

Elisha R. Agee, Psy.D.

CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

- Doctor of Psychology, Clinical Psychology** July 2015
Pepperdine University, Graduate School of Education & Psychology, Los Angeles, CA
- Master of Arts, Clinical Psychology, *Emphasis: Marriage & Family Therapy*** April 2011
Pepperdine University, Graduate School of Education & Psychology, Malibu, CA
- Bachelor of Science, Psychology, *Emphasis: Clinical Psychology*** June 2007
University of California, San Diego (UCSD), La Jolla, CA

QUALIFICATIONS TO PRACTICE

- Licensed Clinical Psychologist, Virginia* August 2016 – Present
Licensed Clinical Psychologist, West Virginia November 2018 – Present

- Authority to Practice Interjurisdictional Telepsychology (APIT)*
Temporary Authorization to Practice (TAP)
Granted by the PSYPACT Commission April 2022 – Present

PSYPACT is an interstate compact designed to allow licensed psychologists to practice telepsychology and conduct temporary in-person face-to-face practice of psychology across state boundaries legally and ethically without necessitating that an individual become licensed in every state to practice. Psychologists with APIT or TAP authorization can currently practice in 28 states in the United States.

CURRENT POSITION & CONTACT INFORMATION

- Assistant Professor of Psychiatry & Neurobehavioral Sciences¹** August 2017 – Present
Institute of Law, Psychiatry, & Public Policy
University of Virginia School of Medicine, Charlottesville, Virginia
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- Perform adult and juvenile forensic mental health evaluations addressing issues such as:
 - Sanity or mental state at time of offense (i.e., criminal responsibility)
 - Adjudicative competence
 - Violence risk assessment
 - Sex offender risk assessment
 - Pre-sentencing evaluations
 - Pre-employment suitability and fitness-for-duty for police, fire, emergency communications, and armed public safety
 - Civil court matters: parenting capacity, immigration proceedings (i.e., competency, asylum)
- Lecture and provide consultation at UVA-ILPPP sponsored state trainings (e.g., *Assessing Risk for Violence in Clinical Practice* and *Assessing Individuals Charged with Sexual Crimes*) for psychologists, psychiatrists, attorneys, and other trainees.
- Guest lecture at universities and for UVA law school, graduate classes, and psychiatry residency.
- Supervise psychology postdoctoral fellows, psychiatry fellows and residents, and graduate students.
- Conduct research on various topics related to psychology and the legal system (most recent area of study focuses on law enforcement interactions and use of force with those with mental illness).

¹ Transitioned from Staff Forensic Psychologist to Assistant Professor in August 2021. Job title was Staff Forensic Psychologist from August 2017 to August 2021. All job duties and responsibilities remained the same.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP

University of Virginia Medical Center

Forensic Psychology Postdoctoral Fellow

July 2015 – July 2017

Institute of Law, Psychiatry, & Public Policy, Charlottesville, Virginia

Western State Hospital, Staunton, Virginia

- Conducted inpatient and outpatient forensic mental health evaluations for adults and juveniles addressing legal sanity, adjudicative and immigration court competence, waiver of rights, violence risk, threat assessment, sex offender risk assessment, capital mitigation, presentencing, and police and emergency communications (i.e., dispatch) pre-employment.
- Participated in UVA-ILPPP sponsored state trainings, including: *Basic Forensic Evaluation: Principles and Practice*, *Evaluating Individuals Found Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity*, *Assessing Risk for Violence in Clinical Practice*, *Sex Offender Evaluation*, *Sexually Violent Predator Evaluations in Virginia*, *Static-99R Training*, *Juvenile Forensic Evaluation*, *PTSD: Evidence-based Assessment and Treatment*, and *Capital Case Evaluation*.

