Division 18: Psychologists in Public Service

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• Community and State Hospital
• Criminal Justice
• Police and Public Safety
• Psychologists in Indian Country
• Serious Mental Illness/Severe Emotional Disturbance
• Veterans Affairs

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Welcome!

Hello to our fellow members of Division 18!

We are thrilled to provide this program to guide your experience at APA 2021 Virtual. While we won’t be able to see one another in person for convention for a second year, we look forward to the increased access to convention events that the virtual platform affords our members and the greater APA community. Division 18 has so much to offer this year, including symposia, poster sessions, business meetings, social hours, and other events. This content is highly relevant to our work as public sector psychologists, while also considering the broader context of the challenges the world has faced in recent years.

Mission Statement

Our mission is to advance the creation, communication and application of psychological knowledge in public service settings to benefit society and improve people’s lives.

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Division 18 Executive Committee

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### Division 18

#### Symposia

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<td>Barriers, Coping and Resilience for Low-Income, African American Women in a Public Sector Hospital (613)</td>
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<td>Beyond Punishment: Alternative Approaches to Assessing and Treating Violence in Public Mental Health (618)</td>
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## Clinician Administrators: Critical for Systems Change (616)

**Chair/ Co-Chair:** Theresa M. Schmitz, PhD  
**Co-Listing Divisions/ Groups:** 41  
**Session Length:** 60 minutes

## Police Peer Intervention: An Active Bystander Approach and the Role of Psychology (609)

**Chair/ Co-Chair:** Abigail S. Tucker, PsyD & Joel Dvoskin, PhD  
**Co-Listing Divisions/ Groups:** 8, 17, 41  
**Session Length:** 60 minutes

## The Process of Creating and Implementing Caring Communities (608)

**Chair/ Co-Chair:** Erica D. Marshall Lee, PhD  
**Co-Listing Divisions/ Groups:** 27  
**Session Length:** 60 minutes

## TogetherWell: Using Technology for Connecting Communities to Mental Health Education (612)

**Chair/ Co-Chair:** Michele Haley, PhD  
**Co-Listing Divisions/ Groups:** 2  
**Session Length:** 40 minutes
Division 18 Symposia

Training During a Pandemic: Building an Airplane While Flying It (611)
Chair/ Co-Chair: Erin L. Patel, PsyD, & Jeffrey M. Bates, PhD
Co-Listing Divisions/ Groups: 14
Session Length: 60 minutes

Walking the Tightrope: Mindfully balancing the Dialectic of Supervision in a Post-Pandemic World (610)
Chair/ Co-Chair: Erika M. Shearer, PhD & Shiloh E. Jordan, PhD
Session Length: 60 minutes

Presidential Address
Things to Do Until the Pharmacist Arrives (964)
Division 18 President: Jennifer Snyder, PhD
Description: This talk will discuss several ways that psychology can contribute to the treatment and support of people who are experiencing acute mental illness, both before and during initiation of medication.
Session Length: 60 minutes

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### Changing Lives and Changing Outcomes: Evidence of Transdiagnostic Effectiveness? (605)

**Chair/ Co-Chair:** Michael E. Lester, MS & Ashley B. Batastini, PhD

**Session Length:** 20 minutes

**Session Type:** Data-Blitz

### How Do We Turn This Ship Around? Combating Racism And White Supremacy Culture in Institutions (607)

**Chair/ Co-Chair:** Jennifer Snyder, PhD & Valene A. Whittaker, PhD

**Co-Listing Divisions/ Groups:** 17, 27, 41

**Session Length:** 60 minutes

**Session Type:** Live Discussion

**Scheduled Live:** Friday August 13th, 11:00AM Eastern/8:00AM Pacific time

**Zoom Link:**
[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81655466531?pwd=dGNMa0NSbFhIOWtsM3BtS0RkSEZkdz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81655466531?pwd=dGNMa0NSbFhIOWtsM3BtS0RkSEZkdz09)

