

## Bio Sketch

| NAME<br>Peter W. Tuerk, Ph.D.<br><br>PWT3G@VIRGINIA.EDU (434-924-0744) | TITLE: Professor of Education, Curry School of Education,<br>University of Virginia;<br>Director, Sheila C. Johnson Center for Clinical<br>Services |      |                      |
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| EDUCATION/TRAINING   | DEGREE  | YEAR | FIELD OF STUDY       |
| James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA                             | B.A.  | 1995 | Social Science       |
| University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA                            | M.A.  | 2004 | Clinical Psychology  |
| University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA                            | Ph.D.   | 2007 | Clinical Psychology  |
| Medical University of SC, Charleston, SC                               | Internship  | 2007 | Posttraumatic Stress |

### Positions

2018-Present Professor of Education, Dept. of Human Services, Curry School of Education, University of Virginia

2018-Present Director, Sheila C. Johnson Center for Clinical Services

2012-2018 Associate Professor of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Medical University of South Carolina (MUSC), Charleston, SC

2014-2018 Section Chief & Director, PTSD Clinical & Telehealth Teams, Charleston VAMC, Charleston, SC

2007-2016 Director of Research Training, Veterans Affairs/MUSC Psychology Internship Program

2007-2014 Associate Director, PTSD Clinical Team, Ralph H. Johnson VAMC

2007-2012 Assistant Professor of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, MUSC

2006-2007 Clinical Psychology Intern: Medical University of SC/Ralph H. Johnson VAMC

2005-2006 Refugee Therapist: International Family Medicine Clinic, University of Virginia (UVA) Hospital

2002-2005 Lab Instructor: PSYC 740 Clinical Intervention; PSYC 771 Graduate Quantitative, PSYC 306/305 Research Methods and Data Analysis I & II, UVA, Charlottesville, VA

2004-2005 Clinic Therapist, Family Stress Clinic, Dept. of Family Medicine, UVA

1999-2000 Residential Treatment Supervisor, Third Way Center, Denver, CO

1996-1998 Residential Treatment Supervisor, New Dominion School, Dilwyn, VA.

### Fellowships

2004-2006 Institute of Education Sciences Fellowship; Curry School of Education, University of Virginia

2004-2005 Clinic Administration Assistantship, Mary Ainsworth Psychological Clinic, UVA

2001-2005 Clinical Psychology Fellowship; Department of Psychology, University of Virginia

2003-2006 Buffett Fellowships for applied work in the area of Children and Families

### Professional Experience

#### International

**Mental Health Consultant:** Phoenix Australia, Centre for Posttraumatic MH, Gov. of Australia/ DoD

**Mental Health Consultant:** Japan National Institute of Health, Adult Division

**Chair:** Japan/US Evidence-Based Mental Health Response Initiative (JEMRI), 501(c)3

**Team Lead:** Post-Disaster Mental Health Response, Mito, Japan

**Team Lead:** International Telehealth-Assisted Clinical Supervision (ITACS)

**Invited Lecturer:** United Nations University, Waseda University, Sophia University (Tokyo, Japan); Tokiwa International Victimology Institute, Tokiwa University (Ibaraki, Japan); University of Melbourne, AU

#### National

**Chief Science Officer for Clinical Implementation:** VA Office of Suicide Prevention, 4-month detail, 2017

**System-wide Telehealth Consultant:** Cohen Veterans Network

**Mentor:** National Center for PTSD Mentorship Program for Administrators of PTSD Clinics

**Taskforce Chair:** National Strategy Taskforce for Evidence-based PTSD Practices via Telehealth, Funded Recommendations: \$14,000,000.