PUBLICATIONS

- Zelle, H., Kelley, S. M., Agee, E. R. (in press). Police interactions with persons with mental illness. In R. Roesch (Ed.) *Routledge Encyclopedia of Psychology in the Real World: Vol. Psychology and law*. Routledge.
- Warren, J.I., Jackson, S.L., Agee, E.R., Millsbaugh, S.B., Alam, M.F. (2022). Personality disorders among incarcerated adult and adolescent women. In S.L. Brown & L. Gelsthorpe (Eds.). *The Wiley Handbook on What Works with Girls and Women in Conflict with the Law: A Critical Review of Theory, Practice, and Policy*. Wiley Publishing.
- Zelle, H., Kelley, S., Agee, E.R., & Seibert, W.L. (2021). Police use of force standards and mental health crises in the United States: Identifying research and policymaking. *International Journal of Law and Psychiatry*, 80. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijlp.2021.101750>
- Subotnik, K., Ventura, J., Hellemann, G.S., Zito, M.F., Agee, E.R., Nuechterlein, K.H. (2020). Relationship of poor insight to neurocognition, social cognition, and psychiatric symptoms in schizophrenia: A meta-analysis. *Schizophrenia Research*, 1-8. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.schres.2020.03.038>
- Agee, E.R., Zelle, H., Kelley, S., Moore, S.J. (2020). Marshaling administrative data to study the prevalence of mental illness in assault on law enforcement cases. *Behavioral Sciences & the Law*, 37(6), 636-649. doi:10.1002/bsl/2437
- Murrie, D.C., & Agee, E.R. (2018). Violence risk assessment. In L. Gold & R. Frierson (Eds.), *The Textbook of Forensic Psychiatry: Third Edition (pp.421-436)*. American Psychiatric Publishing.
- Briere, J., Agee, E., & Dietrich, A. (2016). Cumulative trauma and current posttraumatic stress disorder in general population and inmate samples. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*, 8(4), 439 - 446. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/tra0000107>
- Agee, E., Spezze, J., Underwood, J. (2014). Parent education model for child and adolescent onset psychosis. *Graduate Student Journal of Psychology*, 15, 31 - 46.
- Subotnik, K., Ventura, J., Gretchen-Doorly, D.R., Helleman, G.S., Agee, E.R., Casaus, L.R., Luo, J.S., Villa, K.F., Nuechterlein, K.H. (2014). The impact of second-generation antipsychotic adherence on

positive and negative symptoms in recent-onset schizophrenia. *Schizophrenia Research*, 159, 95 - 100. doi: 10.1016/j.schres.2014.07.008

Subotnik, K.L., Nuechterlein, K.H., Ventura, J., Gretchen-Doorly, D., Hellemann, G.S., **Agee, E.** (2013). *Temporal sequencing of negative symptoms and medication nonadherence during the early course of schizophrenia*. [internal report to Genentech, Inc., South San Francisco, CA 94080]

PRESENTATIONS at NATIONAL, PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCES

Zelle, H., **Agee, E.R.**, Kelley, S. (2020, March). *Mental illness and assault on law enforcement charges: Disparities in criminal justice outcomes*. Paper presented at the annual conference of the American Psychology-Law Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Agee, E.R., Zelle, H., Kelley, S. (2019, March). *Law enforcement, use of force, & mental illness: Clinical examples and recent findings*. In H. Zelle (Chair), Concerning Trends in Law Enforcement Interactions with Individuals with Mental Illness. Symposium presented at the annual conference of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.

Zelle, H., Kelley, S. **Agee, E.R.** (2019, March). *Law enforcement, use of force, & mental illness: A review of jurisprudence and relevant standards*. In H. Zelle (Chair), Concerning Trends in Law Enforcement Interactions with Individuals with Mental Illness. Symposium presented at the annual conference of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.

Kelley, S., **Agee, E.R.**, Zelle, H., (2019, March). *Law enforcement, use of force, & mental illness: Clinical work, research, & policy recommendations*. In H. Zelle (Chair), Concerning Trends in Law Enforcement Interactions with Individuals with Mental Illness. Symposium presented at the annual conference of the American Psychology-Law Society, Portland, Oregon.

Murrie, D.C., Gardner, B.O., Torres, A.N., & **Agee, E.R.** (2018, March). *Insanity findings and evaluation practices: A state-wide review of court-ordered reports*. In D.C. Murrie (Chair), Competence and Sanity Evaluations in Wide-Scale Practice: Results from the Virginia Forensic Evaluation Oversight System. Symposium presented at the annual conference of the American Psychology-Law Society, Memphis, Tennessee.

