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10 Years of DMM Progress

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Plenary talk

This presentation describes how we created the DMM and how we made progresses during the first ten years. Many hundreds of clinicians and researchers contributed to this process. They described and assessed “normal” and maladaptive behaviour and proposed new and more effective models of treatment. Researchers have tested the validity and generalizability of the observations of the clinicians. The results tied DMM practice to neurosciences, cognitive theory, developmental processes, sociological and cultural contexts, and new models of integrated treatment, especially in cognitive constructive approach and in systemic therapy with individuals, couples, families and groups.

How it used the DMM

In order to make a diagnostic classification then used to create projects for different processes.

What it can contribute to the DMM

The presentation gives us the opportunity to know from what we started and where we arrived today, and also how we have differentiated our theory and practice from other models of attachment.