Call for Input on the Scientific Literature for High Conflict Family Relationships with Child Involvement

The APA Working Group to Review Scientific Literature for High Conflict Family Relationships with Child Involvement welcomes your submissions and input. The Working Group will review the scientific literature on families experiencing high-conflict family relationships and custody issues. Of note,

- Articles published in a peer-reviewed journals, that is, articles that have been examined by a panel of reviewers expert on the article’s topic, are particularly sought.
- Articles that offer findings and insights from international perspectives are particularly sought.
- Scientifically-based literature as well as empirical research are of particular interest, including peer-reviewed articles supported or grounded in psychological science. This might include research-based articles, studies and book chapters. Editorial or opinion pieces, newsletter items or briefs, and website posts are not sought at this time.

More information may be found on the Working Group’s webpage (details below). The Working Group has already received a significant number of books, articles, letters and other materials submitted in hard copy (U.S. Mail) and electronic formats (email). Going forward, the working group will only accept articles, studies, correspondence and documents that are submitted online and through this submission portal.

The deadline for submitting materials and other input (through the portal only) is **November 15, 2018**.

It is expected that this Working Group will (1) review and synthesize the current peer-reviewed scientific literature and scholarly research in this area, and (2) recommend next steps for advancing knowledge development and application in this area. Recommendations initiated by this group will not constitute APA policy and will be subject to formal review in accordance with Association Rules. Since APA does not develop diagnoses of health conditions or advocate for their creation, this will not be part of this group’s charge.

**About the Working Group**

To Submit Material

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