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2009 DAMFT Programs

March 6

**EMDR: Eye Movement
Desensitization Reprocessing**
PRESENTER: Jordan Shafer, L.P.C.

April 3

Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
PRESENTERS:
**Carol North, M.D., and Robin Sullens,
L.M.F.T., & Alina Suris, Ph.D.**

May 1

Mothers Who Kill Their Children
PRESENTER: Sandra Steinbach, M.D.

September 4

**Divine Feminine Images in Pastoral
Counseling**
**PRESENTER: Jann Aldredge-Clanton,
Ph.D., M. DIV.**

October 2

**The Cultural Identity Formation of
the Disabled**
**PRESENTER: Mary Rixford, LMFT,
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DAMFT NEWS



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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT Susan Swank

The 35th annual TAMFT Conference in Ft. Worth was full of excitement and energy. It reminded me of “the good ole days”! We had a great turnout and a wonderful time. Having Susan Johnson and Monica McGoldrick as our keynote speakers was beyond awesome. We had so much fun at the DAMFT Booth and attracted a lot of new interest in membership for our organization. Thank you, Charlie, for furnishing our gift pens and thanks to all of you who helped.

What a joy it is to have so many of you signing up for DAMFT Membership for 2009. Registration details are in this newsletter. Gloria Martin is working hard to re-structure the membership process. Gloria, I don't know what I would do without you. If you have not already registered, please fill out the application online or register at our March meeting.

As I announced at our last meeting, Sidney Starling is our new Newsletter Editor. I can't tell you how much I appreciate her help. This is her first production.

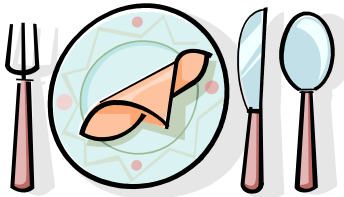
Next Meeting March 6, 2009 1:00 – 3:00

EMDR: Eye Movement Desensitization Reprocessing
PRESENTER: Jordan Shafer, L.P.C.

Our meeting on Friday March 6 will feature Jordan Shafer, L.P.C. speaking to us about EMDR. Please join us and learn more about this interesting topic. Two CEU's awarded. Meetings are held in the Chase Bank Building Community Room on the 2nd floor – 8111 Preston Road, Dallas, TX 75225, south of Northwest Hwy/ Preston Rd. Intersection.

April Meeting Luncheon RSVP

March is our last meeting at Chase Bank on Preston. They have been so gracious to have given us this conference room for so long. We will let you know where the April meeting will be held. If you have any ideas for a new place please email Susan Swank. At our April meeting DAMFT will provide lunch for our attendees. The only "catch" is that you must RSVP to have a meal. Let Anita know by emailing her @ AMTitone@sbcglobal.net. **Deadline for RSVP – Monday, March 30.** We will visit and eat from 12–1:00 p.m. and the program will be from 1-3:00 p.m. as usual.



Don't forget to RSVP to
AMTitone@sbcglobal.net

REMEMBER THIS DATE

April 15

Deadline for DAMFT Website Advertising Register Online or In Person

If you missed our February meeting, come early in March to register for your DAMFT 2009 Membership. Applications are available for both membership and for CEU's. **Don't forget!** In order to be a DAMFT member and advertise on the DAMFT Website, you must be a current member of AAMFT/TAMFT. If you have not already registered, please fill out the application online or register at our March or April meeting. You must have your membership dues paid no later than April 15 in order to advertise on the DAMFT Website. New members are welcome anytime throughout the year, but only members paid by April 15 will be updated on the website. If you are seeking only CEU's we still need an application from you. We want to make sure you get emails and the newsletter in order to keep up with what is happening in DAMFT.

REMINDER

DAMFT Member Dues: \$40.00
Student Dues: \$20.00
CEU's (15 hours includes ethics):
\$50.00 or \$10.00 per meeting (7 meetings)

| *In youth we learn, in age we understand. Marie von Ebner-Eschenbach*

Editor's Comments

Sidney Starling

Thank you, Susan for the opportunity to help out all of you who work so hard to keep this organization running smoothly. I appreciate any feedback our members may have to make this newsletter their own. Perhaps an "Opinion Corner" or "Words of Wisdom". I know when this many therapist get together there is always something insightful to share. So if you have any words of wisdom or humor to pass on to the rest of us, please share. I look forward to hearing from you all.

Advertisement

Office Space Available

Dr. Philip Korenman, a psychiatrist in West Plano, currently has office space available with part-time or full-time options. The office is furnished with a phone and the suite itself includes a break room, private bathroom and shared storage with other therapists. Light secretarial support and covered parking are also included. The office is located in a very nice, commercial office building with an excellent location. If interested, call **972-985-2129**.

Our regular meetings are from 1:00-3:00 PM. Meetings include 2 hours of CEU's and are held at the Chase Bank Building - 8111 Preston Road, Dallas, TX 75225 – South of the NW Highway and Preston Road intersection in the Bank's Community Room located on the second floor.

For all DAMFT questions please email Susan Swank at snss102@sbcglobal.net.