**Innovation Advisory Group (IAG):** VA Center for Innovation (VACI).

**Conference Chair:** Prolonged Exposure Research: Innovations and the Protocol as a Vehicle for Science

**Selection Committee:** International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS) Convention, 2012

**Clinical Training:** U.S. Department of Defense DoD, Veterans Health Administration (VHA)

**Curriculum Consultant:** VA Office of Mental Health Services (OMHS)

**Clinical Policy SME:** VHA, Under Secretary for Health for Operations and Management

**Clinical SME:** VA Central Office, Center of Innovation (VACI)

## Regional & Local

**Clinical Coordination:** VISN 7 Southeast Network Telehealth Coordination Team

**Advisory Board:** BraveHeart: Welcome Back Veterans South East Initiative

**Voting Member:** Research and Development (R&D) Committee, VAMC, Charleston, SC

**Voting Member:** Psychology Education Committee, Dept. of Psychiatry, MUSC

**Voting Member:** Appointment and Tenure Committee, Dept. of Psychiatry, MUSC

**Policy Consulting and Program Evaluation:** Legal Aid Justice Center, Charlottesville; VA; Fairfax County Public Schools, Fairfax, VA; The Campaign for Excellence in Education; Fiscal Analytics, Richmond, VA; Virginia First Cities Coalition, Petersburg, VA

## Mental Health Technology Consultation

**Content Consultant:** Zeriscope Inc.; Wearable telehealth solutions for mental health

**Content Consultant:** Virtually Better Inc., Virtual Reality and e-Health interventions

**Content Consultant:** MindApps, E-CBT Trauma smart-phone application

**Content Consultant:** DoD National Center for Telehealth and Technology, PE Coach App

**Content Consultant:** Aclaris Medical, Mobile psychophysiological monitoring for exposure therapy

**Content Consultant:** "Army Wives," *Lifetime Network*

## Awards & Recognitions

### National

- Technology, Education & Design (TED)x Talk, *Return from Chaos -Treating PTSD* 2015  
Selected Talk <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ORs3-tRokGU>
- Named Top 100 in US Purpose Economy: <http://purposeeconomy.com/pe100/infographic/> 2014
- VA Research & Development Award in Recognition of Outstanding Service 2011
- VA Office of Patient Care Services (OPCS) Commendation 2011
- Olin E. Teague Award for Outstanding Career Achievement in the Rehabilitation of War-Injured Veterans 2010
- ACE Award, Veterans Health Administration Workforce Management & Consulting Office 2010
- VA Southeast Network Commitment to Excellence Award 2009
- VA System-wide Ongoing Assessment & Review Strategy (SOARS) Strong Practice 2008

### Local & Research

- Highlighted Research: *National Center for PTSD* Clinician's Trauma Update 2016
- Highlighted Research: *National Center for PTSD* Research Quarterly 2015
- Editor's Choice for Authored Research, *Journal of Anxiety Disorders* 2012
- Highlighted Research: *National Center for PTSD* Clinician's Trauma Update 2012a
- Highlighted Research: *National Center for PTSD* Clinician's Trauma Update 2012b
- VAMC Director's Recognition for Contributions to Programming 2012
- VAMC Performance award for exceptional duty-related achievement 2011
- VAMC Performance award for exceptional duty-related achievement 2010a
- VAMC Performance award for exceptional duty-related achievement 2010b
- Highlighted Research: *National Center for PTSD* Clinician's Trauma Update 2010
- VAMC Performance award for exceptional duty-related achievement 2009
- Outstanding Dedication to Training Award, VA/MUSC Psychology Internship 2009
- VA/MUSC Psychology Internship, Scientist-Practitioner Award 2007
- VA/MUSC Psychology Internship, Laura Griffin Humanitarian Award 2007
- UVA School of Medicine, Honorary Family Medicine Alumni 2007
- Council of University Directors of Clinical Psychology (CUDCP) Graduate Liaison 2004-2006
- APA award in recognition of excellence for research presentation 2002
- University of Virginia, Department of Psychology Dean's Award 2002
- Commonwealth of Virginia Volunteer Service Award for Outstanding Service 1992

## Scientific Peer Review (Ad Hoc, Editorial, 20 out of 36)

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|-------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| JAMA Psychiatry         | J. Consulting & Clinical Psych  | Psychiatric Services      | Diabetes Care     |
| J. Rehabilitation R&D   | Cog. & Behavioral Practice      | Clinical Psych Review     | Beh. Modification |
| J. Dual Diagnoses       | Intl. J. Psychiatry in Medicine | Depression & Anxiety      | Neuro. Bio. Rev.  |
| J. of Anxiety Disorders | Anxiety, Stress & Coping        | J. of Clinical Psychiatry | Cog. Beh. Therapy |
| J. of Traumatic Stress  | Clin. Case Conferences          | Contemp. Clinical Trials  | Psych. Research   |

