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- Two neglected but essential psychoanalytic concepts
- Ascertaining what is due to fixation or to regression in children
- Ascertaining what is due to fixation and/or regression in adults
- Different meanings of the term fixation

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5) Establishing the existence of fixation points at any given level of development by various means

6) Fixation versus regression, which one is it?

7) The possible combinations of fixation and regression

8) Another result of massive regressions
9) Summarizing

10) Illustration in a four and a half years old boy

11) The vicisitudes of the form of expression of fixations

12) Complications in the assessment of adults
13) Fixation Points: Some Clinical Problems

14) General Developmental Considerations
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