

THE BROKEN BOND: **AN OVERVIEW OF ATTACHMENT**BRIAN BETHEL

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It is in the earliest years of life that children undergo a number of developmental changes that help to shape their understanding of the world. Unfortunately, for some children these milestones are sometimes interrupted or delayed by external factors, such as child abuse, neglect, or injury. For children with attachment issues, the ability to achieve these developmental milestones can be extremely challenging. Likewise, families who are faced with a child with poor attachment may at times find these challenges insurmountable. This workshop will provide an overview of the continuum of attachment issues, including the clinical diagnosis of Reactive Attachment Disorder (RAD). Additionally, information on the suspected causes, epidemiology, and treatment strategies for the disorder will be highlighted.