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**GROUPS FOR WOMEN**

**WOMEN’S GROUP**
Renée Owen, LMFT 415 453 8117
Ongoing weekly group for spiritually oriented women (clinicians & nonclinicians). Develop & deepen intimacy skills through support, process work, goal setting. Excellent adjunct to individual therapy. Thursdays PM San Rafael

**DIVORCE GROUPS FOR WOMEN ONLY**
Susan Pease Gadaou, LCSW 415 448 6242
Ongoing biweekly groups provide community, emotional support and information- all stages divorce or separation. Topics: self-esteem, empowerment and recovery from difficult feelings situations

**RELATIONSHIP INSIGHT GROUP FOR WOMEN ONLY**
Susan Pease Gadaou, LCSW 415 448 6242
Ideal for any woman who is ready to change unhealthy relationship patterns. Bring to light outdated beliefs and perceptions that set women up for unfulfilling, sometimes abusive situations

**CONSCIOUS AGING GROUPS FOR WOMEN**
Gilda Meyers, LMFT 415 472 2765
Ongoing group for women 65+ Monthly, Saturday 9:30-12:30 in San Rafael. Group for midlife women 50+ also meets one Saturday/month 10-1:30 or 10-3. Call for a flyer, more information and free interview.

**WOMEN’S INTERPERSONAL GROUP**
Lois Friedlander, LMFT, CGP 415 383 3337
Integrates psychodynamic, interpersonal models. For students, professionals. Examine relationships. Consultant: Dr. Irv Yalom Wednesday, 6-8 PM, Ongoing. 5369 Sacramento Street, SF

**WEIGHT LOSS AND WEIGHT MAINTENANCE GROUP**
Dr. Jean Hayes, LMFT 415 897 1348
Gain tools and develop strategies for successful weight loss/long-term maintenance. Food plans individualized for new habits with group therapy & support for emotional ups & downs 12-week am/pm sessions in Novato

**SUPPORT GROUP FOR WOMEN IN TRANSITION**
Community Institute for Psychotherapy 415 459 5999 x 450
Provides support and encouragement during life transitions such as relationship/career changes, divorce, empty nesting, learning to be independent/dealing with difficult life events. Thursday 6-7:30 PM

**WOMEN’S GROUP and WISER/OLDER WOMEN’S GROUP**
Colleen Russell, LMFT 415 785 3513

**CBT/ANXIETY/PANIC GROUP FOR WOMEN**
Lori Sparrow, LMFT 415 718 2008
AnxietyTherapyMarin. Ongoing weekly CBT group for women with anxiety. Work on CBT skills to decrease symptoms, receive support and learn evidence-based methods. Thursday PM Kentfield

**COGNITIVE BEHAVIOR GROUP FOR WOMEN WITH OCD**
Lori Sparrow, LMFT 415 718 2008
AnxietyTherapyMarin. Ongoing weekly CBT Group for women with OCD. Work on CBT skills, create habituation plans, decrease feelings of shame, receive support. Wednesday PM Kentfield

**GROUPS FOR MEN**

**THE RIGHT MEN’S TEAM**
Richard Platt, LMFT 415 760 8541
Helps men become alive, creative, productive through setting goals & being held accountable by trustworthy men. Supports clients to take their lives to the next level. www.teensolutionsmarin.com.

**GROUP FOR MEN 50+**
Lou Dangles, LMFT 415 454 2722
An ongoing interpersonal process group for men in the second half of life.
Emphasis on emotional communication, giving and receiving feedback in a here-and-now interactive frame. Thursdays, 6:30-8 PM

**MEN’S GROWTH GROUP**
Scott Nelson, PhD, LMFT 415 383 9254
Move towards greater emotional awareness, work through personal issues, improve quality of relationships & build on strengths. Wednesday 6:30-8 PM

**ALTERNATIVES TO ANGER AND VIOLENCE**
Michael Mesmer, LMFT 415 601 7497
Therapeutic group approach to help clients reduce anger and end violence. Downtown San Rafael location. Court-certified. Sliding scale. Interview and minimum 13 weeks required. Wednesday 7-9 PM

