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Psychoanalytic Papers on Autism Spectrum Disorders

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The following attempts to be a list of all readily available psychoanalytic papers dealing with autism spectrum disorders. Criteria for inclusion in parts (A) and (B) of this list are as follows:

- (1) Articles and books included will focus exclusively or mainly on autism spectrum disorders.
- (2) The theoretical basis of all books and articles included will be exclusively or mainly psychoanalytic.
- (3) New entries will be sought in journals having a recognized psychoanalytic focus.
- (4) All included items are judged as making some original clinical and/or theoretical contribution to the psychoanalytic understanding and/or treatment of autism spectrum disorders.
- (5) All items included have been read and evaluated for their appropriateness by at least one member of the APsaA DPE ASD Committee.

The criterion for items included in the “Ancillary Readings” in part (C) is that although the item may not have a primarily psychoanalytic basis, it is deemed by the ASD Committee to be directly relevant to the work of the Committee.

(A) Specific Readings on Asperger’s Disorder:

(1) Psychoanalytic Inquiry, Volume 31, 2011

This whole volume of Psychoanalytic Inquiry was devoted to Asperger’s. Papers in order were:

Gould, Katharine (2011) Prologue. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 31: 203-207.

Cohler, Bertram and Weiner, Talia (2011) The Inner Fortress: Symptom and Meaning in Asperger’s Syndrome. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 31: 208-221.

Sugarman, Alan (2011) Psychoanalyzing a Vulcan: The Importance of Mental Organization in Treating Asperger’s Patients. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 31: 222-239.

Gould, Katharine (2011) Fantasy Play as the Conduit for Change in the Treatment of a Six-Year-Old Boy with Asperger’s Syndrome. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 31: 240-251.

Sherkow, Susan (2011) The Dyadic Psychoanalytic Treatment of a Toddler With Autism Spectrum Disorder. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 31: 252-275.

Shaft, J. P. (2011) Finding the Pot of Gold: Using Psychotherapy to Assist the Emotional Development of a Four-Year-Old Girl Diagnosed With Asperger's Disorder. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 31: 276-287.

Rhode, Maria (2011) Asperger's Syndrome: A Mixed Picture. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 31: 288-302.

Topel, Eva-Maria and Lachmann, Frank (2011) Connecting With Two Asperger's Syndrome Patients—With the Help of Some Ants. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 31: 303-319.

Gould, Katharine (2011) Epilogue. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 31: 345-346.

(2) Other Books and Papers on Asperger's

Adamo, Simonetta M. G. (2012) The aesthetic experience in the process of recovery from autistic states. *Journal of Child Psychotherapy*, 38(1): 61-77.

Allured, Elizabeth (2006) Developing the Intersubjective Playground in the Treatment of Childhood Asperger's Syndrome. *Journal of Infant, Child and Adolescent Psychotherapy*, 5: 397-419.

Bromfield, Richard (2000) It's the Tortoise Race: Long-Term Psychodynamic Psychotherapy with a High-Functioning Autistic Adolescent. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 20: 732-745.

Brown, Lawrence (2016) The capacity to tell a joke: Reflections from the work with Asperger's children. *International Journal of Psychoanalysis*, in press.

Fonseca, Vera Regina J. R. M. (2009) The autistic dialogue style: A case of Asperger's syndrome. *Journal of Child Psychotherapy*, 35(3): 250-261.

Holloway, Robin (2016) *Asperger's Children: Psychodynamics, Aetiology, Diagnosis and Treatment*. London: Karnac.

Krass, Michael (2016) Brain and Mind in Autism: Some Thoughts about Holloway's *Asperger's Children: Asperger's Children: Psychodynamics, Aetiology, Diagnosis, and Treatment* By Robin Holloway, Karnac, 266 pages. *Division/Review*, 15: 58-60.

Levy, A. (2011) Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy for Children with Asperger's Syndrome: Therapeutic Engagement through Play. *Psychoanalytic Perspectives*, 8(1): 72-91.

Pozzi, Maria E. (2003) The use of observation in the psychoanalytic treatment of a 12-year-old boy with Asperger's syndrome. *International Journal of Psychoanalysis*, 84: 1333-1349.

Rhode, Maria and Klauber, Trudy (Eds.) (2004) *The Many Faces of Asperger's Syndrome*. London: Karnac.

Shuttleworth, Judy (1999) The suffering of Asperger children and the challenge they present to psychoanalytic thinking. *Journal of Child Psychotherapy*, 25(2): 239-265.

Singletary, William M. (2019) Asperger's Children: Psychodynamics, Aetiology, Diagnosis, and Treatment. *Psychoanalytic Quarterly*, 88(3): 647-657.

Sugarman, Alan (2017) The Importance of Mental Organization (or Character Structure) When Diagnosing and Analyzing Asperger's Patients. *The Psychoanalytic Study of the Child*, 70(1): 239-256.

(B) Readings on Autism:

(1) Psychoanalytic Inquiry, Volume 13, 1993

This whole volume of Psychoanalytic Inquiry was devoted to autism. Papers in order were:

Grotstein, James (1993) Prologue. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 1-8.

Stockdale-Wolfe, Ellen (1993) Fear of Fusion: Nonverbal Behavior in Secondary Autism. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 9-33.

Tustin, Frances (1993) On Psychogenic Autism. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 34-41.