## Grant Review, National/Federal

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| National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12) | 2019  |
| National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12) | 2018a |
| National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12) | 2018b |
| Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)   | 2017  |
| National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12) | 2017a |
| National Institute of Health, STTR/SBIR: Neuro/Psychopathology, Lifespan Development, and STEM Education Special Emphasis Panel (RPHB 12) | 2017b |
| VA Central Office Center of Innovation (VACI) National Innovation Competition   | 2016  |
| VA Central Office Center of Innovation (VACI) National Innovation Competition   | 2014  |
| DoD Telemedicine & Advanced Technology Research Center (TATRC)  | 2013  |
| US Army Medical Research and Materiel Command (USAMRMC)   | 2013  |
| American Institute of Biological Sciences (AIBS)  | 2013  |
| Charleston VA HSR&D Center of Innovation (COIN; Intramural)   | 2014  |
| American Institute of Biological Sciences (AIBS)  | 2012  |

## Grant Review, Intramural

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| VA Health Services Research & Development (HSR&D), Center of Innovation (COIN) | 2014 |
| VA Health Services Research & Development (HSR&D), Center of Innovation (COIN) | 2013 |
| Charleston VAMC Research Enhancement Award Program (REAP; Intramural)          | 2012 |

## Trainer, In-Person Clinical & Continuing Education Workshops

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| Missouri Coalition for Community Healthcare, CE Workshop           | Jeff. City, MO     | 4/3/19-4/5/19   |
| U. of Pennsylvania Steven A. Cohen Military Family Clinic          | Philadelphia, PA   | 10/18/18        |
| Burrell Behavioral Health Springfield, EBT Workshop                | Springfield, MO    | 09/19/18        |
| Australian Government, Department of Defense, EBT for PTSD         | Melbourne, AU      | 3/19/18-3/22/17 |
| Australian Government, Department of Defense, EBT for PTSD         | Melbourne, AU      | 4/3/17-4/7/17   |
| Loyola University 3-day Workshop Training, EBT for PTSD            | Chicago, IL        | 1/11/17-1/13/17 |
| Missouri Coalition for Community Healthcare, EBT for PTSD          | Jefferson City, MO | 5/16/17-5/18/17 |
| VA/MUSC Psychology Internship Training Program, PE Training        | Charleston, SC     | 8/7/17-8/9/17   |
| Australian Government, Department of Defense, EBT for PTSD         | Melbourne, AU      | 4/26/16-4/29/16 |
| Rush University, Virtual Reality Training for Health Professionals | Chicago, IL        | 6/10/15-6/11/15 |
| Community Mental Health: Ozark Center PE for PTSD                  | Joplin, MO         | 8/27/14-8/29/14 |
| VA Internship: Prolonged Exposure (PE) Professional Training       | Charleston, SC     | 8/13/14-8/15/14 |
| Community Mental Health: Ozark Center Virtual Reality in PTSD      | Joplin, MO         | 1/10/14-7/12/14 |
| U. of Puerto Rico, School of Public Health Technology Training     | San Juan, PR       | 5/29/14-5/30/14 |
| US DoD Integrating Technology into Mental Health Treatments        | San Antonio, TX    | 5/15/14-5/16/14 |
| US DoD Integrating Technology into Mental Health Treatments        | Joint Base Andrews | 1/29-1/30/14    |
| VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Training                     | St. Louis, MO      | 6/24/14-6/28/14 |
| US DoD Integrating Technology into Mental Health Treatments        | Bethesda, MD       | 6/24/13-6/25/13 |
| VA Internship: Prolonged Exposure (PE) Professional Training       | Charleston, SC     | 8/14/13-8/16/13 |
| VA ORD PE via Telemental Health 4-day Professional Training        | La Jolla, CA       | 4/08/13-4/11/13 |
| VA ORD PE via Telemental Health 4-day Professional Training        | VISNs 6,7,11       | 5/13/13-5/16/13 |
| US DoD National Center for Telehealth & Technology Training        | Bethesda, MD       | 6/24/13-6/25/13 |
| VA Internship: Prolonged Exposure (PE) Professional Training       | Charleston, SC     | 8/15/12-8/17/12 |
| VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Training                     | Denver, CO         | 6/05/12-6/08/12 |
| Waseda University, Use of Technology in PTSD Services              | Tokyo, Japan       | 3/16/2012       |
| EMRI Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training           | Charleston, SC     | 11/5/12-11/8/12 |
| ORD Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training            | New Orleans, LA    | 3/28/11-3/31/11 |

