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Re: Information Necessary to Consultation

I am Dr. Craig Childress, a clinical psychologist with background professional expertise in attachment-related family pathology, with a particular focus on bonding pathology surrounding divorce. I am serving as a clinical psychology consultant for <parent> regarding attachment bonding pathology, child and family therapy, and potential solutions for <parent>'s family situation.

In order to provide consultation to <parent>, I have indicated to her that I will need information about the child's symptoms and the parenting practices of the targeted-rejected parent, which I understand to be <parent>.

The information I require for my consultation is contained on two brief symptom data documentation instruments, the Parenting Practices Rating Scale regarding the parenting practices of the targeted-rejected parent (<parent>), and the Diagnostic Checklist for Pathogenic Parenting regarding the child's symptom display. The Diagnostic Checklist asks for ratings of three possible child symptoms as being present, somewhat present, or absent in the child's symptom display.

In order to provide professional consultation to <parent>, I have asked <parent> to ask for these symptom rating scales from the current mental health provider; a completed Parenting Practices Rating Scale for the targeted-rejected parent <parent>, and the Diagnostic Checklist for Pathogenic Parenting regarding the child's symptom display.

We appreciate any cooperation and assistance that could be provided to support <parent>'s request for symptom information concerning her children that is needed for professional consultation on attachment-related family pathology surrounding divorce.



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