

THE SUPERIOR COURT  
APPROVED PANEL OF PSYCHIATRISTS AND PSYCHOLOGISTS  
DEPENDENCY COURT

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- Psychology
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- Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Child, Teen, Adult, Developmentally Disabled.

\*Willing to go to Lancaster

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY8968
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Child, Teen, Adult, Drug / Alcohol
  - Due to heavy volume – only able to accept one case per month from the Dependency Court.
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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number: PSY9037
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Teen, Adult, Handicapped, Speech Impaired
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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number PSY17448
  - Psychological evaluations for child abuse and neglect (can accept 8 referrals per month)
  - Psychological evaluations for juvenile court referrals (can accept 4-6 referrals per month).
- Available to conduct assessments at my office and will travel if necessary.
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- Pediatrics
  - **Spanish**
  - PACE ID Number – G26068
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Infant, Child, Teen, Handicapped, Developmentally Disabled, Speech Impaired, Brain Injured. Failure to thrive and infants of substance abusing mothers.
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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY15925
  - Neurodevelopmental disabilities, learning disabilities, severe behavior disorders, prenatal exposure to drugs, early childhood development – birth to five years, developmental issues, interdisciplinary assessments. Will interview at office or travel to home or placement.
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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY7001
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Child, Teen, Adult
  - Failed placements, family intervention. Knowledgeable in Hispanic and African American culture. Children over 9 years only.
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- Psychology
  - **Spanish**
  - PACE ID Number – PSY19755
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect / Child, Teen, Adult Evaluation/ Experience in multicultural issues
  - Bonding studies, Chicano/Latino Psychology of Youth & Families
  - ADHD Assessment/Pre-delinquent evaluation for at risk youths
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**Elizabeth A. DeRidder, MD, FAAP**

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- Pediatrics
- PACE ID Number –A111949
- Child Physical abuse, child sexual abuse, drug related issues, "failure to thrive."
- Birth to twenty-one years

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- Psychology
- PACE ID Number – PSY18567
- Sexual Abuse, Physical Abuse and other traumas, multicultural and diversity issues especially African-American cultural issues, child custody, parenting issues, Juvenile delinquency, competency, Grief and loss, severe mental illness and domestic violence.

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**Vianne Castellano, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
- PACE ID Number – PSY6413
- Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Child, Teen, Adult, Developmentally Disabled, Brain Injured, has worked with African American and Hispanic gangs.  
Please check re availability prior to appointment.

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- Psychology
- **Spanish**
- PACE ID Number – PSY10308
- Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Infant, Child, Teen, Adult, Handicapped, Developmentally Disabled, Speech Impaired, Brain Injured. Mexican and Latin American cultural issues; hyperactive children; Delinquency issues.

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**Alfredo E. Crespo, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
- **Spanish**
- PACE ID Number – PSY10066
- Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug/Alcohol, Infant, Child, Teen, Adult Attachment/Bonding, family issues; fatal child abuse; termination of parental rights; risk assessment with incest and sexual abuse perpetrators; mental illness among the underprivileged; Family Law and cultural issues; psychological testing. Available Monday through Friday. Evaluations at office.

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- Psychology
- **Spanish**
- PACE ID Number – PSY12523
- Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Child, Teen, Adult. Children 3 and older only. Family issues; cultural issues; child physical and sexual abuse. (Spanish)

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**Michael Dishon, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
- **German**
- **Hebrew**
- PACE ID Number – PSY7689
- Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Child, Teen, Adult, Experience with Custody Evaluations in Family Court

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**Lynda DoiFick, MA / MFT**

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- Individual and Family Counseling, (Dependency); treatment pursuant to Family Law-Chapter 12

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- PACE ID Number – MFC25466
  - Infant through adult – Abuse treatment (neglect, physical and sexual), trauma, high conflict and reunification issues. M.F.T. only. Experience as a Family Law Child Custody Evaluator.
  - Specific issues of custody and visitation.
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**Suzanne Dupee, M.D.**

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- Adult & Child Forensic Psychiatry
  - PACE ID Number – A63672
  - Adult and child evaluations on mental illness, psychotropic medications; sexual abuse, post traumatic stress disorder, substance abuse and physical neglect.
- PLEASE CONTACT DR. DUPEE TO CHECK HER AVAILABILITY PRIOR TO APPOINTMENT.
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**Mitchell Eisen, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY16002
  - Memory/Suggestibility, Placement issues in contested cases, Assessing disclosures
  - Memory & the effects of trauma on memory.
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- Nurse Practitioner
  - PACE ID Number – RN293250
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Infant, Child, Teen, Developmentally Delayed Adults
  - Pediatric nurse practitioner with expertise in medical examination of children and adolescents for physical abuse and sexual molestation.
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**Kerry English, M.D.**