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| Japanese National Institute of Health, Adult Division, EBT/PTSD | Tokyo, Japan    | 10/3/2011       |
| VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training     | Boston, MA      | 6/26/11-9/29/11 |
| VA OMHS Telemental Health 1-day Professional Training           | Baltimore, MD   | 8/22/11         |
| VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training     | Charleston, SC  | 5/13/11-5/16/11 |
| VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training     | Nashville, TN   | 7/20/10-7/23/10 |
| US DoD Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training      | El Paso, TX     | 8/20/10-8/23/10 |
| VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training     | Las Vegas, NV   | 1/27/09-1/30/09 |
| VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training     | Boston, MA      | 6/16/09-6/19/09 |
| Office of Mental Health Services, Evidence-based PTSD treatment | Minneapolis, MN | 7/14/09-7/17/09 |
| VA OMHS Prolonged Exposure (PE) 4-day Professional Training     | Nashville, TN   | 09/7/09-9/11/09 |

## Clinical Education Webinars

1. **Tuerk, P.W.**, Telehealth Treatment, Differential Diagnosis, and Clinical Tools: A Provider-focused Webinar. Continuing Education Webinar, *Cohen Veteran's Network*. December 12, 2018.
2. **Tuerk, P. W.** Treatment of Military PTSD: Evidence-Based Exposure Therapy, Clinical Tools, and Emerging Methods. Continuing Education Webinar, *GoodTherapy.org*, March 2017.  
<https://www.goodtherapy.org/treatment-military-ptsd-exposure-therapy-web-conference.html>
3. Lysell, K., **Tuerk, P. W.**, Pitman, J., Klaus, J., Arnott, M. Implementing A Measurement Based Approach to MH Care, broadcast from the EES MyVeHU studio, on June 15, 2016, Orlando, FL.
4. **Tuerk, P. W.** & Lozano B. Home-based and Therapist Assisted Exposure Therapy. Advanced Call Series, National Center for PTSD, Education Division, August 2014.
5. **Tuerk, P. W.** Taking Care of Our Veterans Through the use of Telemedicine: Presented at 2nd Annual Telehealth Summit of South Carolina, October 10, 2013, Columbia, SC.
6. **Tuerk, P. W.** Home-based and Therapist Assisted Exposure Therapy. Advanced Call Series, National Center for PTSD, Education Division, July 8, 2013.
7. **Tuerk, P. W.** Health Service Utilization Before and After Evidence-Based Treatment for PTSD. Advanced Call Series, National Center for PTSD, Education Division, April 8, 2013.
8. **Tuerk, P. W.** & Thorp, S. Implementing Prolonged Exposure via Telehealth. Advanced Call Series, National Center for PTSD, Education Division, June 28, 2012.
9. **Tuerk, P. W.** Pilot Study of Prolonged Exposure Therapy for PTSD delivered via Telehealth Technology. VA HSR&D National Telemental Health Journal Club Series. October 28, 2009.

## Research Support

### **ACTIVE: Principal Investigator**

1R42MH11277-01A1; Fast-track Phase I & II, 05/01/2017-04/30/2020

**Title:** *OC-Go: Facilitating fidelity and dissemination of evidence based treatment for childhood OCD via an interactive crowd-sourced patient-provider tool.*

**Funder:** National Institute for Mental Health (NIMH)

**Goal:** To innovate evidence based treatment delivery, education, and dissemination, and to augment patient-side compliance and treatment efficacy via development and testing of an asynchronous telehealth platform. The platform allows providers to create and share (crowd source) multimedia, environmentally-interactive mobile activities to assist patients in completing out-of-office behavioral assignments.

