PUBLICATIONS


PRESENTATIONS


Christensen, A., & Barrios, E. Partners, payoffs, and pounds: A treatment program for the overweight. Western Psychological Association, Sacramento, 1975.


Christensen, A., & Barrios, E. Behavioral approaches to the overweight: Multiple treatment programs and multiple maintenance programs. Western Psychological Association, Seattle, WA, 1977.


Cohen, R.S., & Christensen, A. Married couples enactments and conceptualizations of effective and ineffective communication. Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, San Francisco, CA, 1979.

Christensen, A. A behavioral model of clinical supervision. Western Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI, 1980.

Christensen, A. Organized and chaired symposium titled: Observation of marital interaction: Methodological issues and empirical findings. Western Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI, 1980.

Christensen, A., & Nies, D.C. Spouses as observers of marital behavior. Presented at the annual meeting of the Western Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI, 1980.

Christensen, A., & King, C. Egocentric bias in subject reports of interpersonal behavior. World Congress on Behavior Therapy, Jerusalem, Israel, 1980.


Christensen, A. Perceptual biases in couple reports of their own interaction. Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Toronto, Canada, 1981.

Christensen, A., Sullaway, M., & King, C.E. Dysfunctional interaction patterns and marital happiness. Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Los Angeles, 1982.


Christensen, A. Co-convenor and presenter at an "open forum" on "The family as a system" at the International Society for the study of Behavioral Development, Jyvaskyla, Finland, 1989.


Christensen, A. Workshop on "Conflict over psychological distance in marriage; Assessment and treatment considerations." Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New York, 1991.
Christensen, A. Marital intimacy and marital interaction. Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New York, 1991.

Christensen, A. Adding acceptance to behavioral marital therapy. Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New York, 1991.


Christensen, A. Discussant for a symposium titled “Marital adjustment across the transition to parenthood.” Western Psychological Association, Los Angeles, 1995.


Christensen, A. Integrative behavioral couples therapy. Invited presentation at the Banff conferences on Behavioral Science, Banff, Canada, 1996.


Christensen, A. The measurement of acceptance and change in integrative versus traditional behavioral couple therapy. Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New York, 1996.

Christensen, A. Institute titled “Integrative behavioral couples therapy”. Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Miami Beach, 1997.

Christensen, A. From acceptance to change: The winding road from Behavioral Couple Therapy to Integrative Couple Therapy. World Congress of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Acapulco, Mexico, 1998.


Christensen, A. Multi-center clinical trial of marital therapy: design, measures, participants, and clinical issues. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 1999.

Doss, B. D., & Christensen, A. Marital couples’ reports of partner behavior: Gender differences in frequency and acceptability. Poster session presented at the annual
meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, 1999.


Christensen, A. Integrative behavioral couples therapy. Seminar conducted at the annual meeting of the Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy Annual Convention, New Orleans, LA, 2000.


Doss, B. D., & Christensen, A. Frequency and acceptability of partner behavior inventory: Validation and Normative Data. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy, Philadelphia, PA, 2001.

Sutherland, K., Christensen, A., & Berns, S. Birds of a feather or strange birds? Ties between personality, background, and marital quality. Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy, Philadelphia, PA, 2001.


Christensen, A. Acceptance and Change in Couple Therapy. Workshop presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy, Reno, NV, 2002.

Christensen, A. Comparison of two couple therapies: Do they work, for which couples, and in what way? Paper presented at the annual meeting for the Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy, Reno, NV, 2002.

Christensen, A. Traditional and integrative behavioral therapy for substantially and stably distressed couples. Paper presented at the annual meeting for the Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy, Reno, NV, 2002.

Atkins, D. C., Christensen, A., & Baucom, D. H. Couple therapy and infidelity: How effective is therapy when there has been an affair? Paper presented at the annual meeting for the Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy, Reno, NV, 2002.


Christensen, A. Matching treatments to relationships: How a formulation of a couple’s problems can lead to treatment decision. Paper presented at the annual meeting for the Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy, Reno, NV, 2002.
Yi, J. C., Atkins, D. C., & Christensen, A. Adherence: What is it good for? Poster session presented at the annual meeting for the Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy, Reno, NV, 2002.

Christensen, A. Acceptance and change in couple therapy. Professional Institute presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Boston, MA, 2003.


Christensen, A. Behavioral couples therapy for alcoholism and drug abuse: recent advances. Discussant for a symposium presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy, Boston, MA, 2003.


Sevier, M., Jones, J., Eldridge, K. A., & Christensen, A. Discussing problems in happy and unhappy marriages: Does it matter if the problem is yours, mine, or ours? Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association for the Advancement of Behavioral Therapy, Boston, MA, 2003.

Christensen, A. Research in couple therapy. Workshop conducted at the annual meeting of the American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Long Beach, CA, 2003.


Christensen, A. Acceptance can change relationships. Paper presented as part of a symposium at the annual convention of the Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy, New Orleans, LA, 2004.


Christensen, A., & Atkins, D. C. Couple and individual adjustment over two years following traditional versus integrative behavioral couple therapy. Presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Chicago, 2006.


Moon, J. H., Atkins, D. C., Eldridge, K., Sevier, M., Jones, J., & Christensen, A. How
does an affair change the way a couple communicates? Poster session presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Chicago, 2006.


Christensen, A. Couple therapy: The most important change may be acceptance. B. F. Skinner Lecture series, Annual Convention of Applied Behavior Analysis, San Diego, May, 2007.


Christensen, A. Acceptance and change in couple therapy: Integrative Behavioral Couple Therapy: One day workshop sponsored by the Cognitive Behavior Therapy Institute, Los Angeles, CA, March, 2008.

Christensen, A. Integrative Behavioral Couple Therapy: Fostering acceptance and change in couples. One day workshop sponsored by the Institute for Psychology, Technical University of Braunschweig, Braunschweig, Germany, April, 2008.

Christensen, A. Integrative Behavioral Couple Therapy: Fostering acceptance and change in couples. Two day workshop sponsored by a Swedish Behavioral Psychology Group, Stockholm, Sweden, April, 2008.


Christensen, A. Workshop comparing three couple therapists from three different perspectives seeing the same couple. Harbor-UCLA Medical Center Department of Psychiatry, May-June, 2009.

Christensen, A. Two day workshop on Integrative Behavioral Couple Therapy sponsored by the Centre de Thérapies Comportementales et Cognitives, Paris, France, September, 2009.


Christensen, A. A unified protocol for couple therapy. Presentation as part of a symposium on “Universal processes in couple therapy.” Annual meeting of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, New York, November 2009.


Christensen, A. Acceptance and change in couple therapy. Master Clinician Presentation, World Congress of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Boston, Massachusetts, June, 2010.

Christensen, A. Two and one half day workshop sponsored by the Veteran’s Administration for about 60 VA therapists from around the country on Integrative Behavioral Couple Therapy, Long Beach, California, August, 2010.