

Society of **PEDIATRIC
PSYCHOLOGY**

Division 54 of the American Psychological Association



Mission statement:

The Society aims to promote the health and psychological well being of children, youth and their families through science and an evidence-based approach to practice, education, training, advocacy, and consultation.

Vision Statement:

Healthier children, youth, and families.

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Division 54

APA Convention Program

Thursday, August 4th

CENTRAL
TIME ZONE

Session Type: Symposium 2.0

Session Title: Adaptation of Family-Based Treatment for Eating Disorders to Inpatient Setting (CE)

Presenters: Samantha Everhart, Katelyn Anderson

Session Description: Inpatient consultation/liaison providers will benefit from these sessions detailing a specific protocol for treatment of children and adolescents hospitalized for medical stabilization, following tenets of Family-Based Treatment (FBT).

Location - Minneapolis Convention Center, Level One, Room 101D

9:00AM-
9:50AM

Session Type: Poster Session

Session Title: Poster Session, Div. 54

Presenters: Alexandra Antosy, Kathryn A. Birnie

Session Description: State of the science innovations in pediatric psychology showcased by pediatric psychologists across the continuum of career stage.

Location - Minneapolis Convention Center, Level One, Exhibit Halls BCD.

10:00AM-
10:50AM

Session Type: Skill-Building

Session Title: Breaking Down Barriers: Applying for NIH K-Awards as Early Career Women in Pediatric Psychology

Presenters: Carolyn R. Bates, Dana M. Bakula

Session Description: This skill-building session will provide guidance for early career women in the field of pediatric psychology on how to feasibly write a K-series application in the context of common barriers, with a focus on practical solutions.

Location - Minneapolis Convention Center, Level One, Room 101B

11:00AM-
11:50AM

Session Type: Symposium 2.0

Session Title: Taking the Pediatric Psychologist Out of the Hospital: Challenges and Opportunities to Stay Relevant

Presenters: Kavita Desai Dakoji, Abby Hughes-Scalise

Session Description: We are finally here: a time when mental health is getting attention. How can we help pediatric psychology pave the way? Join our diverse panel to learn how to make pediatric psychology relevant during this pandemic-forced health-tech boom.

1:00PM-
2:50PM

Location - Minneapolis Convention Center, Level One, Room 101I

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Session Type: Critical Conversations

Session Title: Virtual Teen Groups: If Offered, Will They Come; And If They Come, Will They Turn On Their Cameras? (CE)

Presenters: Ericka L. Rutledge

Session Description: This talk will share lessons learned from two virtual groups for teens with chronic medical conditions as well as discuss effective recruitment, retention, and engagement strategies for telehealth services with pediatric populations.

**Location - Minneapolis Convention Center,
Level One, Room 101D**

3:00PM-
3:50PM

Session Type: Critical Conversations

Session Title: The Path to Pediatric Psychology:
Three Diverse Perspectives

Presenters: E. Thomaseo Burton, Idia B. Thurston

Session Description: Solutions to increasing the number of minorities, minority women, first generation scholars and those with disability, are needed. This session will discuss how to empower and support, those not being traditionally seen in psychology.

**Location - Minneapolis Convention Center,
Level One, Room 101H**

4:00PM-
4:50PM

Session Title: Child and Family Mega-Social Hour!
Includes Divisions 7, 16, 33, 37, 43, 53, and 54.

Session Description: Child and Family Mega-Social Hour: Division 54 will join other Divisions related to child and family health and well-being for a combined social hour. The event would be an opportunity to briefly introduce division award winners (about 5 min per division) and then people would be able to mingle with the different division members and enjoy some food!

Location: Hilton Minneapolis, Third Floor,
Minneapolis Grand Ballroom A

6:00PM-
6:50PM



Division 54

APA Convention Program

Friday, August 5th

CENTRAL
TIME ZONE

Session Type: Symposium 2.0

Session Title: Tips, Tools, and Lessons Learned in Pediatric Primary Care Integration of Behavioral Health Services (CE)

Presenters: Kriston Schellinger, Devin Adams

Session Description: Lessons learned in the development of a pediatric primary care mental health integration program will be described in this symposium. Relevant programmatic data and perspectives from psychologists, psychiatrists, and pediatricians will be shared.

Location- Minneapolis Convention Center, Level One, Room 101F

9:00AM-
10:50AM

Session Type: Symposium 2.0

Session Title: Promoting Equitable Access to Care for Youth with Chronic Pain

Presenters: Katherine S. Salamon, Kathryn Birnie,

Session Description: Pervasive disparities exist in access to and delivery of evidence-based care for youth with chronic pain based on sociocultural factors. This symposium will provide actionable strategies to identify and reduce these disparities.