**Role:** **Principal Investigator**; PHASE I \$224,679.00; PHASE II \$1,456,775.00

5R42MH094019-05; 9/16/11 - 8/31/17

**Title:** *Pegasys VR: Integrating Virtual Humans in the Treatment of Child Social Anxiety*

**Funder:** National Institute for Mental Health (NIMH)

**Goal:** To provide an interactive virtual environment in a game style setting to facilitate practice of social skills interactions. Skills learning will be supported by task-oriented social conversations using an artificial intelligence (AI) engine and 16 interactive avatars that interact within a free-roam virtual environment.

**Role:** **Principal Investigator**; \$2,056,984.00

13046027/W81XWH-15-1-0087; 12/01/2015 - 11/30/2018

**Title:** *Evaluating the Feasibility of Rescue: An Adjunctive HAI-Based Intervention for Veterans with PTSD*

**Funder:** Department of Defense (DoD), Applied Research and Advanced Technology Development Psychological Health Award

**Goals:** To investigate if treatment retention and outcomes in evidence-based PTSD care can be enhanced with Human-Animal Interaction (HAI) treatment augmentation in comparison to a rigorous control.

**Role:** **Principal Investigator**; \$709,517.00

R42DK103537; 11541029; 9/15/14 – 12/31/17

**Title:** *Experience Success: Virtual Reality Skills Training to Enhance e-Weight Loss*

**Funder:** National Institute for Mental Health (NIMH)

**Goal:** To improve internet-delivered obesity treatments by developing a virtual reality (VR) system for use with existing online programs. The project includes 4 hours of interactive video taking place in a mixed-media and entertaining virtual world. Users are confronted with common social and behavioral barriers to weight loss and select decisions to see how their avatar's week unfolds. Learning/skills-building methods are guided by Social Learning Theory (SLT), rather than overt didactics.

**Role:** **Principal Investigator**; \$1,264,285.00

### **ACTIVE: Other**

W81XWH-15-1-0555; Sub Award: 567650/10050415/16638; 7/2015 - 7/2019

**Title:** *The Efficacy of 90- vs. 60-Minute Sessions of Prolonged Exposure for PTSD: A Randomized Control Trial in Active Duty Military Personnel* (PI: Foa)

**Funder:** DoD, Office of the Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs (CDMRP)

**Goal:** To investigate if effective PTSD treatment can be delivered in shorter sessions with non-inferior results. Positive outcomes would support greater use, expansion, and dissemination of this gold-standard treatment within normative institutional treatment parameters and ecologies.

**Role:** **Site-Principal Investigator**; \$1,699,000.00 (Sub-award: \$109,216.00)

**Title:** *Virtual Specialty Care Program. Implementing Technology Facilitated Clinical Interventions to Improve Access to High Quality Specialty Care for Rural Veterans* (PI: Fortney); 9/2016 - 9/2019

**Funder:** Quality Enhancement Research Initiative (QUERI), Department of Veterans Affairs

**Goals:** Improve healthcare access for Veterans in rural settings, and enhance strategic partnerships.

**Role:** **Site-Principal Investigator**; Sub-award TBD ~\$312,000.00

2000 P SA936; 06/01/15 - 05/31/18

**Title:** *Virtual Reality (VR)-based Treatment for Obsessive Compulsive Disorder (OCD)* (PI: Piacentini)

**Funder:** Furlotti Family Foundation

**Goals:** Development, testing, and dissemination of a novel virtual reality-based treatment system for children with Obsessive Compulsive Disorder to augment exposure with response prevention.

**Role:** **Site-Principal Investigator**; \$500,000.00 (Sub-award: \$265,000.00)

DoD V SUBMUSC-11-30/W81XWH-11-1-0073; 12/2010 - 11/2015 (on extension)

**Title:** *Randomized Trial of Prolonged Exposure, Sertraline, and Their Combination for Treatment of Combat-related PTSD in Veterans of OEF/OIF*

**Funder:** DoD, U.S. Army Medical Research and Materiel Command

**Goal:** To investigate the relative efficacy of exposure therapy, antidepressants, and their combination in the treatment of combat-related PTSD.

