

**RELATIONS BETWEEN CHILDREN AND PARENTS AS A FACTOR OF CHILD'S
DEVELOPMENT
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It is shown that attachment to a mother plays the crucial role in the relations of a child with his/her immediate surrounding at all stages of his/her growing-up, in particular in his/her future matrimonial relationship, as personality is largely formed in the course of interaction with people a child identifies him/herself with (parents, peers, etc.). It is substantiated that relations in the family where a child is growing up influence his/her interaction with immediate surrounding, as well as formation of his/her relationship with the future spouse. The applied aspect of the problem under study can be realized in the sphere of family counseling.

Key words: Family; Relations between children and parents; Attachment; Development of a child.