Location - Minneapolis Convention Center, Level One, Room 101A

11:00AM-
11:50AM

Session Type: Symposium 2.0

Session Title: Promoting Well-Being Among Families of Children with Medical Complexity: Challenges and Opportunities

Presenters: Kathryn A. Balistreri, Maura A. Brophy

Session Description: This session will increase pediatric psychologists' awareness of psychosocial needs among families of children with medical complexity (CMC), who represent an increasing proportion of the pediatric patient population.

Location - Minneapolis Convention Center, Level One, Room 101H

1:00PM-
2:50PM

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APA Convention Program
Friday, August 5th

CENTRAL
TIME ZONE

Session Type: Symposium 2.0

Session Title: Emotional Expression and Pain-based Assessment for Children with Developmental Disabilities (CE)

Presenters: Chantel Barney, Breanne Byiers

Session Description: Children with developmental disabilities are at a heightened risk of experiencing daily pain, yet their pain is often overlooked and misinterpreted. To address the well-being of these children, their emotions and pain must be appropriately assessed.

Location - Minneapolis Convention Center,
Level One, Room 101D

3:00PM-
3:50PM

4:00PM-
5:50PM

Session Type: Executive Committee/Board of
Directors Meeting

Location - Hyatt Regency Minneapolis,
Fourth Floor, Lake of the Isles Room



Division 54

APA Convention Program

Saturday, August 6th

CENTRAL
TIME ZONE

Session Type: Skill-Building

Session Title: Holding Grief: Facilitating Interdisciplinary Perinatal Conversations with High-Risk Populations

Presenters: Sarah Anais Mejia, Sara K. Romero

Session Description: IFMH psychologists embedded in acute settings will offer multiple case examples to facilitate interdisciplinary conversations that address grief and provide examples of how to hold space for grief and understanding from multiple perspectives.

Location - Minneapolis Convention Center,
Level Two, Room 200B

9:00AM-
10:50AM

Session Type: Business Meeting

Session Title: Business Meeting, Div. 54

Presenters: Laura Simons

Location - Minneapolis Convention Center,
Level One, Room 103C

11:00AM-
11:50AM

Session Type: Skill-Building

Session Title: Using the CHATS Framework to Facilitate Warm Handoffs in Integrated Pediatric Primary Care (CE)

Presenters: Kriston Schellinger, Juliana Gonzales

Session Description: In this skill building session, participants will learn strategies psychologists can use to promote effective warm handoffs in integrated pediatric primary care programs. Vignettes and live demonstrations will be used to engage participants.

Location - Minneapolis Convention Center,
Level One, Room 102D

1:00PM-
2:50PM

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Pediatric Psychology

is an integrated field of science and practice in which the principles of psychology are applied within the context of pediatric health.

The field aims to promote the health and development of children, adolescents, and their families through the use of evidence-based methods.

Founded in 1969, the field has broad interdisciplinary theoretical underpinnings and draws from clinical, developmental, social, cognitive, behavioral, counseling, community, and school psychology.

Areas of expertise:

- Psychosocial and education
- Developmental and contextual factors contributing to the etiology, course, and outcome of pediatric medical conditions
- Assessment and treatment of behavioral and emotional concomitants of illness, injury, and developmental disorders
- Prevention of illness and injury
- Promotion of health and health related behaviors
- Training and mentoring of psychologists and providers of medical care
- Improvement of health care delivery systems and advocacy for public policy that serves the needs of children, adolescents, and their families

Membership benefits:

- Subscription to the *Journal of Pediatric Psychology and Clinical Practice in Pediatric Psychology*
- Opportunities for members at the SPP Annual Conference: symposia, poster sessions, mentoring, networking, and continuing education credits
- Representation and advocacy for pediatric psychology
- Option to join SPP member listserv, with postings about job openings, discussion of clinical issues, and referral requests
- Option to join the SPP student listserv addressing training and early career issues
- Programming specific to pediatric psychology at the annual APA meeting
- SPP electronic newsletter, Progress Notes, published 6 times per year
- Opportunities to be involved and volunteer in SPP
- Various awards and grants for students and psychologists at all career stages
- Opportunities to participate in various Special Interest Groups
- Participation in the SPP mentoring program – as mentee or mentor
- Access to online member directory and option to be listed in this directory

For more information on Division 54's activities and programs or to join, visit:

www.pedpsych.org