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## BOARD CERTIFICATIONS

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**Board of Psychiatry and Neurology 2011-**

**American Board of Preventive Medicine (Addiction Medicine) 2019-**

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## EDUCATION

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**University of Alabama School of Medicine — 2002-2006** **Birmingham, AL**

- **Degree:** MD, Doctor of Medicine NY License #246673
- **Clinical Electives:** Community Psychiatry, Narrative Medicine

**University of Alabama at Birmingham — 1997-2001** **Birmingham, AL**

- **Degree:** BS, Cum Laude, Psychology with Honors
- Honors degree required completion and publication of a research project

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## EMPLOYMENT

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**Private Practice 2018-** **New York, NY**

- Focus on LGBTQ Individuals
- Provide care for SMI and Addiction-related illness
- Ericyarbroughmd.com

**Gay Men's Health Crisis (GMHC) 2018-2020** **New York, NY**

- Medical Director
- Article 31 and 32
- Responsible for clinic structure, programming, and patient treatment

**Callen-Lorde Community Health Center 2012-2018** **New York, NY**

- Director of Psychiatry
- Clinical head of the Callen-Lorde Article 31 Mental Health Clinic
- Responsible for clinic structure, programming, and patient treatment

**Psychiatric Recovery Center 2010-2012** **New York, NY**

**St. Luke's Roosevelt Hospital**

- Treated patient diagnosed as having chronic and persistent mental illness
- Managed patients with oral and injectable medications
- Supervised residents at the clinic

**St. Luke's Roosevelt CPEP 2009-2013** **New York, NY**

- Attending Psychiatrist in two CPEPS
- Managed acute and serious mental illness

**Psychiatry Resident 2006-2010** **New York, NY**

**St. Luke's Roosevelt Hospital**

- Special training in resident education
- Senior Resident in charge of outpatient treatment

**Holliswood Hospital Attending Psychiatrist 2009-2010** **Jamaica, NY**

- Managed admissions and weekend floor coverage

**St. Joseph's Hospital** Attending Psychiatrist 2008-2009  
 • Managed admissions and weekend floor coverage

**Yonkers, NY**

**Crisis Center Hotline** 2000-2002

**Birmingham, AL**

- Birmingham's Suicide Hotline
- Worked in weekly shifts answering phone calls of suicidal persons
- Volunteer Activity

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## LEADERSHIP

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**Integrated Psychiatric Services (IPS) National Conference**  
**American Psychiatric Association**

**New York, NY**

- Chair

**Council on Minority Mental Health and Health Disparities**  
**American Psychiatric Association**

**Washington, D.C.**

- 2019 - Chair
- 2017 - 2019 Vice Chair
- 2017- Member

**HIV Psychiatry Elective**  
**American Psychiatric Association**

**Washington, D.C.**

- 2017- Supervisor

**AGLP: Association of LGBTQ+ Psychiatrists.**

**Philadelphia, PA**

- 2018- Past President
- 2014- 2018 President
- 2012-2014 Vice-President
- 2011-2013 Newsletter Editor
- 2010-2012 Secretary
- 2006-2010 Resident Board Member
- 2003-2006 Medical Student Board Member

**St. Luke's Roosevelt Chief Resident** 2009-2010

**New York, NY**

**Tom Dooley Society** 2002-2006

**Birmingham, AL**

- Medical Student Gay and Lesbian Association
- Co-founder and Vice-president

**Psi Chi, Psychology Honors Society President** 1998-2001

**Birmingham, AL**

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## TEACHING AND FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

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**Clinical Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry**  
**New York University** – 2016 to present

**New York, NY**

**Associate Training Director at St. Luke's Roosevelt Psychiatry**  
**Residency** – 2010-2012

**New York, NY**

- Supervised 10-12 residents yearly in 1:1 and group supervision every week
- Helped organize and teach resident classes from PGY1-4

**LGBT Mental Health at New York Medical College**  
Teach the yearly seminar on LGBT related health care

**Valhalla, NY**

**Chief Resident at St. Luke's Roosevelt Psychiatry Residency**  
2009-2010

**New York, NY**

- Taught "Intro to Psychiatry" – a weekly course to PGY1 residents
- Supervised 4 residents in weekly supervision regarding outpatient treatment in a clinic for those with serious and persistent mental illness.

**SHAPE, Sexual Health Awareness Through Peer Education** 1999-200 **Birmingham, AL**

- Taught seminars on sexual health and STD prevention to high school and college students
- Continued sexual health seminars for patients at the Psychiatric Recovery Center

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## PUBLICATIONS

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Yarbrough, E. (2024), Drs. Drescher and Aoun. **LGBTQ considerations in contemporary psychiatry**. In A. Tasman (Ed.), *Tasman's Psychiatry* (6th ed., pp. 215–230). Springer. <https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-51366-5>

Schwartz, Alan, M.D., Yarbrough, Eric, M.D., McIntosh, Christopher, M.D. **FOCUS. Sex and Relationship Issues in Work with the LGBTQ Community**. Volume 18. 277-284. 2020

Levounis, Petros and Yarbrough, Eric. **Understanding LGBTQ Mental Health**. American Psychiatric Publishing, 2020.

