ZBORNICA KLINIČNIH PSIHOLOGOV SLOVENIJE

Odziv ZKP na članek "Spreobrnjeni gej Luca di Tolve bo predaval slovenskim otrokom", objavljen v Dnevniku 15. 4. 2012

http://www.dnevnik.si/uploads/articles/images2012/Odziv ZKP.pdf

"Ocenjujemo, da gre za nevarno prakso poglabljanja stisk, s katerimi se v času odkrivanja lastne spolne identitete srečujejo nekateri mladostniki ter utrjevanje predsodkov o istospolno usmerjenih ljudeh, ki vodijo v stigmatizacijo."

VARUH ČLOVEKOVIH PRAVIC RS

Izjava varuhinje ob napovedanem predavanju Luca di Tolve v okviru škofijskega dne mladih http://www.varuh-rs.si/medijsko-sredisce/sporocila-za-javnosti/novice/detajl/izjava-varuhinje-ob-napovedanem-predavanju-luca-di-tolve-v-okviru-skofijskega-dne-mladih/? cHash=80320469127aa12192c3bf8dd48150de

"Glede "ozdravitve" homoseksualnosti, pa se dr. Zdenka Čebašek-Travnik kot varuhinja in kot zdravnica pridružuje mnenjem slovenskih psihiatrov in kliničnih psihologov, ki so se javno izrekli o nesprejemljivosti metod "zdravljenja" homoseksualnosti."

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF PSYCHIATRIC-MENTAL HEALTH NURSES

Position Statement On Reparative Therapy http://www.ispn-psych.org/docs/PS-ReparativeTherapy.pdf

"The treatments may include: individual and group therapy; behavior therapies involving electrical shocks to the hands, torso and genitals while exposing the client to homoerotic images; covert sensitization — which involves imagining erotic circumstances and pairing this with something frightening or revolting or administering emetics; performing exorcism; subjecting the individual to isolation and restraints; and engaging in other therapies designed to modify gender behavior to be more hetero-congruent (sports training and coaching for males and cosmetics application for females)."

AMERICAN PSYCHIATRIC ASSOCIATION

Therapies Focused on Attempts to Change Sexual Orientation (Reparative or Conversion Therapies), POSITION STATEMENT

http://mpipp.org/American-Psychiatric-Assoc-position-statement.pdf

"The potential risks of reparative therapy are great, including depression, anxiety and self-destructive behavior, since therapist alignment with societal prejudices against homosexuality may reinforce selfhatred already experienced by the patient."

AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

Appropriate Therapeutic Responses to Sexual Orientation http://www.apa.org/pi/lgbt/resources/therapeutic-response.pdf

"The American Psychological Association Task Force on Appropriate Therapeutic Responses to Sexual Orientation conducted a systematic review of the peer-reviewed journal literature on sexual orientation change efforts (SOCE) and concluded that efforts to change sexual orientation are unlikely to be successful and involve some risk of harm, contrary to the claims of SOCE practitioners and advocates. Even though the research and clinical literature demonstrate that same-sex sexual and romantic attractions, feelings, and behaviors are normal and positive variations of human sexuality, regardless of sexual orientation identity, the task force concluded that the population that undergoes SOCE tends to have strongly conservative religious views that lead them to seek to change their sexual orientation. Thus, the appropriate application of affirmative therapeutic interventions for those who seek SOCE involves therapist acceptance, support, and understanding of clients and the facilitation of clients' active coping, social support, and identity exploration and development, without imposing a specific sexual orientation identity outcome."

Statement of the American Psychological Association http://www.apa.org/pi/lgbt/resources/policy/ex-gay.pdf

"For over three decades the consensus of the mental health community has been that homosexuality is not an illness and therefore not in need of a cure. The APA's concern about the position's espoused by NARTH and so-called conversion therapy is that they are not supported by the science. There is simply no sufficiently scientifically sound evidence that sexual orientation can be changed. Our further concern is that the positions espoused by NARTH and Focus on the Family create an environment in which prejudice and discrimination can flourish."

UK COUNCIL FOR PSHYCOTHERAPY

UKCP statement on the 'reparative' therapy of members of sexual minorities

http://www.psychotherapy.org.uk/ukcp_statement_on_reparative_therapy.html

"UKCP does not consider homosexuality or bisexuality, or transsexual and transgendered states to be pathologies, mental disorders or indicative of developmental arrest. These are not symptoms to be treated by psychotherapists, in the sense of attempting to change or remove them. It follows that no responsible psychotherapist will attempt to 'convert' a client from homosexuality to heterosexuality ('reparative' therapy)."

AUSTRALIAN PSYHOLOGISTS ASSOCIATION

Position Statement on the Use of Therapies that Attempt to Change Sexual Orientation http://www.psychology.org.au/assets/files/reparative_therapy.pdf

"'Reparative' therapists have not produced any rigorous scientific research to substantiate their claims of cure. Until there is such research available, APS recommends that ethical practitioners refrain from attempts to change individuals' sexual orientation."

AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

Health Care Needs of Gay and Lesbians in the United States

http://jama.jamanetwork.com/pdfaccess.ashx?ResourceID=549886&PDFSource=13

"Emotional disturbance experienced by gay men and lesbians that is related to their sexual identity apparently is due more to a sense of alienation in an unaccepting environment than to any other cause. For this reason, aversion therapy that links homosexual behavior with unpleasant sensations or aversive conse quences is not recommended for gay men and lesbians. Gay men and lesbians can become comfortable with their sexual orientation and understand the societal response to it."

OSEBNE IZPOVEDI

Finally free, Human Rights Campaign Fundation, Washington, DC

http://www.hrc.org/files/assets/resources//finallyfree.pdf

NOVINARSKI ČLANKI

http://prospect.org/article/my-so-called-ex-gay-life

http://www.nytimes.com/2012/05/19/health/dr-robert-l-spitzer-noted-psychiatrist-apologizes-for-study-on-gay-cure.html

http://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/this-britain/the-exgay-files-the-bizarre-world-of-gaytostraight-conversion-1884947.html

http://www.salon.com/2005/07/19/gaytherapy/

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http://www.truthwinsout.org/ http://www.exgaywatch.com/wp/