

Recent Books

A collection of recently published books addressing the links between marriage and family wellbeing at all stages of the life course, from childhood to older adulthood. The topics of this collection complement our six research themes (updated April 2009).

Adolescent Pregnancy: Policy and Prevention Services. Naomi Farber. 2009. Springer Publishing Company. 256 pp. ISBN: 978-0-8261-2548-4.

The Awkward Spaces of Fathering. Stuart C. Aitken. April 2009. Ashgate Publishing. 268 pp. ISBN: 978-0-7546-7005-6.

The Best Kept Secret: Single Black Fathers. Roberta L. Coles. Feb 2009. Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, Inc. 180 pp. ISBN: 9780742564251.

The Changing Realities of Work and Family. Amy Marcus-Newhall, Diane F. Halpern, and Sherylle J. Tan (Eds.). August 2008. Wiley, John & Sons. 304 pp. ISBN: 9781405163463.

Changing Relationships. Malcolm Brynin and John Ermisch (Eds.). December 2008. Routledge. 260 pp. ISBN: 9780415965231.

The Daddy Shift: How Stay-at-Home Dads, Breadwinning Moms, and Shared Parenting Are Transforming the Twenty-First-Century Family. Jeremy Adam Smith. 2009. Beacon. 256 pp. ISBN: 9780807021200.

Fathering through Sport and Leisure. Tess Kay. June 2009. Routledge. 256 pp. ISBN 978-0-415-43870-4.

Getting to 50/50: How Working Couples Can Have It All By Sharing It All. Sharon Meers and Joanna Strober. February 2009. Bantam Books. 320 pp. ISBN: 9780553806557.

I Didn't Divorce my Kids! How Fathers Deal with Family Break-Ups. Gerhard Amendt. December 2008. University of Chicago Press. 298 pp. ISBN: 9783593385464.

Intimate Fatherhood: A Sociological Analysis. Esther Dermott. May 2008. Routledge. 176 pp. ISBN: 978-0-415-42262-8.

Lesbian Motherhood: Gender, Families and Sexual Citizenship. Risn Ryan-Flood. June 2009. Macmillan. 256 pp. ISBN: 978-0-230-54541-0.

Making It Legal: Considering Same-Sex Marriage, Domestic Partnership, and Civil Unions. Emily Doskow and Frederick Hertz. 2009. NOLO. 272 pp. ISBN: 9781413309843.

The Marriage-Go-Round: The State of Marriage and the Family in America Today. Andrew J. Cherlin. 2009. Knopf Publisher. 288 pp. ISBN: 978-0-307-26689-7.

Parents' Work and Family Economic Well-Being. Thomas Gabe and Gene Falk. November 2008. Nova Science Publishers. 77 pp. ISBN: 978-1604564709.

The Pecking Order: A Bold New Look at How Family and Society Determine Who We Become. Dalton Conley. 2009. Vintage Publishing. 320 pp. ISBN: 978-0-307-48945-6.

Sourcebook of Family Theories and Methods: A Contextual Approach. Doherty P. Boss, W.J. LaRossa, W.R., Schumm, S.K., Steinmetz (Eds.). 2009. Springer. 750 pp. ISBN: 978-0-387-85763-3.

Toward More Family-Centered Family Sciences: Love, Sacrifice, and Transcendence. Howard M. Bahr and Kathleen S. Bahr. Feb 2009. Lexington Books. 406 pp. ISBN: 978-0-7391-26738.