



***Illuminating Relevant Clinical Issues
& Networking with Colleagues***

**WORKING WITH DIVORCED FAMILIES:
EFFECTIVE INTERVENTIONS FOR A DIFFICULT TRANSITION**

Research shows that the effects of divorce and separation can cause great trauma in families, especially for children. Research also shows that children are able to transition through the process of divorce, in an effective manner when they have parents who develop an effective co-parenting relationship as well as have supportive individuals such as therapists who are able to offer support during these times. This presentation, a continuation of Dr. Naveen Jonathan's April 2009 Clinical Connections talk, will help therapists who will be working with families around the issue of divorce clarify the pertinent issues surrounding the topic and offer therapeutic interventions so that families can transition through this time in an effective manner.

Friday, February 4, 2011
7:00-9:00 PM, 3rd Floor, Room 318
Networking Begins at 8:30 PM
Pepperdine University - Irvine Graduate Campus
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Naveen Jonathan, LMFT, PhD, is a Clinical Assistant Professor in the Crean School of Health & Life Sciences at Chapman University in Orange, CA. He is the current Treasurer for the American Association for Marital & Family Therapy, California Division (AAMFT-CA) as well as co-leads the Orange County Networking District for AAMFT-CA. He was recently elected to the national Elections Council for the American Association for Marital & Family Therapy (AAMFT) He has also served on the national board for the AAMFT from 2006-2007. Naveen's research interests and publications cover topics pertaining to working with diverse populations, couples issues pertaining to gender equality, power and attunement along with divorce and its effects on the family. Naveen is also a licensed Marital & Family Therapist and will be going into private practice this spring in Orange County.

If you are unlicensed, you may be able to get hours towards licensure with your clinical supervisor's approval! This is a FREE event!

Please RSVP to Kathleen Wenger at psyprofdev@pepperdine.edu.

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