

WORKING WITH THE PARENTAL COUPLE

Knowledge of couple relationship enhances therapeutic interventions when working with children and families.

10 Monthly sessions

Tues 4.30-5.45 pm | Sept 2021 - July 2022

Open to all Qualified ACP Members

About the Series

Therapeutic work with parents and carers is a core aspect of many CAPTs clinical practice. Currently, much parent/carer work is with individual adults and not enough opportunity arises to think deeply about the parental couple.

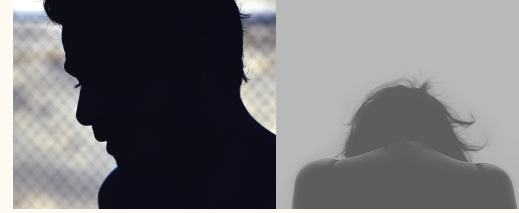
The series aims to help the clinician consider and better understand how couple dynamics impact the family and influence the internal world of the child.

The series will include readings, presentations and discussion of clinical material.

Group members will be expected to bring clinical work with parental couples (i.e where both parents are in the room) for presenting in the group. This may be face to face work or via online video. Parents may be co-habiting, separated, divorced, of whatever sexuality and gender, and be birth, adoptive, step-parents, or kinship carer's.

Facilitators: Alison Bruce & Simon Cregeen

COSTS AND REGISTRATION



£300

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Limited to 12 spaces - Book early to avoid disappointment

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DATES

2021

28 September

19 October

23 November

2022

25 January

22 February

22 March

26 April

24 May

28 June

26 July

FACILITATORS

Alison Bruce is a Child, Adolescent and Couple Psychoanalytic Psychotherapist she is on staff at Hammersmith CAMHS, runs a mother and infant project, is a visiting clinician for Tavistock Relationships, teaches for Birkbeck University and works in private practice.

Simon Cregeen is a Child, Adolescent and Couple Psychoanalytic Psychotherapist. He worked for many years in Manchester and Salford in CAMHS, and now works privately with young people (16-26 years) and couples. He has a particular interest in work around adoption and Looked After Children. He also teaches and supervises other psychoanalytic clinicians, has written a number of published papers, and is co-author of a book on adolescent depression (Karnac 2016).

This CPD work discussion group is not intended as a full couple psychotherapeutic training.