Anzieu, Didier (1993) Autistic phenomena and the skin ego. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 42-48.

Weininger, Otto (1993) Attachment, Affective Contact, and Autism. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 49-62.

Haag, Genevieve (1993) Fear of Fusion and Projective Identification in Autistic Children. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 63-84.

Palombo, Joseph (1993) Neurocognitive Deficits, Developmental Distortions, and Incoherent Narratives. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 85-102.

Alvarez, Anne (1993) Making the Thought Thinkable: On Introjection and Projection. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 103-122.

Piontelli, Alessandra (1993) Autism and Prenatal Studies. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 123-133.

De Benedetti Gaddini, Renata (1993) On Autism. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 134-143.

Grotstein, James (1993) Epilogue. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 144.

(2) Early "Classical" Psychoanalytic Contributions

Bergman, P. and Escalona, S. (1949) Unusual Sensitivities in Very Young Children. *Psychoanalytic Study of the Child*, 4: 333-352.

Mahler, M. (1952) On Child Psychosis and Schizophrenia – Autistic and Symbiotic Infantile Psychoses. *Psychoanalytic Study of the Child*, 7: 286-305.

Mahler, M. (1958) Autism and Symbiosis, Two Extreme Disturbances of Identity. *International Journal of Psychoanalysis*, 39: 77-82.

Mahler, M. (1979) *The selected papers of Margaret S. Mahler, M.D. Volume 1: Infantile Psychosis and Early Contributions*. New York: Jason Aronson.

Meltzer, D., Bremner, D., Hoxter, S., Weddell, D. and Wittenberg, I. (1975) *Explorations in autism: A psychoanalytical study*. Strath Tay: Clunie Press.

(3) The Founding of a Line of Thinking – The Work of Frances Tustin

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Tustin, Frances (1986) *Autistic barriers in neurotic patients*. New Haven: Yale University Press.

Tustin, Frances (1988) Psychotherapy with children who cannot play. *International Review of Psycho-Analysis*, 15(1): 93-106.

Tustin, F. (1990) *The Protective Shell in Children and Adolescents*. London: Karnac Books.

Tustin, Frances (1991) Revised Understandings of Psychogenic Autism. *International Journal of Psycho-Analysis*, 72(4): 585-592.

Tustin, Frances (1992) *Autistic states in children, revised edition*. London: Routledge.

Tustin, F. (1993) 'On psychogenic autism'. *Psychoanalytic Inquiry*, 13: 34–41.

Tustin, Francis (1994a) The perpetuation of an error. *The Journal of Child Psychotherapy*, 20(1): 3-23.

Tustin, F. (1994b) 'Autistic children who are assessed as not brain-damaged'. *Journal of Child Psychotherapy*, 20 (1): 103–31.

(4) Psychoanalytic Thinking about Autism in the Work of Anne Alvarez

Alvarez, A. (1977) Problems of Dependence and Development in an Excessively Passive Autistic Boy. *Journal of Child Psychotherapy*, 4: 25-46.

Alvarez, A. (1980) Two Regenerative Situations in Autism: Reclamation and Becoming Vertebrate. *Journal of Child Psychotherapy*, 6: 69-80.

Alvarez, A. (1992) *Live Company: Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy with Autistic, Borderline, Deprived and Abused Children*. London: Routledge.

Alvarez, A. (1999) 'Disorder, deviance and personality: factors in the persistence and modifiability of autism'. In Alvarez, A. and Reid, S. (Eds.) *Autism and Personality: Findings from the Tavistock Autism Workshop*. London: Routledge.

Alvarez, A. (2005) Autism and psychosis. In: Houzel, D. and Rhode, M. (Eds.) (2005) *Invisible boundaries: Psychosis and autism in children and adolescents*. London: Karnac.

Alvarez, A. (2012) *The thinking heart: Three levels of psychoanalytic therapy with disturbed children*. London: Routledge.

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Barrows, P. (2002) Becoming verbal: Autism, trauma and playfulness. *Journal of Child Psychotherapy*, 28: 53-72.

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Bergman, A. (2008) Taming the Wild Things in a Treatment from Early Childhood to Adult Motherhood and Beyond. *Journal of Infant, Child, and Adolescent Psychotherapy*, 7(3-4): 218-230.

Bonaminio, V. (undated) *The Psyche In-Dwelling in the Body*. http://www.frances-tustin-autism.org/eng/pal_pdfs.

Brown, L. (unpublished paper, 2021). From Ashes to Ashes: The Heroic Struggle of an Autistic Boy Trying to be Born and Stay Alive.

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Cecchi, V. (1990) Analysis of a Little Girl with an Autistic Syndrome. *International Journal of Psychoanalysis*, 71: 403-410.

Dergicz, R. (2019) Transformations in autism: working psychotherapeutically with autistic states. *Journal of Child Psychotherapy*, 45: 148-161.

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(c) Krass, M. (2020) Response to Dr. Sergio Benvenuto’s commentary: Autism: A battle lost by psychoanalysis. *DIVISION/Review*, 20: 25-28.

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Durban, J. (2014) Despair and hope: On some varieties of countertransference and enactment in the psychoanalysis of ASD (autism spectrum disorder) children. *Journal of Child Psychotherapy*, 40(2): 187-200.

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