Gardner, B.O., Murrie, D.C., Torres, A.N., & **Agee, E.R.** (2018, March). *Competency to stand trial evaluation practices: A state-wide review of court-ordered reports*. In D.C. Murrie (Chair), Competence and Sanity Evaluations in Wide-Scale Practice: Results from the Virginia Forensic Evaluation Oversight System. Symposium presented at the annual conference of the American Psychology-Law Society, Memphis, Tennessee.

Murrie, D.C., & **Agee, E.R.** (2018, March). *Pursuing a forensic psychology postdoc: Suggestions for postdoc selection and the postdoc year*. In N. Gowensmith (Chair), The Ins and Outs of Forensic Postdoctoral Fellowships and Training Considerations. Symposium presented at the annual conference of the American Psychology-Law Society, Memphis, Tennessee.

Agee, E.R., Kelley, S., Zelle, H. (2017, March). *Sovereign citizens & trial competence: Delusional or (sub)culturally normative?* Paper presented at the annual conference of the American Psychology-Law Society, Seattle, WA, March 18, 2017.

Subotnik, K.L., Ventura, J., Gretchen-Doorly, D., Hellemann, G.S., **Agee, E.R.**, Casaus, L.R., Luo, J.S., Villa, K.F., Nuechterlein, K.H. (2013). *Positive and negative symptom correlates of second-generation antipsychotic adherence in recent-onset schizophrenia*. Poster presented at the fifty-

second Annual Meeting of the American College of Neuropsychopharmacology, Hollywood, FL, December 11, 2013.

Agee, E.R., Otte, K.A., Woo, S.M. (2013). *Increasing Clinicians' Awareness of 'Use of Force' Issues in Forensic/Inpatient Mental Health*. Poster presented at the one hundred twenty-first Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Honolulu, HI, August 3, 2013.

Agee, E.R., Spezze, J.D., Underwood, J.J., Romero, E., Harrell, S.P., Mitchell, C. (2012). *God and Skid Row: Clinical Implications of Integrating Mental Health Services and Spirituality/Religion*. Poster presented at the one hundred twentieth Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Orlando, FL, August 4, 2012.

LECTURES, TRAINING, & CONTINUING EDUCATION provided to professional groups

Zelle, H., **Agee, E.R.,** & Kelley, S. (2022, June 14). *Mental illness and assault on law enforcement charges: prevalence estimates related to HB 613 and SB 453*. Presentation to Virginia Behavioral Health Commission, Richmond, VA.

Agee, E.R. (2022, May 10). *Sexual Offending: Overview of Risk Assessment & Treatment*. Guest lecturer for Fourth Year Psychiatry Residents' Advanced Didactics, University of Virginia School of Medicine, Charlottesville, VA.

Agee, E.R. (2022, March 12). *Forensic Psychology*. Guest lecturer for Psychological Assessment (PSYC 7440), University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA.

Agee, E.R. (2020, May). *Sexual Offending: Overview of Risk Assessment & Treatment*. Guest lecturer for Fourth Year Psychiatry Residents' Advanced Didactics, University of Virginia School of Medicine, Charlottesville, VA.

Agee, E.R. & Torres, A.N. (2018). *ILPPP Training for DBHDS Forensic Coordinators & Clinicians: Historical-Clinical-Risk Management-20, Version 3 (HCR-20 V.3)*. Faculty (i.e., developed and presented training curriculum) for the Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS) Violence Risk Assessment Training at the Institute of Law, Psychiatry and Public Policy, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, June 8, 2018.

Agee, E.R. (2018). *First Episode Psychosis: Recognition, Evidence-Based Treatment, and Outcomes*. Guest lecturer for Mental Health, Law, & Policy (PHS 5052), University of Virginia Department of Public Health Sciences, Charlottesville, VA, April 6, 2018.

Agee, E.R. (2018). *Forensic Mental Health Assessment*. Guest Lecturer for Forensic Psychology (PSYC 415), James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA, February 20, 2018.

Agee, E.R. (2017). *Treating the untreatable: The impact of atypical antipsychotic medication on negative symptoms of schizophrenia*. Invited speaker for the 2017 Psychiatry and Neurobehavioral Sciences Research Day, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, May 11, 2017.

Agee, E.R. (2017). *Forensic Psychology*. Guest lecturer for Psychological Assessment (PSYC 7440), University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, April 10, 2017.

