-to-use mindful style.

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re you making the biggest mistake treating your LGBTQ clients? Are you pushing them to "come out"? And if you are...you could be traumatizing vour clients.

I made the same mistake early in my career of forcing my clients to name and claim their sexual identity

I didn't know how to ask them about their sexual practices. And when I tried, I offended them.

Come to my workshop and I will equip you with the right tools and up-to-date information you need in this rapidly changing population to more effectively counsel your lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and questioning clients, and

You will learn specific strategies to better treat the unique challenges your client may be facing such as:

- self-acceptance and internalized homophobia
- non hetero-normative sexual behaviors and practices
- trauma and abuse from growing up LGBTQ
- the difficult process of coming out

Also, let me help you avoid the common mistake of believing, "a couple is a couple" and treating LGBTQ couples the same as their heterosexual counterparts Don't be the straight therapist that is losing LGBTQ clients because of poor intake, assessment and treatment planning. Learn how to offer your clients a safe place for therapy.

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Do No Harm: Make Your LGBTO **Client Feel Safe & Respected** in Therapy

Red-flag words: Offensive words you

might use (without you knowing!) Intake session: questions about developing identity Strategies to establish rapport and comfort Tips for discussing sex and sexuality

Talk About Sex!

Don't miss out on key info by ignoring the sex talk

Top or bottom? And other important questions to ask: flexible, changing sexual preferences and attractions

Varieties of sexuality

Protect the client from your own biases and assumptions

Coming Out

Stigma and its impact on mental health from childhood to adulthood

6 distinct stages with interventions Navigate the 3 phases of coming out to avoid isolation and alienation

Fear, shame and rejection unique to this population

Relationship concerns: family, friends, school or workplace

1. Assess gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender

and questioning clients for psychological

trauma to assist in informing treatments

stages of the coming out process to provide

2. Establish and understand the six distinct

optimal amount of support to the client.

disorders that mimic the effects of the

3. Distinguish between mental health

trauma from growing up LGBTQ.

Finding a sense of belonging in LGBTQ community

Harmful and dangerous effects of conversion therapy

interventions.

LGBTQ Adolescence

Coming out issues

It gets better but not before coming out Bullying and other safety issues contributing to PTSD

Harm reduction adult dating apps such as Grindr, Scruff, etc.

Risk assessment for substance abuse Assess for suicidality

Gay Male

Finding support

Develop a treatment plan and goals for unique challenges growing up gay male

Accurate assessment of alcohol use with this high risk population

HIV & STI prevention strategies and risk and harm reduction

Generational differences informing different treatment plans

Internalized homophobia

Learn specific sexual terminology to avoid alienating your client

Lesbian

LGBTQ clients.

Develop a treatment plan and goals for unique challenges growing up lesbian Specific terminology that is helpful and

damaging in this population

Sex and sexuality: what to know, what to ask

Strategies to manage gender dynamics Internalized homophobia manifests in development

4. Utilize specific clinical interventions and

assessment tools to more effectively treat

5. Employ adaptable clinical interventions to

6. Consider the dynamics of same gendered

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from different generations.

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work more effectively with LGBTQ clients

Bisexuality

Learn strategies to help the anxiety of bisexuals in dating and relationships

Internalized biphobia and bisexual development from childhood into adulthood

Compare and contrast male and female bisexuality

Transgender

Overcome the knowledge barrier Avoid using outdated treatment plans Learn and differentiate correct terms such

as gender queer, gender fluid and cisgender

Strategies to help your client tell their partner, families, friends and employers

Tips to discuss hormone treatments and surgical procedures

Crucial points for transgender teens medically and psychologically and how to create best treatment plan

Questioning

Avoid mislabeling a client and leading them down the wrong sexual identity path

bisexuality, gay and lesbian identities

Differentiate between sexual identity, sexual behavior and sexual fantasies

Working with LGB Couples

Dynamics of a same gendered couple including vulnerabilities and strengths Coming out discrepancy causing turbulence for couples

Recognize and identify how internalized homophobia creates conflicts

Open relationships in gay male couples Sexual issues and strategies on compatibility, incompatibility, frequency and satisfaction

Working with Mixed Orientation Couples and Relationships

Specific stages of coming out as a mixed orientation couple

Specialized treatment programs for the straight spouses

Helping LGBTQ spouse integrate their identity into their mixed orientation relationships

Learn how to identify which couples will succeed and which won't

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