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## 18 The Ultimate Deception: Childhood Sexual Abuse in the Church

Explore the ramifications of sexual abuse of children committed by clergy members, including violations of trust and spiritual distress, and learn 4 strategies to prevent it.

*Linda J. Cook, DNSc, RN, BC*

## 29 Facilitating Communication: How to Truly Understand What Patients Mean

Avoid misunderstandings with patients and clients by examining how and why they occur. Communicate more effectively in 5 easy steps!

*Mona Shattell, PhD, RN, and Beverly Hogan, MSN, RN, CS*

## 36 Effects of Sexuality on Lesbians' Experiences of Depression

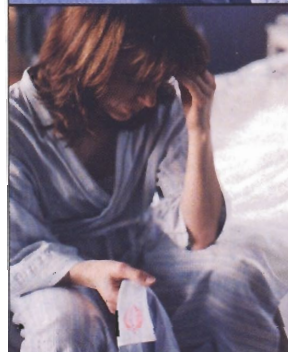
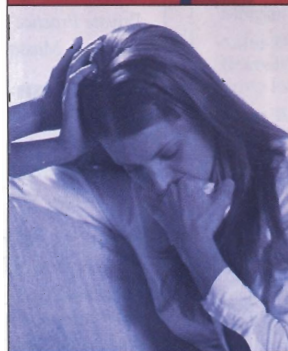
Find out how issues of gender, sexuality, and social stereotypes affect lesbians with depression. Nurses can engage lesbians in their own care by using 6 techniques they probably already know.

*Amy G. Barnard, PhD, APRN, BC*

## 46 Post-Infidelity Stress Disorder

When a spouse or partner cheats, the results can be devastating. This author has named a disorder and offers ways to help begin the process of recovery.

*Dennis C. Ortman, PhD*



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