

EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES FOR PSYCHIATRY & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

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ORGANIZATIONS

American Association of Directors of Residency Training

<http://www.aadprt.org/>

AADPRT is a national organization of approximately 425 psychiatrists dedicated to psychiatry residency training. To better meet the nation's mental healthcare needs, the mission of the AADPRT is to promote excellence in the education and training of future psychiatrists.

Association for Academic Psychiatry

<http://www.hsc.wvu.edu/aap/home.htm>

The Association for Academic Psychiatry focuses on education in psychiatry at every level from the beginning of medical school through lifelong learning for psychiatrists and other physicians. It seeks to help psychiatrists who are interested in careers in academic psychiatry develop the skills and knowledge in teaching, research and career development that they must have to succeed. The Association provides a forum for members to exchange ideas on teaching techniques, curriculum, and other issues and to work together to solve problems.

American Psychiatric Association

<http://www.psych.org/>

The American Psychiatric Association is the nation's oldest national medical specialty society with more than 35,000 physician members. Their "Education" page provides links to CME in Psychiatry plus additional educational resources.

American College of Psychiatrists

<http://www.acpsych.org/>

The American College of Psychiatrists is a non-profit honorary association of psychiatrists who, through excellence in their chosen fields, have been recognized for their significant contributions to the profession.

American Psychological Association

<http://www.apa.org>

The American Psychological Association is a scientific and professional organization that represents psychology in the U.S. With more than 150,000 members, APA is the largest association of psychologists worldwide.

Association for Medical Education and Research in Substance Abuse

<http://www.amersa.org>

AMERSA is a multidisciplinary organization of health care professionals dedicated to improving education in the care of individuals with substance abuse problems.

Centre for Evidence-Based Mental Health (U.K.)

<http://cebmh.com/>

The Centre for Evidence-Based Mental Health's goals are to promote and support the teaching and practice of evidence based mental health care. The Centre is supported by the Department of Psychiatry at the University of Oxford, U.K.

National electronic Library for Mental Health (U.K.)

<http://www.nelmh.org/>

This specialist library sits within the National electronic Library for Health and aims to provide access to the best available evidence to answer mental health questions. The NeLMH is supported by the Centre for Evidence-Based Mental Health, the Department of Psychiatry at the University of Oxford, the Royal College of Psychiatrists, and the World Health Organization Collaborating Centre.

ONLINE DATABASES

PsycINFO

<http://www.apa.org/psycinfo/>

PsycINFO is an abstract (not full-text) database of psychological literature from the 1800s to the present. An essential tool for researchers, PsycINFO combines a wealth of content with precise indexing so you can get just what you need easily. Search a free demo of [PsycINFO Direct](#) to see what PsycINFO can do for you.

JOURNALS

Academic Psychiatry and Focus are exclusively educational journals. Although education is not the main focus of these journals, they all contain articles on psychiatric education.

Academic Psychiatry

<http://ap.psychiatryonline.org/>

American Journal of Psychiatry

<http://ajp.psychiatryonline.org/>

Archives of General Psychiatry

<http://archpsyc.ama-assn.org/>

Focus: The Journal of Life-Long Learning (APA)

<http://focus.psychiatryonline.org/misc/about.shtml>

Harvard Review of Psychiatry

<http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals/titles/10673229.asp>

British Journal of Psychiatry
<http://bjp.rcpsych.org/>

Canadian Journal of Psychiatry
<http://www.cpa-apc.org/Publications/cjpHome.asp>

ARTICLES

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