**Role:** **Psychotherapy Lead, Co-Investigator**; \$14,135,443 (total); \$2,234,465 (site)

W81XWH-12-1-0614, PT110021; 4/01/2013 - 9/29/2016 (on extension)

**Title:** *In-Home Face to Face and Telehealth Exposure for Veterans with PTSD* (PI: Moreland)

**Funder:** Department of Defense Office of the Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs (CDMRP)

**Goal:** To investigate the relative efficacy of exposure therapy for PTSD provided in patients' homes compared to via home-based telehealth.

**Role:** **Psychotherapy Trainer; Co-Investigator**

**Title:** Rapid Exposure Supporting Trauma Recovery (RESTORE) 2017-2019

**Funder:** Government of Australia National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC), Department of Veterans' Affairs/Department of Defense

**Goal:** To investigate if prolonged exposure therapy, a gold standard evidence-based treatment for PTSD, is as effective when administered in daily sessions for two weeks, compared to the standard administration of a session a week for 10 weeks.

**Role:** Co-Investigator

W81XWH-14-1-0264 (018475) NCT02417025; 08/01/2014 - 07/31/2018

**Title:** *Do You Really Expect Me to get MST Care in a VA Where Everyone is Male? Innovative Delivery of Evidence Based Psychotherapy to Women with Military Sexual Trauma* (PI: Acierno)

**Funder:** DoD, US Army Medical Research and Materiel Command (USAMRMC)

**Role:** Co-Investigator

R01HL125424; 05/01/2016-03/31/2020 (PI: Scherrer)

**Title:** PTSD Treatment: Effects on Health Behavior, Cardiovascular and Metabolic Disease

**Goals:** To use medical chart abstraction to investigate the relationship between engagement in evidence-based PTSD treatment and behavioral and biological markers of cardiovascular and metabolic disease.

**Funder:** National Heart Lung and Blood Institute

**Role:** Consultant

1R43MH107089-01A1; 05/0/2016 - 02/28/2018

**Title:** *PTSD Monitoring System for Prolonged Exposure Therapy* (PI: Bly)

**Funder:** National Institutes of Health (NIH)

**Goals:** Prove Feasibility of therapist application and patient mobile application aimed at integrating relevant physiologic and psychometric data to better assess treatment effects and improve patient acceptance, engagement, and adherence to exposure therapy for PTSD.

**Role:** Consultant

### **COMPLETED:**

CDA-2-013-09F; NCT01031979; 08/2010 - 07/2015

**Title:** *Prolonged Exposure for PTSD with and without Yohimbine and the Correlates of Trait Habituation*

**Funder:** VA Office of Research Development (ORD), Clinical Sciences R&D (CSR&D) 08/2010 - 07/2015

**Goals:** Employ an RCT to investigate the extinction learning augmentation properties of an alpha-2 adrenergic antagonist, and to develop technology-driven interactive objective measures of PTSD treatment response.

**Role:** Principal Investigator; Direct Costs: \$325,000.00

DoD # PT110176; W81XWH-12-1-0619; 10/01/2012 - 2/28/2015

**Title:** *Building a Family Systems Model to Promote Adherence to PTSD Treatment* (PI: Meis)

**Funder:** Department of Defense

**Goal:** To investigate family factors related to treatment engagement and retention of veterans with PTSD.

**Role:** Site-Principal Investigator

NCT02486692; 01/01/15 - 07/31/16

**Title:** *Pilot Evaluation of AboutFace: A Novel Peer Education Resource for Veterans VA* (PI: Ruggiero)

**Funder:** VA Health Services Research & Development (HSR&D)

**Goals:** To evaluate a peer education website, AboutFace, for the purpose of reducing stigma and improving attitudes toward seeking mental health services among Veterans.

**Role:** Co-Investigator

6/01/2011 - 7/30/2012

**Title:** *Japan-US Evidence-Based Mental Health Response Initiative (JEMRI)*

**Funder:** Fish Family Foundation

**Goals:** To build partnerships and rapidly deploy mental health training in evidence-based treatment for PTSD in post-tsunami Japan.

