



LET THE CLIENT BEWARE

It has come to my attention that a number of mental health practitioners have been advertising themselves as, or presenting themselves as, proficient providers of the Turning Points For Families intervention on the basis that they have received *some* training from me. This elementary training *may* have included some foundational principles of family systems therapy and/or training on the memorabilia intervention—and *nothing more*. This elementary training, therefore, *does not* prepare anyone to *independently* provide the TPFF intervention. What is particularly unsettling about these unauthorized and misleading representations is that the degree and licensing requirements for many of these practitioners *did not make the family the focus of their education, training, and internships*.

I have approved the following two mental health clinicians to *independently* provide the TPFF intervention: Loretta Maase, MA, LPC-S of Texas, and Caitlin Burgess, LMFT, JD of California.