Agee, E.R. (2017). *Sovereign Citizens: Distinguishing Delusional from (Sub)Culturally Normative Beliefs*. Lecturer for Western State Hospital Grand Rounds, Staunton, VA, April 5, 2017.

Agee, E.R. (2017). *Mental Health Professionals as Expert Witnesses*. Guest lecturer for Mental Health Law (LAW 7066), University of Virginia School of Law, Charlottesville, VA, January 30, 2017.

- Agee, E.R.** (2017). *Sovereign Citizens: The intersection of bizarre beliefs and the legal system*. Guest lecturer for Criminal Minds: The Science of Forensic Psychology (PSYC 4559), University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, January 9, 2017.
- Agee, E.R.** (2016). *ILPPP Risk Assessment Training: Historical-Clinical-Risk Management-20, Version 3 (HCR-20 V.3)*. Faculty (i.e., prepared and presented training curriculum) for the Virginia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS) Violence Risk Assessment Training at the Institute of Law, Psychiatry and Public Policy, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, November 30, 2016.
- Agee, E.R.** (2016). *Forensic Psychology*. Guest lecturer for Psychological Assessment (PSYC 7440), University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, April 18, 2016.
- Agee, E.R.** (2016). *Projective Personality Assessment*. Guest lecturer for Tests and Measurement (PSYC 427), James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA, April 5, 2016.
- Grus, C., Falender, C., **Agee, E.R.** (2016). *Clinical Supervision in Health Service Psychology: Applications of the APA Guidelines*.
- Subotnik, K.L., Nuechterlein, K.H., Ventura, J., Gretchen-Doorly, D., Hellemann, G.S., **Agee, E.R.** (2013). *Temporal sequencing of negative symptoms and medication nonadherence during the early course of schizophrenia*. Presented at Genentech, San Francisco, CA, September 16, 2013.
- Agee, E.R.**, Louie, B., Saiz, A. (2012). *When Your Child Has Autism*. Presented at the foster and kinship care program of the Los Angeles Mission College, Los Angeles, CA, April 21, 2012.
- Agee, E.R.** (2012). *Workshop on Scoring the Marital Status Inventory-Revised (MSI-R)*. Guest lecturer for Assessment for Marriage & Family Therapists (PSY 603), Pepperdine University, Malibu, CA, February 14, 2012.

PRIOR CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Saint Elizabeths Hospital, Washington, District of Columbia

Predoctoral Psychology Intern

July 2014 – June 2015

- Forensic Consult Service: trial competence evaluations, consultant for civil commitment hearings.
- Psychological assessments evaluating risk of future violence, malingering, cognitive functioning and diagnostic clarification.
- Member of interdisciplinary treatment team for a unit housing men acquitted Not Guilty by Reason of Insanity and a pre-trial unit housing men deemed incompetent to proceed with current legal charges.
- Provided trial competence restoration services, individual psychotherapy, and group psychotherapy.

Patton State Hospital, Patton, CA

Psychology Assessment Clerk

September 2013 – June 2014

- Psychological assessments (psychodiagnostic, neuropsychological, integrated) addressing various referral questions (e.g., adjudicative competence, malingering, diagnostic clarification).
- Co-facilitated group therapy for male and female sex offenders in the Sexual Offender Commitment Program (SOCP) by implementing the Good Lives Model/Self-Regulation Model.

Pepperdine Educational & Psychological Counseling Clinic, West Los Angeles, CA

Psychology Practicum Extern

February 2013 – June 2014

- Conducted clinical intake assessments.

- Provided weekly individual and couples psychotherapy.

Los Angeles County + University of Southern California Medical Center (LAC+USC), Los Angeles, CA
Clinical Psychology Clerk September 2012 – September 2013

- Facilitated group therapy, intake interviews, and individual crisis consultations.
- Psychodiagnostic and neuropsychological assessments for diagnostic clarification, discharge planning, and medication modifications.

