

# Anne Olumsuzluğu ve Çocuklara Kötü Muamele

Evrimsel Perspektifler Katmanlı ve Şefkatlı Bir  
Anlayışa Nasıl Katkı Sağlar?

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## Özet

Batı kültüründe, hem ruh sağlığı uzmanları hem de sıradan halk, annelerin tüm çocuklarını içgüdüsel ve koşulsuz olarak sevmek üzere evrimleştiğine inanma eğilimindedir. Buna karşılık, çocuğuna karşı kararsız veya düşmanca duygular besleyen herhangi bir anne tipik olarak doğal görülmez ve çocuğuna kötü davranışan bir anne, patolojik davranışlar sergiliyor olarak görülür. Bu bölüm, anneligi ilişkin bu yaygın görüşe meydan okumak için evrimsel araştırmalardan yararlanmaktadır. Özellikle, annelerin çocuk yetiştirmekten bir dizi karmaşık, güvensiz ve katmanlı ödünü nasıl müzakere etmesi gerektiğini aydınlatır, anne olumsuzluğunun ve çocuklara kötü muameleinin bundan nasıl kaynaklanabileceğini gösterir. Bu bölümün amacı, evrimsel olarak daha geçerli, detaylı ve şefkatli bir annelik anlayışı geliştirmektir. Böyle bir anlayış, bocalayan annelerle ilgili klinik çalışmalar ve annelerin çocuklara kötü muamele etmesini önlemeye odaklanan programlara katkıda bulunma potansiyeline sahiptir.

## Anahtar kelimeler

çocuk istismarı, çocuklara kötü muamele, çocuk ihmali, evrimsel psikiyatri, evrimsel ödünlendirme, bebek öldürme, anne düşmanlığı, anne kötü muamelesi, anne olumsuzluğu

## Anahtar Noktalar

- Anneler, çocukların her biri için otomatik ve koşulsuz sevgi hissedecik şekilde evrimleşmiştir. Bunun yerine evrim annelere tam bir bağılılıkta olumsuzluğa kadar uzanan bir spektrum gösteren annelik duyguları vermiştir. Bir kadının bu süreçte konumlandığı yer, içinde bulunduğu koşullardan etkilenir. Çocuk yetiştirmesini desteklemek için toplayabildiği kaynaklar ve çocuğunun nitelikleri özellikle önemlidir.

- Annenin davranışları, çok sevilen bir çocuğu grup normlarına uydurma ihtiyacından kaynaklanabilir. Evrim tarihi boyunca bir grubun parçası olmak hayatta kalmak için çok önemlidir.
- Anne davranışları, sosyal öğrenme ile şekillenerek evrimleşmiştir. Kız çocuklar, bilinçli bir çaba ve niyet olmaksızın kendi çocukluklarında yaşadıkları ve gözlemediği araçlarıyla anneligi öğrenirler. Kötü muameleinin nesiller boyunca aktarılması, genellikle bunun olumsuz bir sonucudur.
- Bazı anne olumsuzluklarının ve çocuklara kötü muamelein evrimleşmiş etkilerden kaynaklandığı gerçeği, onu daha az zararlı yapmaz. Anne olumsuzluğu ve çocuklara kötü muamele, kökenleri ne olursa olsun, son derece zarar vericidir. Duygusal travmayı (kompleks travma sonrası stres bozukluğu olarak da bilinir) körkülerler,

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haklı veya kaçınılmaz olduğunu varsaymaya ‘natüralist yanılıgı’ denir. Hiç kimse, insanlığın varoluşunun çoğunu karakterize eden yüksek çocuk ölüm oranları na katlanmamız gerektiğini ve bunun kaderimiz olduğunu iddia etmez. Bununla birlikte, çocuk ölümlerini azaltmak için hastalık vektörlerini, sanitasyonları ve

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