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CLINICAL FOCUS

- Clinical Psychology

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Clinical Assistant Professor, Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences

BOARDS, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

- Chair, Mentorship Committee, American Psychological Association, Division 12.2; Society of Clinical Geropsychology (2020 - 2025)
- Member, APA Guidelines for Psychological Practice with Older Adults Working Group, American Psychological Association (2021 - 2024)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Fellowship: VA Palo Alto Health Care Psychology Training (2021) CA
- Internship: VA Palo Alto Health Care Psychology Training (2020) CA
- PhD Training: Yeshiva University Ferkauf Graduate School of Psychology (2020) NY

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **OPTIMIZING THE DESIGN AND MEASUREMENT OF A MULTI-MODULE GROUP INTERVENTION TO IMPROVE WELL-BEING IN OLDER ADULTS**

Yenko, I., Lin, F., Gould, C., Pate, R., Makowski, M., Li, O., Silva, V., Gallagher-Thompson, D., Cassidy-Eagle, E.
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- **VALUES AND PRIORITIES OF OLDER ADULTS: CREATING COLLABORATIVE GOALS IN PSYCHIATRIC CARE**

Pate, R., Gould, C., Yenke, I., Makowski, M., Li, O., Silva, V., Lin, F., Gallagher-Thompson, D., Cassidy-Eagle, E.
ELSEVIER SCIENCE INC.2025: S10-s11

- **Approaching work with the older patient** *Tuning In: The Art and Science of Psychotherapy with Older Adults*

Yenko, I.
edited by Cassidy-Eagle, E., Dunn, L.

American Psychological Association.2025; 1

- **INCLUSIVE MENTORSHIP IN GEROPSYCHOLOGY: CULTIVATING SAFETY, TRUST, HUMILITY, AUTHENTICITY, AND COMMUNICATION**

Yenko, I., Ma, F., Blanken, A., Son, C., Chin, L.

OXFORD UNIV PRESS.2024: 100

PRESENTATIONS

- Optimizing the Design and Measurement of a Multi-Module Group Intervention to Improve Well-Being in Older Adults. - Annual Meeting of the American Association for Geriatric Psychiatry (3/15/2025)
- Inclusive Mentorship in Geropsychology: Cultivating Safety, Trust, Humility, Authenticity, and Communication. - Gerontological Society of America Annual Scientific Meeting (3/15/2024)
- Addressing Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Psychological Practice with Older Adults. - Annual American Psychological Association Convention (8/4/2023)
- Technology reduces distress, challenging behaviors, and PRN medications among complex older veterans - American Psychological Association Annual Convention (8/13/2021)