Record Nr. UNINA9910451150103321 Autore Taffel Ron Titolo Breaking through to teens [[electronic resource]]: a new psychotherapy for the new adolescence / / Ron Taffel New York, : Guilford Press, c2005 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-281-12341-2 9786611123413 1-4237-7118-4 1-59385-547-8 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (316 p.) Disciplina 616.89/00835 Soggetti Adolescent psychotherapy Parent and teenager Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Includes bibliographical references (p. 283-284) and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Context: the new adolescence and a new treatment paradigm -- First meeting: getting teens to talk -- Foundation: what's necessary to build a helping relationship with teens -- The core: healing the divided-self of 21st-century teens -- Direction: advice as essential to helping teens change behavior and attitudes -- The gray zone: the truth about lying to therapists and other child professionals -- Treatment unbound: creating "flexible confidentiality" -- The parent trap: childrearing advice as essential to helping parents change behavior -- Stuck: how to conduct a "focused family session" -- The village: bringing friends into treatment -- The real in relational: challenging ourselves to stay threedimensional with teens. Sommario/riassunto This book presents groundbreaking strategies for psychotherapy with today's teens, for whom high-risk behavior, lack of adult guidance, and intense anxiety and stress increasingly come with the territory. Ron

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