

Forum of psychoanalysis of adolescents: SECRET ORIGINS AND IMAGINED ORIGINS BETWEEN SHAME AND REVELATION KITTY'S CARE

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Within the context of a family background marked by addiction, the psychotherapeutic work with an adolescent brings to light the impact of certain transgenerational dynamics on her difficulties. Kitty's withdrawal into a parallel world—where she reshapes, both as defense and as resource, alternative origins—becomes in therapy the object of a gradual process of “dismantling” and “reassembling.” Between concealment and revelation, the feeling of shame emerges as the red thread that runs through and guides the treatment.