Yarbrough, Eric. **"Gender Dysphoria."** *American Psychiatric Association Textbook of Psychiatry*. Edited by Laura Roberts, M.D., American Psychiatric Publishing, 2019

Yarbrough, Eric. **"LGBTQ Population."** *Co-occurring Mental Illness and Substance Use Disorders – A Guide to Diagnosis and Treatment*. Edited by Jonathan D. Avery, M.D., and John W. Barnhill, M.D. American Psychiatric Publishing, 2018

Yarbrough, Eric. **Transgender Mental Health**. American Psychiatric Publishing 2018

Yarbrough, Eric. Kidd, Jeremy. Parekh, Ranna. **A Guide to Working with Transgender and Gender Non-conforming Patients, March 2017**  
**American Psychiatric Association**  
<https://www.psychiatry.org/psychiatrists/cultural-competency/transgender-and-gender-nonconforming-patients>

Yarbrough, Eric. **"It Gets Better' Still Offering Hope to LGBTQ Youth"** *Clinical Psychiatry News*, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2015 Online and Paper versions. <http://www.clinicalpsychiatrynews.com/specialty-focus/childadolescent-psychiatry/single-article-page/it-gets-better-still-offering-hope-to-lgbtq-youth/>

Barber, Mary, M.D. and Eric Yarbrough. **"LGBT Mothers."** *Motherhood, Mental Illness, and Recovery*. Edited by Benders-Hadi, Nikole, Barber, Mary E. Springer Publications, 2014.

Yarbrough, Eric, M.D. **“A Conversation with Robert Cabaj, M.D.”** The Journal of Gay and Lesbian Mental Health. Edited by Jack Dresher, M.D. and Mary Barber, M.D. Volume 16, Number 3, pages 279-288. 2012

Yarbrough, Eric J. **“Panic Disorder, Seeing Superman”**. The LGBT Casebook, edited by Petros Levounis, M.D., Jack Dresher, M.D., Mary Barber, M.D.: American Psychiatric Publishing, 2012.

Owen, Jason, Eric J. Yarbrough, Anete Vaga and Diane C. Tucker. Computers in Human Behavior **“Investigation of the Effects of Gender and Preparation on Quality of Communication in Internet Support Groups.”** Volume 19, Issue 3, May 2003, Pages 259-275

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## PRESENTATIONS

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### **Transgender Mental Health**

- NYU Grand Grounds 2023
- SUNY Downstate Internal Medicine Grand Rounds 2018
- World Psychiatric Association 2017
- Florida Psychiatric Association (Keynote Speaker) 2017
- Rutgers Department of Psychiatry (Co-chair) 2017
- Rutgers Medical School 2017
- St. Luke’s Roosevelt Grand Rounds 2013

### **LGBTQ Mental Health**

- Orange Regional Medical Center 2020
- Lincoln Hospital Grand Rounds 2019
- New York Presbyterian Methodist Hospital Grand Rounds 2018
- NYU Medical Student Elective 2018
- Drexel University 2011
- St. Luke’s Roosevelt Hospital Grand Rounds 2010

### **HIV Psychiatry**

- William Alanson White Institute 2018
- American Psychiatric Association Fellowship 2017

### **LGBTQ and Addiction**

- Addiction Institute of New York 2011
- Steroid Use and the Transgender Population 2010

### **American Psychiatric Association Annual Meeting Topics:**

- Transgender Mental Health 2024
- Conversations on Diversity 2019
- Transgender Health 2019
- God Loves Uganda - Gay Rights 2015
- Obsessive Character Structure 2013
- Gay and the Military 2013
- The Celluloid Closet - Gay Culture in Film 2012
- Gay and Lesbian Families 2011
- Gay Men’s Psychotherapy Case Conference 2010

### **Integrated Psychiatric Services (IPS) Topics:**

- Conversations on Diversity 2017/2018
- Early Interventions in Psychosis 2011
- Transitioning Residents to Outpatient 2011
- Crystal Meth and Gay Men 2009
- Suicide and Personality 2009

**American Foundation of Suicide Prevention**

- LGBTQ Suicide Prevention 2013

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**JOURNALS**


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Regularly review articles for:

- The Journal of Gay and Lesbian Mental Health
- LGBT Health
- Transgender Health

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**MEDIA**


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Interviewed for:

Urquhart, Evan. **“How Stigma against Trans People and the Mentally Ill Poisons our Politics and Culture.”** Slate.com. August 2, 2017

Newton, Creede. **“Texas Republican Wants to Out LGBT Kids in School.”** The Daily Beast. November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2016

Gutierrez-Morfin. **“Report: Lesbian, Gay and Bi Adults Have Higher Drug Abuse Rates.”** NBC News October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2016

Compton, Julie. **“Orlando Attacks Likely to Have a Lasting Impact on LGBTQ Community”** NBC News. June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2016

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**ORGANIZATIONS**


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2006-	American Psychiatric Association
2003-	Association of Gay and Lesbian Psychiatrists
2008-	American Association of Community Psychiatrists
2016-	World Professional Association of Transgender Health
2017-	Group for the Advancement of Psychiatry (GAP)

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**AWARDS AND HONORS**


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2009 – Chief Resident

2013 – Teacher of the Year, Adult Psychiatry Program, St. Luke’s Roosevelt Hospital

2019 - The Spero Award for Community Mental Health - Cornell Hospital

2020 - Distinguished Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association

2020 - James Paulsen Award - AGLP (LGBTQ Community Service)