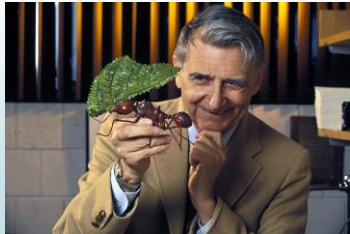


Socialization

Nature vs. Nurture

To what extent is our behavior "natural" (eg. Instinctive, genetic, unconscious)

E. O. Wilson: Sociobiology
Evolutionary Psychology



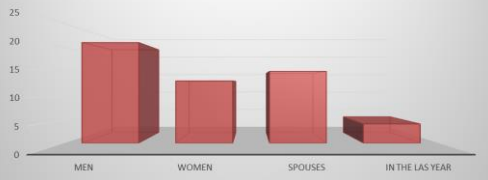
Adultery?

Evolutionary Psychology Model: Adultery serves an evolutionary imperative



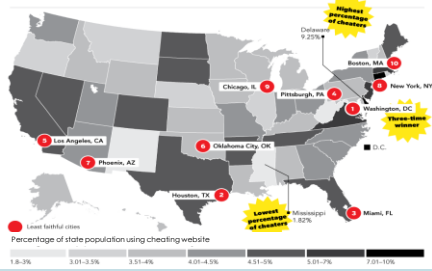
Percentage of Married People who Reported Having Affairs

Tom W. Smith, National Opinion Research Center at the University of Chicago, 1993

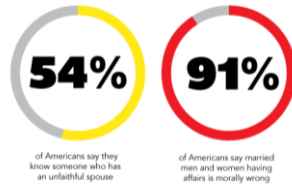


The United States Of Adultery

Where you live may say something about your spouse's fidelity or infidelity, as the case may be. Ashley Madison, an online dating and social networking website for people who are already in relationships, dove into their membership data to find out which states and cities are the least faithful. Check out the map below for the country's cheating hotspots.

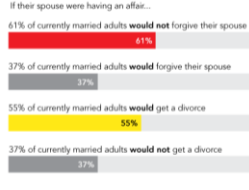


A Lot Of People Cheat, And Most Americans Disapprove



Sources: AshleyMadison.com, Gallup, USA Today

Most Aren't Willing To Forgive A Cheating Spouse



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What are you trying to say?

Socialization

Process through which people learn the various forms of behavior consistent with membership of a particular culture.

Feral Children

Children raised with very little social interaction.

Isolation is internationally recognized as a form of torture.

Agencies of Socialization: Social Control

- External Social Controls
 - Positive Sanctions (Rewards)
 - Negative Sanctions (Punishments)
 - Formal
 - Informal
 - Surveillance
- Internal Social Controls
 - Identity
 - Morality
 - Personalized Goals
 - Governmentality/Discipline

External Social Controls presume the existence of a legitimate authority

Behaviors influenced by External Social Controls can be "internalized" when they are incorporated into one's identity.

Agencies of Socialization

- Primary
 - Family
 - Peers
 - Significant Others
- Secondary
 - Education
 - Mass Media
 - Religion
 - Market
 - Government

