

## **John P. Pasagiannis, PhD**

Licensed Clinical Psychologist

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### **Areas of Specialty**

- Individual and group psychotherapy with adults and adolescents
- Crisis management
- Harm reduction
- Motivational interviewing
- Psychodynamic psychotherapy
- CBT and DBT background
- Supervisory experience
- Administrative experience

### **Work History**

#### **Clinical Psychologist**

**Private Practice, New York, NY**

**2005-Present**

- Provide eclectic psychotherapy for patients with chemical dependency issues, eating disorders, affective disorders, and personality disorders

#### **Behavioral Consultant**

**La Palestra, New York, NY**

**2008-Present**

- Member of a multidisciplinary team consisting of mental health, medical, physical therapy, exercise, and nutritional health providers
- Conduct behavioral evaluations and make appropriate mental health referrals
- Provide eclectic psychotherapy for members in the weight management and diabetes program
- Provide individual psychotherapy to members with eating disorders and co-morbid affective and personality issues
- Educate staff on the bi-directional relationship of the mind-body connection
- Conduct in-service presentations on behavioral contributions to wellness goals

#### **Psychologist**

**Health and Hospitals Corporation, Brooklyn, NY**

**2006-Present**

- Provide individual and group psychotherapy to dually-diagnosed adults and adolescents
- Conduct intake assessments and provide crisis management interventions
- Coordinate services with Buprenorphine Program at Woodhull Hospital
- Provide supervision to chemical dependency staff and psychology interns
- Develop treatment protocols for group therapy of dually-diagnosed patients
- Assist in the development of quality control protocols and ensure compliance with OASAS regulations

#### **Adjunct Professor**

**Pace University, New York, NY**

**2004-2008**

- Introduction to Psychology
- Psychological Testing

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### **Program Director**

**Youth Dares, Brooklyn, NY**

**2004-2006**

- Managed \$500K budget for SAMHSA-funded adolescent research and clinical intervention program
- Developed program marketing campaign
- Implemented IT systems for tracking patient care and clinical program budget
- Trained staff in data collection and supervised implementation of treatment protocols
- Hired, trained, and supervised staff consisting of two social workers, two addiction counselors and one administrative assistant
- Participated in ongoing, federally funded performance improvement initiatives
- Coordinated services with chemical dependency programs and offsite educational facilities
- Developed relationships with referral agencies (treatment courts, ACS, community boards, etc.)

### **Psychology Fellow**

**Roosevelt Hospital Out-patient Clinic, New York, NY**

**2003-2004**

- Conducted individual and group psychotherapy utilizing psychodynamic, CBT and DBT interventions
- Co-led process, social anxiety, and DBT skills groups
- Participated in multidisciplinary meetings consisting of mental health, medical, nursing and nutritional providers
- Administered psychological testing. Collected and analyzed testing data, wrote testing reports and provided feedback and treatment recommendations to patients, families and referring providers

### **Education**

**PhD in Clinical Psychology**

**2007**

Adelphi University, Garden City, NY

**MA in Psychology**

**2000**

Adelphi University, Garden City, NY

**BA in Psychology**

**1998**

Hunter College, New York, NY

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### Awards and Honors

Leopold Schepp Foundation Scholarship, New York, NY	1999-2002
Glass Institute Scholarship, Adelphi University, Garden City, NY	1999-2001
Dean's List, Hunter College, New York, NY	1996-1998

### Presentations

*Psychotherapeutic Contributions to the Management of Diabetes*, La Palestra, New York, NY 2010

*Treatment Alliance, Creative Impasses and Transitional Issues in the Treatment of Artists*, Woodhull Hospital, Brooklyn, NY 2010

*Harm Reduction and the Biopsychosocial Model in the Treatment of Chemical Dependency Issues*, Woodhull Hospital, Brooklyn, NY 2009

*Implementation of the Mental Status Examination in Chemical Dependency Assessment*, Cumberland Diagnostic & Treatment Center, Brooklyn, NY 2008

*Harm Reduction Interventions in the Treatment of Dually-Diagnosed Individuals*, Woodhull Hospital, Brooklyn, NY 2008

*Motivational Interviewing and Co-Occurring Disorders*, Woodhull Hospital, Brooklyn, NY 2007

*Substance Use and the Creative Process*, New School for Social Research, New York, NY, 2006

*Motivational Interviewing in Time Limited Treatment of Adolescents*, Brooklyn Treatment Court, Brooklyn, NY 2005

*Cognitive-Behavioral Interventions in the Treatment of Chemically Abusing Adolescents*, Brooklyn DA Office, Social Work Division, Brooklyn, NY 2005

*Time Limited Treatment of Chemically Abusing Adolescents*, CASES, Alternative to Incarceration Program, New York, NY 2004

*Aggression, Creativity, and Adolescence*, Division 39 Conference, New York, NY 2002

*Hip Hop Music Group Treatment for Oppositional Defiant and Conduct Disordered Adolescents*, Society for Psychotherapy Research, Santa Barbara, CA 2001

### Affiliations

American Psychological Association, Member	2007-Present
New York State Psychological Association, Division on Addictions, Executive Committee	2005-2007