### What Psychologists with Lived Experience have to Tell Their Colleagues about Recovery from SMI (606)

**Chair/ Co-Chair:** Shirley M. Glynn, PhD & Kate Hardy, PhD

**Session Length:** 120 minutes

**Session Type:** Discussion
## Collaborative Proposals

### Serving Those Who Served: Helping Military Members Through the Military-Civilian Transition Process (49)

- Division Sponsors: 1, 13, 14, 18, 19, 42
- Session Type: Skill Building Session

### Resilience in the Military - What Civilian Psychologists and Organizations Can Learn and Apply (51)

- Division Sponsors: 2, 13, 14, 18, 19, 56
- Session Type: Skill Building Session

### Telepsychology in Psychology-Law Practice: Experiences, Recommendations, and What's to Come (57)

- Division Sponsors: 14, 18, 41, 42, 46
- Session Type: Symposium

### Giving Psychology Away: COVID-19 Edition (58)

- Division Sponsors: 2, 9, 18, 27, 37, 41, 46
- Session Type: Symposium

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Continuing Education Programs

A Time of Connection: Community Resilience and Healing in Indian Country (617)
This symposium will address separation and connectedness within multiple settings and challenges amongst American Indian/Alaska Native peoples, including pathways to resiliency and healing working within diverse populations in Indian Country.

Police Peer Intervention: An Active Bystander Approach and the Role of Psychology (609)
Learn about the Active Bystander in Law Enforcement (ABLE) Training and Project. Program will review the role psychology plays in this critical cultural shift within policing and engage participants in a refresher of social inhibitors.

Clinician Administrators: Critical for Systems Change (616)
Although many clinical psychologists function as administrators, systematic training is lacking and these roles are seen as less desirable. This discussion argues for valuing and training for these roles and the translatability of clinical skills.

Training During a Pandemic: Building an Airplane While Flying It (611)
This presentation will provide an overview of modifications made by VA Psychology Training programs during the COVID-19 pandemic and highlight lessons learned that point to future directions for clinical training in a post-pandemic world.
## Division 18 Sponsored Posters

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Exercise as a Moderator Between Moral Injury and Hyperarousal in Posttraumatic Stress Disorder | Jacob Jaco Scholl
Implementing a Peer Support and Wellness Program with the Lubbock Police Department | Maritta S. Brady
Clinical Risk Factors Associated with Early Psychiatric Rehospitalization | Carol M. Cho
An Intensive Pilot Program for Female Sexual Offenders with Adverse Childhood Experiences | Rachel A. Knutzen
The Impact of Insanity Defense Definitions on the Prevalence of Incarcerated Mentally Ill Offenders | Morgan G. Branco
Psychometrics of Wellness Measures with a Law Enforcement Officer Sample | Megan L. Fortner
Police Officer Perceptions of Mental Illness in Simulation Training Videos | Kaylee B. Widener
Restorative Justice and Social Emotional Learning in Secondary Schools | Emily Lara
The Influence of Anger/Hostility on Maladaptive Coping Behaviors in Law Enforcement | Tina Thach
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<td>Does methamphetamine dependence predict length of stay in incompetent to stand trial inpatients?</td>
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<td>Roles of Public Service Psychologists: Should Psychologists Advocate for Mental Health Reform?</td>
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# Virtual Hospitality Suite Schedule

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**AUGUST 12-14**

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Division 18 Award Winners

**Psychologists in Public Service Distinguished Career Award**
Robert Morgan, Ph.D.

**Psychologists in Public Service Early Career Achievement Award**
Jason Cantone, Ph.D., J.D.

**Lorraine Williams Greene Award for Social Justice**
Apryl Alexander, Psy.D.

**Michael S. Neale Award**
Jennifer Snyder, Ph.D.

**Psychologists in Public Service Student Award**
Ayli Carrero Pinedo, Ph.D.

**Harold M. Hildreth Distinguished Public Service Award**
Anne Klee, Ph.D.

**Best Paper in Psychological Services for 2020**

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