

Curriculum Vitae
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Licensed Psychologist, #PY1965 (Washington), #PY6219 (Florida)
Certified Psychologist (CPQ #3258), Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards
Certified Sex Offense Treatment Provider (Washington State SOTP #FC112)
Polygraph Examiner / Certified in Post-conviction Sex Offender Testing (PCSOT)
Certified Evaluator for Department of Corrections, Division of Developmental Disabilities, Department of Social and Health Services
Certified Parenting Evaluator, University of Washington Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences
Listed in the National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology, #49892
Clinical Assistant Professor (courtesy staff/consultant to Fetal Alcohol and Drug Unit), Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine, University of Washington

Forensic Specialties

- **FETAL ALCOHOL SPECTRUM DISORDERS (FASD) and other DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES**
- **SEX OFFENDER EVALUATION & RISK ASSESSMENT**
- **PARENTING EVALUATION and PSYCHOLOGICAL EVALUATION**

Education and Training

Certificate, Post-conviction Sex Offender Polygraph, 2004
Certificate, International School of Polygraph, Fort Lauderdale, FL, 2003
Certificate, Sex Offense Treatment Provider (SOTP), 1995
Post-Doctoral Training, Fetal Alcohol and Drug Unit, Univ. of Washington, 1995
Certified Parenting Evaluator, University of Washington, 1995
Ph.D., Clinical Psychology, University of Washington, 1994
M.H.A., Health Care Administration, University of Washington, 1979
M.L.S., Library and Information Sciences, University of Washington, 1975
B.A., Sociology (Psychology minor), UCLA, 1968

Clinical Experience

- 2007 – present **Program Director / Chief Psychologist: FASD Experts**
- Pre/post-conviction case review, assessment, consultation, and testimony re Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (FASD)
- 1994 – present **Clinical and Forensic Psychologist / Expert Witness**
- Adult and juvenile sex offense and risk assessment evaluation**
(criminal state and federal prosecution; civil commitment cases under Sexually Violent Predator law]
- Adult, adolescent, and child psychological evaluation**
(competency, dependency, FASD, developmental delay, Asperger Syndrome, Shaken Baby Syndrome, abuse and neglect allegations)
- Parenting evaluation** (court-appointed and stipulated cases involving such issues as physical and sexual abuse allegations, neglect, parental alienation, and relocation)
- Private therapy practice, 1994-2000, 2004-present** (adult and adolescent therapy involving multiple issues, including sexual offending and SVP, developmental delay, and FASD)
- 2005 – present **Clinical Assistant Professor**, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, University of Washington, Seattle
- Assessment of recidivists referred by King County Mental Health Court and King County Drug Court to screen for FASD/organic brain impairment (Fetal Alcohol and Drug Unit)
- 1994 - 1995 **Psychologist, Postdoctoral / Faculty Appointment**, Fetal Alcohol and Drug Unit (Dr. Ann Streissguth), University of Washington
- Evaluation/treatment of FAS/FAE patients with sex offense issues; research on Secondary Disabilities related to FAS/FAE in Washington State Prison system
- 1992 - 1994 **Pre-doctoral Internships**, University of Washington

- Specialized training and certification in forensic evaluation and expert testimony
- Specialized training in pain management, Pain Clinic, University of Washington
- Specialized training in individual psychotherapy, Group Health Cooperative, Seattle
- Specialized training in rehabilitation therapy (including traumatic brain injury), University Hospital, University of Washington

Pre-Doctoral Work Experience

1979 – 1989 Hospital / Clinic Administrator

1975 – 1979 Hospital Medical Librarian

Research

- 2005 – present Clinical Assistant Professor (courtesy appointment), Fetal Alcohol and Drug Abuse Unit, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Medicine, University of Washington
- Consultation involves FASD research, training, assessment of individuals referred by King County Mental Health and Drug Courts.
- 1994 - 1995 Postdoctoral Fellow: Fetal Alcohol Unit, University of Washington.
- Developed and conducted FAS research project in Washington State prison system (men's and women's correctional facilities at Shelton and Purdy).
- 1991 - 1994 Dissertation: Relation between Psychological Correlates of Alcoholism Risk and Stress-Response Dampening Across the Blood Alcohol Curve
- 1991 - 1993 Research Coordinator: Prediction of High Risk Drinking

1990 - 1992 Research Coordinator: Alcohol and Social Influence

1989 - 1991 Research Coordinator: Self-Esteem in Young Adults

Publications

Brown, NN, Adler, RS, & Connor, PD (in press). Conduct-disordered adolescents with fetal alcohol spectrum disorder: Intervention in secure treatment settings. *Criminal Justice and Behavior*.

