



THE
THERAPLAY®
INSTITUTE



In co-operation with
Post-Adoption Centre
presents:

**Introductory Level
THERAPLAY®
and the MIM
(Marschak Interaction Method)
for Professionals**

1st – 5th March 2010
London

Presented by Lorie Walton, Mary Ring and
one Trainer Assistant of
The Theraplay® Institute

THERAPLAY® TRAINING

Theraplay® workshops are intensive, active and rewarding. Participant numbers are limited so that each person can receive the special attention that makes for a good training experience. There are opportunities to:

- Observe the live treatment of a family, including the assessment via the MIM (Marschak Interaction Method), feedback to the parents and several Theraplay sessions
- Watch videos of treatment with a variety of clients
- Practice the use of Theraplay techniques
- Plan how each participant can use Theraplay with their clients at home

The MIM (Marschak Interaction Method) is a technique for observing and evaluating interaction between adult caregiver and child as they perform a series of structured tasks together. It is used to guide Theraplay treatment.

Group Theraplay is a play group structured by adult leaders. The co-operative and nurturing activities lead to increased self-esteem, a sense of belonging, trust and social growth. It is used in classrooms and in clinical settings.

Completion of the Introductory Level Theraplay/MIM training is the first step in Theraplay® Therapist certification.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Learning objectives for Introductory Level Theraplay® & MIM include:

1. Knowledge of how to administer the MIM (Marschak Interaction Method) including methods of recording non-verbal and verbal behaviours, making inferences and formulating hypotheses;
2. Knowledge of how an MIM report is organised;
3. Knowledge of how a feedback session is conducted;
4. Knowledge of how the MIM is used as a guideline for planning treatment;
5. Understanding of the history and theory of Theraplay;
6. Increased knowledge in the interactional basis of parent-infant attachment and self-esteem;
7. Skill development in the differentiation and use of the four Theraplay dimensions;
8. Knowledge of how Theraplay is used to meet the needs of children with behavioural problems, adopted and fostered children, autistic children, adolescents and traumatised children;
9. Knowledge of how parents are guided to empathically observe and participate in Theraplay sessions aimed at fostering better parent-child attachment.

THERAPLAY® REGISTRATION FORM

Five day Theraplay/MIM Training
Monday 1st – Friday 5th March 2010

Name _____

Professional title _____

Organisation _____

Address _____

Post Code _____

Email _____

Phone (work) _____ (home) _____

For statistical and funding purposes, it would be very helpful to us if you were able to provide the details requested below. We do not release any personal information.

Ethnic Origin (please mark as appropriate)

- | <u>White</u> | <u>Mixed</u> | <u>Asian/Asian British</u> |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> White British | <input type="checkbox"/> White & Black Caribbean | <input type="checkbox"/> Indian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> White Irish | <input type="checkbox"/> White & Black African | <input type="checkbox"/> Pakistani |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any other white background | <input type="checkbox"/> Any other mixed background | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Asian background |
| <u>Black/Black British</u> | <u>Other ethnic groups</u> | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Caribbean | <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> African | <input type="checkbox"/> Any other ethnic group | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any other Black background | | |

How did you hear about PAC?

Have you contacted PAC before? yes no

Do you give permission for us to hold your details on our database, in accordance with the Data Protection Act? All information is highly confidential. yes no

Would you like to receive information on future events? yes no
(if yes, we need permission to database your details)

Fees:

£1,005 + £150.75 vat = £1,155.75 per person (inclusive of lunch)

Non-refundable deposit of £375 + £56.25 vat = £431.25 payable upon booking

Balance of £630 + £94.5 vat = £724.50 payable by 31st January 2010

- AMOUNT ENCLOSED: £
Cheques payable to: Post-Adoption Centre or
 Invoice my organisation (please supply name and address for invoice & purchase order number)

CANCELLATION POLICY:

Deposit non-refundable. Refund of remaining balance as follows: cancellation more than 8 weeks prior to the event, 75%; between 4 and 6 weeks, 50%; less than 4 weeks, 0%. Substitutions are welcome at any time.

SEND REGISTRATION FORM AND PAYMENT TO:

Post-Adoption Centre, 5 Torriano Mews, London NW5 2RZ
Tel. 020 7284 0555, Fax 020 7482 2367
Email training@postadoptioncentre.org.uk
Website www.postadoptioncentre.org.uk

WHAT IS THERAPLAY AND THE MIM?

Theraplay® is short term play therapy for children and their caregivers with the goals of enhancing adult-child relationships and resolving behavioural problems such as excessive tantrums, anger, hitting, biting, clinginess, fearfulness, controlling behaviours, self-harming behaviour and attachment disturbances. The MIM (Marschak Interaction Method) is an observationally based assessment method used to evaluate parent-child relationships.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

This five day training workshop is for qualified professionals looking for training in child/family counselling and attachment therapy, including: psychologists, psychiatrists, social workers, counsellors, family therapists, play therapists, psychiatric nurses, school psychologists, teachers, occupational therapists and early childhood & developmental specialists.

Five day training for professionals:

Monday 1st – Friday 5th March 2010

9:30am - 5:30pm

LOCATION:

Action for Children, Stephenson Hall,
85 Highbury Park, London N5 1UD

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