### **Outline**

# Attachment Science in Individual Psychotherapy

Seeing the self from a developmental attachment viewpoint

The 10 principles of attachment science
The attachment view of emotional disorders
What attachment tells us about the essence
of in-session change that lasts

#### Emotionally Focused Therapy for Emotional Disorders – EFIT

Foundational Stages of EFT

- Stabilization
- Restructuring
- Consolidation

The organic model of change and change events - working with vulnerability

# The EFIT Process-Oriented Assessment

A non-pathologizing attachment perspective on emotional disorders

Using EFIT to work with core features of anxiety and depression

The process of first sessions – building a safe-haven alliance

# **Objectives**

- Build core emotional experiences to promote emotional balance in your traumatized, anxious and depressed clients.
- 2. Evaluate the EFT model as a secure base for effective therapy with individual clients.
- 3. Analyze the three stages of the EFT model as an approach that offers clients a way out of destructive patterns.
- 4. Implement evidence-based stages to increase closeness, safe attachment and connection.
- Investigate how EFT explores and deepens emotions with clients in a way that maintains safety.

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# The Core EFT Macro Interventions – the EFT "Tango"

Mirroring/reflecting present process -Negative Cycles of Coping

Affect assembly and deepening

Choreographing engaged encounters with self and others

Processing these choreographed dramas to create emotional balance

Integrating and validating new experience The Tango across stages of change

# Summary of Micro Interventions – Experiential and Systemic

In-session video and discussion of sessions Play and Practice - the elements of the Tango

# Attachment Science and the Practice of Psychotherapy – Across Modalities

Growing into and applying the EFIT model in your practice

Limitations, risks and areas for further research

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- 6. Construct corrective emotional experiences for the individual client that create real forward movement in a single session.
- Develop client interactions that expand the client's sense of self and open engagement with others.
- 8. Support the client's sense of competence and worth in every session.

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To that map, add the wisdom of 30 years of clinical experience and **outcome studies** on **Emotionally Focused Therapy** and you have the right way to tune into clients' emotions and help them shift from numbing or agitation into emotional balance and the ability to trust the self and engage fully

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# Outline



Susan Johnson, Ed.D., is an author, clinical psychologist, researcher, professor, popular presenter and speaker and a leading innovator in the field of couple therapy and adult attachment. Sue is the primary developer of Emotionally Focused Couples and Family Therapy (EFT), which has demonstrated its effectiveness in over 30 years of peer-reviewed clinical research.

Sue Johnson is founding director of the International Centre for Excellence in Emotionally Focused Therapy (www.iceeft.com) and distinguished research professor at Alliant University in San Diego, California, as well as professor emeritus, clinical psychology, at the University of Ottawa, Canada.

Dr. Johnson has received a variety of awards acknowledging her development of EFT and her significant contribution to the field of couple and family therapy and adult attachment. Sue has been appointed as a Member of the Order of Canada, the country's highest civilian honor recognizing outstanding achievement, dedication to the community and service to Canada. In 2016, she was named Psychologist of the Year by APA, and has been honored by AAMFT for her Outstanding Contribution to the Field of Couple and Family Therapy.

As author of the best-selling book: Hold Me Tight, Seven Conversations for a Lifetime of Love, Sue Johnson has created for the general public, a self-help version of her ground-breaking research about relationships – how to enhance them, how to repair them and how to keep them. This best seller has been adapted and developed into a relationship education and enhancement program.

Her most recent book, Love Sense, The Revolutionary New Science of Romantic Relationships outlines the new logical understanding of why and how we love – based on new scientific evidence and cutting-edge research. Explaining that romantic love is based on an attachment bond, Dr. Johnson shows how to develop our "love sense" – our ability to develop long-lasting relationships.

Dr. Johnson's best known professional books include, The Practice of Emotionally Focused Couple Therapy: Creating Connection (2004) and Emotionally Focused Couple Therapy with Trauma Survivors (2002).

Sue trains counselors in EFT worldwide and consults to the 50 international institutes and affiliated centers who practice EFT. For more information about Sue and her mission, please visit her website at www.drsuejohnson.com.

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