Brown, NN, Gudjonsson, G., & Connor, P. (2011). Suggestibility and Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (FASD): I'll Tell You Anything You Want to Hear. *Journal of Psychiatry and Law*, 39, 39-71.

Brown, NN, Wartnik, AP, & Connor, PD, & Adler, RS (2011). A proposed model standard for forensic assessment of FASD. *Journal of Psychiatry and Law*, 38, 383-418.

Brown, NN (Spring 2011). Evidence-based interventions in children with Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders. *Paradigm*, 16, 12-17.

Brown, NN, O'Malley, K, & Streissguth, AP (2011). FASD: Diagnostic dilemmas and challenges for a modern transgenerational management approach. In S Aduvato & D Cohen (Eds.), *Prenatal Alcohol Use and Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders: Diagnosis, Assessment, and New Directions in Research and Multimodal Treatment*. Bentham Online Publishing.

Brown, NN (June 2008). FASD Experts: Multidisciplinary Forensic Assessment for a Multidimensional Condition. *Iceberg*, 18.

Brown, NN (2007). ADHD and FASD: Comorbidity and Its Effect on Sexual Behavior Problems. In K O'Malley (Ed.), *ADHD and FASD: Diagnosis, natural history, and therapeutic issues across the lifespan*. Hauppauge, NY: Nova Pub.

Novick (Brown), NJ (1998). FAS: Preventing and treating sexual deviancy. In AP Streissguth & J Kanter (Eds.), *The challenge of fetal alcohol syndrome: Overcoming secondary disabilities*. Seattle: University of Washington Press.

Novick (Brown), NJ (1996). *Sexual victimization and inappropriate sexual behavior in children: Recommendations for evaluation and treatment*. Proceedings of 1996 International Conference on Fetal Alcohol Syndrome, Seattle, Washington.

Novick (Brown), NJ, & Streissguth, AP (1995). Identifying clients with possible fetal alcohol syndrome: Fetal alcohol effects in the treatment setting. *Treatment Today*, 7(3), 14-15.

Novick (Brown), NJ, & Streissguth, AP (1995). Some thoughts on the treatment of adults and adolescents impaired by fetal alcohol exposure. *Treatment Today*, 7(4), 20-21.

Novick (Brown), NJ, Cauce, AM, & Grove, K. Competence self-concept. In B.A. Bracken (Ed.), *Handbook of self-concept*. New York: Wiley.

Novick (Brown), NJ, & Brown, JD (1992). *The influence of self-esteem on response to mood*. Paper presented, 100th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C., August, 1992.

Brown, JD, Novick (Brown), NJ, Lord, KA, & Richards, JM (1992). When Gulliver travels: Social context, psychological relatedness, and self-appraisals. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 62, 717-727.

Norris, J, Novick (Brown), NJ, Kerr, KL (1992). *Alcohol and violent pornography: Impact of social influence on sexual arousal*. Poster presented at the Research Society on Alcoholism Meeting, San Diego, California, June, 1992.

Brown, JD, & Novick (Brown), N (1991). *Social context, psychological relatedness, and self-appraisals*. Paper presented at the 99th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, San Francisco.

Invited Presentations, Workshops, and Trainings

11/18/11 Assessing and Understand Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders in Capital Clients. Virginia Bar Assoc., 19th Annual Capital Defense Workshop, Richmond, VA

10/07/11 FASD and the Criminal Justice System. Seattle City Attorney's Office and University of Washington, Seattle, WA

09/21/11 FASD: Preventing and Treating Sexual Deviancy. Indian Health Service FASD Training, Seattle, WA