**CO-ED GROUPS**

**INTIMACY GROUPS**
Renée Owen, LMFT 415 453 8117
Ongoing weekly process groups for men and women (single, in relationship, or married). Explore blocks and learn how to experience more fulfillment & success in relationships and life. Monday or Tuesday PM San Rafael

**SINGLES GROUP**
Renée Owen, LMFT 415 453 8117
Psycoeducational group for men and women desiring to create more committed, intimate relationships. Assists in discovering blocks/obstacles. Excellent adjunct to individual therapy. 9 weeks, Tuesday PM San Rafael

**INTERPERSONAL PROCESS GROUP**
Lou Dangles LMFT Chris Armstrong LMFT 415 454 2722
Members will have an opportunity to learn about relationship patterns in their lives, understand impact on others. Weds, 7:30-9 PM, San Anselmo

**BARIATRIC SURGERY/EDUCATION SUPPORT GROUP**
Dr. Jean Hayes, LMFT 415 897 1348
For women and men contemplating weight loss surgery and for those post-surgery, to establish new eating habits for weight loss and successful maintenance. 12-week AM and PM sessions in Novato

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE EDUCATION/SUPPORT GROUP**
Dr. Jean Hayes, LMFT 415 897 1348
For women and men contemplating their behavior, use or abuse of various substances, i.e., alcohol, drugs, food, pills, sex, shopping, gambling- effects on aspects of their lives. 12-week AM and PM sessions in Novato

**CHILDREN, TEENS, PARENTING**

**TEEN BOYS MENTORING TEAM**
Richard Platt, LMFT 415 760 8541
Supports boys 13 and older through the challenges of becoming a teen in Marin. Members build character; learn communication and leadership skills in a safe and fun environment. www.teensolutionsmarin.com

**MINDFUL MOTHERS SUPPORT GROUP**
Annelli Richards, LMFT 415 326 6354
Twelve-week group helps parents learn and practice mindful parenting. Two separate groups meeting Monday AM, Wednesday PM in San Rafael
SPECIALTY GROUPS

**DIALECTICAL BEHAVIOR THERAPY (DBT)**
Supervised by Sarah Chapman, LMFT 415 491 5728
Family Service Agency of Marin. Groups for adults and teens who have difficulty with emotional management, frequent crises/self-injuring behavior. CBT+ mindfulness. Sl. Scale/MediCal, San Rafael

**AGESONG**
Ann Coffey, PhD 415 491 5726
Family Service Agency of Marin. 8-week discussion group for seniors 65 and older, to share common experiences, insights, fears and to discover new possibilities. $80 for 8 weeks. San Rafael.

**CBT/DBT GROUP FOR DEPRESSION OR ANXIETY**
Community Institute for Psychotherapy 415 459 5999 x 450
Skills-based education and training group to help cope with everyday problems, distressing emotions, excessive worry, fear, stress, anxiety and depression. Tuesdays, 7-8:30 PM

**BEYOND HUNGER SUPPORT GROUPS** 415 459 2270
Psychoeducational groups for those with disordered eating & body hatred. Compassion, mindfulness, intuitive eating, body acceptance emotional caretaking skills Mon Tues Wed 7-9 PM www.beyondhunger.org

**MEN PARTNERS OF ABUSE SURVIVORS**
Scott Nelson, PhD, LMFT 415 383 9254
A place to talk and learn about the impact of abuse on survivors and relationships, to explore aspects of themselves that affect caring for themselves and their partners. Tuesdays, 6:30-8 PM

**SURVIVORS OF SUICIDE SUPPORT GROUP**
Family Service Agency 415 491 3120
An eight-week support group for those who have lost a loved one to suicide. Provides a supportive environment to help survivors cope with the devastating aftermath of suicide. Sliding scale. San Rafael

**LASTING RECOVERY GROUP**
Andrew Copperman, LMFT 415 847 8842
Ongoing weekly group for substance abuse, participants work on issues underlying substance use while receiving ongoing support for recovery. Excellent adjunct to 12-step programs Thursdays, 8:30-9:30 PM

**HORSE/ANIMAL SUPPORTED THERAPY GROUP**
Dr. Jean Hayes, LMFT 415 897 1348
Therapeutic skills and problem solving for new possibilities, learned and practiced through interacting with unique and friendly horses and farm animals for adults, adolescents and youth.