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- Pediatrics
  - PACE ID Number – A24363
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Infant, Child, Teen, Handicapped, Developmentally Disabled; Specialization in Pediatrics and child development
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**Rochelle C. Feldman, M.D.**

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- Pediatrics
  - PACE ID Number – G32408
  - Physical abuse, neglect, infant, child, teen, handicapped, developmentally disabled, speech impaired.
  - Neonatology, Neuropathology, Complex medical cases 0 to 5 years. Assessment of parental capability to care for medically ill child. Prefers to see patients at her office. Antelope Valley, Santa Clarita & San Fernando Valley area availability.
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**Stephan Fleisher, Ed.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY535
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Child, Teen, Adult, Psychological testing, crime and delinquency
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**Ronald S. Gabriel, M.D.**

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Los Angeles, CA 90067  
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- Pediatric Neurology
  - PACE ID Number – G98770
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Drug / Alcohol, Infant, Child, Teen, Handicapped, Developmentally Disabled, Speech Impaired, Brain Injured
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**Terry S. Gock, Ph. D.**

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- Psychology
- Cantonese
- PACE ID Number – PSY7206

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- Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Child, Teen, Adult; Asian-Pacific cultural issues; Gay and Lesbian issues. Available on weekdays. Evaluations at office and nearby placements.
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**Ronette Goodwin-Mathews, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY18631
  - Child; Adolescent; Adult. Physical and Sexual abuse, Substance abuse, neglect, Mental health evaluations, Psychological Assessment, African-American issues, IQ testing. Will interview at office or travel to placement if necessary. \*Willing to go to Lancaster
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**Astrid H. Heger, M.D.**

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- Pediatrician
  - PACE ID Number – G025571
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Child, Teen, Adult; Specializing in child sex abuse exams (24 hours/ 7 days). Assault examinations (all ages). Please call with any questions.
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**Barry T. Hirsch, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PJ003680 / PSY3680
  - Risk assessment of future violence/sexual molestation; Evaluation of impulse control dysfunctions leading to physical violence, sexual abuse/molestation, stalking, murder (including neonaticide/infanticide); Trauma Assessment: Battered Woman’s Syndrome, Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), Dissociation
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**Dr. Sara Hough, Psy.D.**

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- Psychology
- PACE ID Number - TBD
- Language : Fluent in Gujarati and Urdu

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Dual diagnosis, Mental Illness, incarcerated parents, adults, incarcerated parents

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- Pediatric Neurology
  - **Arabic**
  - **Spanish**
  - PACE ID Number – A43523
  - Infant, Child, Teen, Handicapped, Developmentally Disabled, Brain Injured; Child neurology, not child abuse. Neonatal, pediatric and adult neurology cases without child abuse issues.
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- Psychology
  - **Spanish**
  - PACE ID Number – PSY10629
  - Physical and sexual abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Child, Teen, Handicapped, Developmentally Disabled; dysfunctional families, divorce-related issues, PTSD, Latin and Central American cultural issues, special needs.
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**Nadim Karim, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY21183
  - **Gujarati / Working knowledge of Spanish**
  - Expertise with at-risk youth. Mental health issues. PTSD adults and children (age 3 and older.) Prefers to interview at his office, but will interview at another neutral location.
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**Nancy Kaser-Boyd, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY7231
  - Physical and sexual abuse, Neglect, Domestic violence; Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Child, Teen, Adult; Also Munchausen's by Proxy. Postpartum disorders. Some weekend appointments.
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**Monica Benitez Kelson, Ph.D.**



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- Spanish
- PACE ID Number – PSY132274
- Physical and sexual abuse, Neglect, Domestic violence, and trauma. Age groups: Children, Adolescents and Adults. Substance abuse

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**Julian Kivowitz, M.D.**

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- Psychiatry
- PACE ID Number – G5889
- Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Infant, Child, Teen, Adult, Handicapped, Developmentally Disabled, Brain Injured; Board –certified in Child Psychiatry. Specialties include medical evaluations, dysfunctional families and FAS evaluations.

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- Psychology
- Fluent in the Armenian language
- PACE ID Number – PSY13721
- Mental health/Illness issues, Family Dynamics, conduct disorders, disruptive behaviors, Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Adults and children 5 and older, Developmentally Disabled,
- General evaluations of children, adults and families; 241.1issues; Department of Mental Health, Will travel to Lancaster.

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**Daniel Kramon, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
- **Sign**
- PACE ID Number – PSY5511
- Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Child, Teen, Adult.
- Hearing impaired issues, Psychological evaluation of children, families and adults. Extensive experience in cases involving physical and sexual abuse.

