

Therapeutic Strategies for Problem Gamblers and their Significant Others



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When: Saturday April 30th, 2016, 8:30am – 5:00pm

7.5 CEU's

Where: Bettye D. Smith Cultural Arts Center
119 West 5th Street Sanford, FL 32771

Cost: \$45.00 / Includes Lunch

Patients seeking help for gambling disorder often require a constellation of interventions and services. Moreover, romantic partners are negatively impacted by problem gambling issues and frequently report feeling devastated and betrayed by the gambler. This training will focus on assessment and therapeutic strategies for problem gamblers with some focus devoted to relevant issues for those who also work with romantic partners.

Note: Providers can contact the Florida Council on Compulsive Gambling to receive information about how they can become a certified gambling counselor and part of the Florida referral network of providers working with problem gamblers and their families.



Bio: Dr. Rory Reid holds a master's degree in social work and a doctorate degree in neuropsychology. After completing a post-doctoral fellowship in the Department of Psychiatry at UCLA, Dr. Reid pursued post-doctoral education and training in clinical research with Harvard Medical School. Dr. Reid is currently an assistant professor in the Department of Psychiatry at the University of California Los Angeles. He has published his research on gambling related issues in numerous scientific journals and his work has been featured in press outlets such as the New York Times and TIME magazine, as well as TV specials aired on ABC, CBS, and Fox News. Dr. Reid has trained and educated mental health professionals, industry specialists, government organizations, and lay audiences on mental health issues around the world. Dr. Reid is licensed therapist and over the years has conducted individual, group, and couples therapy with hundreds of patients seeking help for addictive behaviors. He was also the Principal Investigator responsible for conducting the DSM-5 Field Trial for Hypersexual Disorder.