**EQUINE-ASSISTED GROWTH AND LEARNING GROUP**
Alane Freund, LMFT 510 421 4281

**ARTS-BASED PROCESS GROUP FOR WOMEN & MEN**
Dr. Shira Marin LMFT, Annie Danberg MFTI 415 499 0737
Clinicians/ non-clinicians. Liberate self-expression, cultivate self-awareness & self-acceptance and transform self-judgment. 8-week session. San Rafael

www.shiramarinphd.com/ anniedanberg.com

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Therapeutic group approach to help clients reduce anger and end violence. Downtown San Rafael location. Court-certified. Sliding scale. Interview and minimum 13 weeks required. Wednesdays, 7-9 PM

**MOTHERLESS DAUGHTERS GROUP**
Colleen Russell, LMFT 415 785 3513
Ongoing, for women who have lost their mothers through death, illness or estrangement. Developed/facilitated in 1992, led by a Certified Group Psychotherapist, Kentfield office. www.colleenrusselllmft.com

**GRIEF GROUP**
Colleen Russell, LMFT 415 785 3513
8 weeks with an option to continue. Loss from death; profound loss (relationship, estrangement, relocation) Experienced facilitator, Certified Group Psychotherapist, Certified Grief Counselor, Kentfield www.colleenrusselllmft.com

**GROUP FOR FORMER MEMBERS OF HIGH DEMAND / HIGH CONTROL ORGANIZATIONS**
Colleen Russell, LMFT, CGP 415 785 3513
(‘Religious, Political, Philosophical, etc.) Developed/Facilitated since 2004, every other Saturday, 2 hours, Kentfield, www.colleenrusselllmft.com

**GROUPS FOR THERAPISTS**

**PRACTICE-BUILDING & GROUP THERAPY CONSULTATION GROUPS**
Renée Owen, LMFT 415 453 8117
Choose one or both groups for help in creating a thriving practice or starting, facilitating or sustaining groups. Meets in San Rafael.

**CLINICAL SUPERVISION: PRELIC. /EARLY CAREER**
Shira Marin, PhD, LMFT 415 499 0737
Learn about the aspects of private practice that will further your development. Experienced facilitator, 35 year(s) clinical/teaching experience Depth. Jungian, Dream, EAT approaches. 90 minutes, twice a month in San Rafael

**CONSULTATIVE SUPERVISION: MID & LATE CAREER**
Shira Marin, PhD, LMFT 415 499 0737
Get support & deepen grasp of complex case material. Private practice and agency issues. CEUs. Collaborate, connect. Experienced facilitator, 35 yrs. Clinical, teaching experience. 90 minutes twice/month in San Rafael

**THERAPY GROUPS FOR THERAPISTS**
Art Raisman, PhD 415 453 4271
Assistant Clinical Professor of Psychiatry, UCSF for mental health professionals and trainees since1984, Tues/Thurs AM, Tues /Wed PM San Francisco www.artraisman@msn.com

**PSYCHOTHERAPY WITH PERSONALITY DISORDERS**
Fran Goldie-Marcus, LCSW 415 892 4310

**CONSULTATION/SUPERVISION GROUP**
Scott Nelson, PhD, LMFT 415 383 9254
Ongoing group 1.5 hours twice a month – 6 members. 43 years experience facilitating or sustaining groups. Meets in San Rafael.

**HIGHLY SENSITIVE PEOPLE & HORSE WORKSHOPS**
Alane Freund, LMFT 510 421 4281

**WORKSHOPS**

**MARIN TEEN EQUINE-ASSISTED THERAPY GROUP**
Alane Freund, LMFT 510 421 4281
Fun! Experiential. Games and activities with horses. Communication, leadership, social skills, problem solving, goal setting, mindfulness, self-esteem. Heal from trauma. Woodacre. Saturday AM. HeartandMindEquine.com