

Center for Modern Psychoanalytic Studies | Extension Division Breakfast Seminar for Clinicians

## What's love got to do with it? -

## Exploring the uses and misuses of love in the countertransference

his workshop will focus on the uses and misuses of the countertransference love that frequently arises in the consulting room and the dangers to the patient when the therapist is unaware of or inhibited by these feelings. The possibility of collusion in the relationship or inhibition on the part of the practitioner in the service of avoidance, as well as the power of the positive use of these feelings, are explored and discussed. The workshop also highlights the importance to the treatment of the practitioner's self-knowledge. Participants are invited to bring cases for group discussion. The workshop will have a didactic as well as a process component.

Friday, November 14, 2014 · 9:30 - 11:00 AM CMPS, 16 West 10th Street, New York, NY 10011

■ This seminar is open to clinicians and the public at no charge
■ A complimentary breakfast is provided with RSVP
■ For information or to RSVP, please contact CMPS: 212.260.7050 · www.cmps.edu · cmps@cmps.edu

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