University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), Aftercare Research Program, Los Angeles, CA
Psychology Extern September 2012 – June 2013

- Co-facilitated psychoeducational group titled Tools for Successful Living (TSL).
- Co-developed group therapy treatment manual for individuals with schizophrenia

Union Rescue Mission – Conrad Hilton Foundation, Los Angeles, CA
Psychology Extern/Fellow September 2011 – August 2013

- Provided individual and group therapy, and completed intake assessments for homeless shelter residents presenting with substance dependence and severe psychopathology.
- Co-founded and co-facilitated psychoeducational support group for individuals with comorbid chronic medical conditions, substance dependence, and mental illness.

Sports Concussion Institute, Los Angeles, CA
Psychology Extern June 2012 – August 2012

- Administered baseline neuropsychological assessments to athletes in order to measure potential damage should traumatic brain injury occur during athletic season.
- Assisted with cognitive rehabilitation for individuals with traumatic brain injury.

Brotman Medical Center, Culver City, CA
Marriage & Family Therapist Practicum Trainee January 2010 – May 2011

- Provided individual and group therapy to individuals with severe and chronic serious mental illness.
- Completed patient treatment plans and psychosocial assessments.

San Diego Center for Children Learning Academy, San Diego, CA
Interim Special Education Teacher May 2009 – July 2009

- Taught multiple-subject fifth and sixth grade combination special education class for children with severe emotional, developmental, and behavioral disabilities.
- Co-developed Individualized Education Plans (IEP) and created lesson plans.

San Diego Center for Children, San Diego, CA
Child Development Counselor July 2007 – May 2009

- Led small groups and worked individually with clients to facilitate adaptive coping, social skills, and anger management.
- Implemented treatment plans and tracked client progress, applied behavior modification interventions (verbal and manual restraints) with unsafe clients to ensure their well-being and the safety of others.

San Diego Center for Children, San Diego, CA
Medication Technician December 2007 – May 2009

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- Prepared and administered prescribed medications (i.e., antipsychotics, mood stabilizers, antidepressants) to residents (98% of the residents were prescribed medication).
 - Assessed the psychological state, behaviors, and vitals of clients in physical restraints to determine necessity of Psychiatric Emergency Team (PET) to transport clients to the hospital.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Principal Investigator on “Virginia Mental Health Custody and Commitment and its Relationship to Criminal Charging”; protocol: 3007; active since 10/1/2019

Dissertation, *Pepperdine University and University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)*

“The relationship between second-generation antipsychotic medication adherence and negative symptoms in first-episode schizophrenia” Proposed October 2013, defended April 2015

Los Angeles County + University of Southern California Medical Center (LAC+USC), Los Angeles, CA
Research Assistant June 2013 – March 2015

- Assisted with revision of *Principles of Trauma Therapy: A Guide to Symptoms, Evaluation, and Treatment* to accommodate DSM-5 revisions for publication of the third edition of the text.
- Reviewed and analyzed dataset regarding the effects of multiple types of trauma on the etiology of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD).

University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), Aftercare Research Program, Los Angeles, CA
Research Assistant June 2012 – April 2015

- Analyzed data on medication adherence and negative symptoms in first episode psychosis.
- Compiled data for meta-analysis on social cognition, neurocognition, and insight in schizophrenia.

Pepperdine University, Malibu, CA
Research Assistant January 2012 – June 2014

- Assisted in preparing new edition/revision of a textbook for advanced psychopathology and treatment
- Conducted literature searches to aid in revisions of book chapters to update to DSM-5 criteria.

University of California, San Diego (UCSD), Operant Laboratory, La Jolla, CA
Research Assistant September 2006 – June 2007

- Administered and proctored psychology experiments such as Prisoner’s Dilemma and other decision making, token-economy exercises, with experiment conditions frequently changing.

University of California, San Diego (UCSD), Autism Laboratory, La Jolla, CA
Research Assistant April 2005 – September 2006

- Worked under a NIMH grant to improve speech and language development of children with autism.
- Worked one on one with children with severe autism in home sessions, utilizing Pivotal Response Therapy, Picture Exchange Communication System, and Discrete Trial Training therapy models.

ADVISORY EXPERIENCE

Virginia DBHDS Forensic Evaluation Oversight Review Panel, appointed July 1, 2017 – Present
Proposal Reviewer for National, Peer-Reviewed Conferences (American Psychology-Law Society, American Psychological Association)

Ad Hoc Reviewer for Journal Manuscripts (*Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*; *International Journal of Forensic Mental Health*)