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**Dr. Chuck Leeb**

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- PACE ID/License Number - PSY7888
  - Psychology
  - Developmental disabilities, bonding issues, will interview at office or travel to home or placement; willing to drive throughout the county and to jails, attachment theory, couples' conflicts, willing to work with an interpreter, educational and developmental issues.
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**Michael Maloney, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY3501
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Child, Teen, Adult, Developmentally Disabled, Brain Injured; Clinical assessments of all children and adults; developmental disability; sex abuse.
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**Brad A. Manning, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY7354
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Drug / Alcohol, Child, Teen, Adult, Placement failures; emotionally disabled children, teens and adults. Please call re availability prior to making an appointment.
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**Frederick M. Martone, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY9293
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Infant, Child, Teen, Adult, Speech Impaired
  - Emotional and placement evaluations (all ages); available for evening appointments.
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- Psychology
  - **Sign**
  - PACE ID Number – PSY12373
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Child, Teen, Adult, Handicapped
  - Hearing impaired issues; accepts referrals to all types of cases (no infants). Also interest in Gay and Lesbian issues. Flexible appointment schedule; will travel to placements.
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**Matteo R. Muti, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PL004454
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Child, Teen, Adult, Developmentally Disabled, Brain Injured
  - Custody and family issues; learning disabilities for children and adolescents; learning disabilities and Cognitive Deficit Disorder assessment for children and teens. Available daily and Tuesday evenings. Evaluations at office and MacLaren Children’s Center.
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**Susan Naifeh, Psy. D.**

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- Psychiatry
  - PACE ID number – pending
  - Severe behavioral problems, age group – adolescents, physical, emotional, and/or sexual abuse. Severe emotional difficulties, learning disabilities, developmental and physical disabilities. Incarcerated parents.
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**Mohan S. Nair, M.D.**

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- Psychiatry
- PACE ID Number – A34249
- Psychiatric evaluations of adults and children of any age and infants. Psychotropic medical evaluations. Spanish evaluations with interpreter only.

PLEASE CONTACT DR. NAIR TO CHECK HIS AVAILABILITY PRIOR TO APPOINTMENT.

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY19557
  - Psychological testing, child abuse, sexual abuse, juvenile detainees, trauma issues, cultural issues, domestic violence. Office available for interview or will travel to placement when necessary
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**Charles W. Scott, Ph.D.**

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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY8686
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Infant, Child, Teen, Adult, Developmentally Disabled
  - Available Monday through Friday, daily, evenings by appointment and an occasional Saturday interview if needed. Evaluations at office and placements or will travel as needed. (Spanish)
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**Anthony Shaw, M.D.**

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- Pediatric Surgeon - Trauma
  - PACE ID Number – G043819
  - Physical Abuse of infants and children. Emeritus professor of Pediatric Surgery (UCLA); Consultant in Surgery Olive View-UCLA Medical Center. Extensive experience in evaluating childhood trauma including bruising and lacerations; fractures; burns; and injuries to internal organs such as lungs, liver and bowel. Not sexual abuse.
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- Pediatrics
  - PACE ID Number – A62723
  - Physical abuse (including burns), sexual abuse, medical neglect (including FFT) and prenatal drug exposure.
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- PACE ID Number – PSY17585

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- Latency-age, adolescent males, Adults, and couples. Particular interest in anger management and depression. Prefer to interview at office, but will travel to home or placement if local.
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**Lynne S. Ticson, M.D.**

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- Pediatrics
  - PACE ID Number – G36270
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Infant, Child, Teen, Adult
  - Pediatrician with special expertise in medical examination / evaluation of suspected sexual abuse. Member of the LA County SCAN team; trains other M.D.s.; Medical Director – Miller Children’s Hospital Abuse and Violence Intervention Center
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**Frank J. Trankina, Ph.D., FICPP**

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- Psychology
  - **Spanish**
  - PACE ID Number – PSY6526
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Infant, Child, Teen, Adult, Handicapped, Developmentally Disabled, Speech Impaired, Psychopharmacology, Sexual Adjustment
  - Hispanic cultural issues. Mental Retardation and autism. Will evaluate children at placement facilities
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- Psychology
  - PACE ID Number – PSY5378
  - Physical Abuse, Neglect, Sexual Molestation, Drug / Alcohol, Infant, Child, Teen, Adult, Disabled, Developmentally Disabled, Mental Illness.
  - African American, Hispanic and Native American cultural issues. Adoption, abuse, guardianship issues.
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- Psychiatry
  - PACE ID#: A89555
  - Dependency court evaluations, medication management and evaluation.
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**Michael P. Ward, Ph.D.**

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    - Child abuse and burns. Prefers to see child as soon as possible.
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