- 07/09/11 FASD and Competency. Capital Mitigation – Beyond Atkins, Center for American and International Law; Houston, TX
- 06/23/11 FASD in the Courtroom. Ninth Annual Statewide Conference, Arizona Public Defenders Association; Tempe, AZ
- 05/20/11 FASD and Intellectual Disability/Mental Retardation. Metropolitan Public Defender, Oregon Capital Resource Center, Oregon Criminal Defense Lawyers Association; Portland, OR
- 03/11/11 Forensic Aspects of Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders. Sponsored by Pathways Counseling Center, MOFAS, Minnesota DOC, MN Community Corrections Association, & American Institute for the Advancement of Forensic Studies; St. Paul, MN
- 10/27/10 FASD: Its Relevance Throughout the Legal Process from Competency to Stand Trial to Clemency. 2010 Appellate Judicial Attorneys Institute, Burlingame, CA
- 10/02/10 Forensic Assessment of FASD in the Habeas Context. Federal Defenders Annual Death Penalty Conference, Boise, ID
- 07/16/10 Team Approach to Litigating FASD (plenary). Center for American and International Law, Plano, TX
- 07/10/10 Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder in the Courtroom: The 20th Anniversary of Dr. Ann Streissguth (plenary + break-out). NAACP LDF, Airlie, VA
- 04/22/10 Forensic Assessment of FASD with State-of-the-Art Facial Analysis, Diffusion Tensor Imaging and MRIs. 7th National Seminar on the Development and Integration of Mitigation Evidence (plenary). American Bar Association, Seattle, WA
- 04/17/10 Suggestibility in FASD: Forensic Assessment and Implications. 4th International Conference on Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- 03/31/10 Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder and Justice. Alcohol Healthwatch, Parnell, New Zealand. (Abbreviated presentations also provided on 4-1-10 to New Zealand Ministry of Health and Ministry of Justice.)

- 02/25/10 Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder (FASD). Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association, Austin, TX
- 02/12/10 FASD and Justice: A Multidisciplinary Assessment Model for Adults and Adolescents. CACJ/CPDA Capital Defense Seminar, Monterey, CA.
- 02/06/10 Fetal Alcohol Syndrome: Practical Tools. 3rd Interdisciplinary Program: UW School of Law & Washington Death Penalty Assistance Center, Seattle, WA.
- 03/11/09 FASD in the Legal System: A Multidisciplinary Assessment Model for Adults and Adolescents. 3rd International Conference on Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder, Victoria, BC.
- 11/18/08 Screening for FASD in Family Practice. Family Practitioners, University of Washington/Swedish Hospital, Family Practice Medical Residents In-service.
- 10/25/08 Sex Offender Commitment Defense Association (SOCDA), Atlanta, GA
Cross-Examination of Adverse Expert Witnesses in SVP Commitment Trials
- 05/30/08 Fetal Alcohol Syndrome and Fetal Alcohol Effect: Identifying Clients and Understanding Consequences. Fifth National Seminar on the Development and Integration of Mitigation Evidence, Habeas Assistance & Training Counsel Project, Baltimore, MD
- 11/03/07 Direct and Cross Examination of Experts in SVP Cases. Sex Offender Commitment Defense Association (SOCDA), San Diego, CA
- 08/18/07 Fetal Alcohol Syndrome / Fetal Alcohol Effects. 12th Annual Federal Habeas Corpus Seminar, Nashville, TN
- 05/23/07 Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders: History, Diagnosis, and Mitigation Issues. Capital Federal Public Defender Unit (capital habeas and trial attorneys, Federal District of Nevada)
- 04/14/07 What Attorneys and Policy Makers Need to Know About FAS and FASD. American Bar Association/Harvard Law School National Conference on Children and the Law, Cambridge, MA

- 02/18/07 Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (FASD). California Attorneys for Criminal Justice/California Public Defender Association (CACJ/CPDA) Annual Death Penalty Conference, Monterey, CA
- 06/30/06 Sexually Violent Predator Evaluation, Risk Assessment, and Testimony. Florida Public Defenders Sexually Violent Predator Conference, Orlando, FL
- 04/19/06 Screening Protocol for Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (FASD). King County Mental Health / Drug Courts, Seattle, WA
- 02/26/05 FASD: Problems of Witness Suggestibility and False Confessions. International FASD Conference, Victoria, British Columbia, Canada

Professional Memberships

- 1990 – present American Psychological Association (APA)
- 2008 – present American Society-Law Society (APA)
- 2005 – present Association for the Treatment of Sex Abusers (ATSA)
- 2004 – present Association of Family & Conciliatory Courts (AFCC – National and Washington State)
- 2000 – present American College of Forensic Examiners, Diplomate
- 2001 – 2003 Jacksonville Youth Authority Advisory Board
- 1996 – 2000 Chairman, Social Issues Committee, Washington State Psychological Association
- 1994 – 2000 Washington State Psychological Association, Board of Directors