**Role:** Principal Investigator, \$50,000.00

07/2009 - 06/2013

**Title:** *Prolonged Exposure with and without Yohimbine and the Correlates of Trait Habituation*

**Funder:** South Carolina Translational Research (SCTR) Multidisciplinary Scholar Award.

**Role:** **Principal Investigator**, \$255,000 (Switched funding to Alternative CDA)

1 R01 DA030143; 08/2010 - 06/2015

**Title:** *Integrated Treatment of OEF/OIF Veterans with PTSD and Substance Use Disorder* (PI: Back)

**Funder:** NIH/NIDA

**Goals:** To develop and test a treatment for simultaneously addressing PTSD and substance use disorder.

**Role:** **Co-Investigator**

Industry Grant, 09/01/2011 - 05/15/2014

**Title:** *Effects on Glucose Control of a Modified Commercial Weight Program for Type 2 Diabetes: A Multi-site Trial* (PI: O'Neil)

**Funder:** Weight Watchers International

**Role:** **Co-Investigator**

DoD 10322004; 08/2011 - 07/2012

**Title:** *Exposure Therapy With/ Without Simultaneous Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation for PTSD* (PI: George)

**Funder:** Department of Defense

**Role:** **Co-Investigator**; \$354,287

CSP 591, NCT01928732; 02/01/14 - 01/08/18

**Title:** *Comparative Effectiveness Research in Veterans with PTSD* (PI: Schnurr)

**Funder:** VA Office of Research Development (ORD) Cooperative Studies Program (CSP)

**Role:** **Executive Planning Committee**; \$3,878,433

NCT02134691; 8/2013 - 7/2017

**Title:** *Randomized Trial of Prolonged Exposure for the Treatment of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)*; PI: Vera)

**Funder:** National Institute of Mental Health, NIH

**Role:** **Consultant**; \$614,523

IAC09-040-2; 2010 - 2013

**Title:** *Prolonged Exposure (PE) for PTSD: Telemedicine vs. In Person* (PI: Acierno)

**Funder:** VA HSR&D

**Role:** **Consultant**; \$900,000

K12HD055885

**Title:** Building Interdisciplinary Research Careers in Women's Health (BIRCWH) Career Development Award: *The Effects of Oxytocin on Couples' Conflict Resolution Behaviors* (PI: Brady)

**Funder:** NICHD, Office of Research on Women's Health

**Role:** **Consultant**

09/2004 - 08/2006

**Title:** *Statewide Achievement Gap in Florida Schools: Hierarchical Linear Models (HLM) and Correlates of Standardized Scores*

**Funder:** U.S. Dept. of Education, Institute of Education Sciences; Clinical & School Psychology Program, Curry School of Education, University of Virginia.

**Role:** **Fellowship Awardee**; \$120,000 combined for two years.



## Edited Volumes

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1. **Tuerk, P. W.** & Shore, P. (Eds.). *Behavioral Telehealth Series* (10 Volumes, under contract) Springer International Scientific Publishing. <http://www.springer.com/series/10986>
2. **Tuerk, P. W.**, & Shore, P. (Eds.). (2014). *Clinical Videoconferencing in Telehealth: Program Development and Practice*. Springer: <http://www.springer.com/psychology/book/978-3-319-08764-1>

## Peer Reviewed Publications (\* indicates senior-authored/PI)

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1. **Tuerk, P. W.** (2005). Research in the high-stakes era: Achievement, resources, and No Child Left Behind. *Psychological Science*, 16, 419-425.
2. **Tuerk, P. W.** (2005). Review of 'Cognitive Behavioral Therapy Strategies for Use in General Practice: Effective Psychological Strategies for Medical Practitioners'. *Families, Systems, & Health*, 23(4),457-9
3. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Mueller, M., & Egede, L. E. (2008). Estimating physician effects on glycemic control in the treatment of diabetes: methods, effects sizes, and implications for treatment policy. *Diabetes Care*, 31, 869-873. doi: 10.2337/dc07-1662
4. Wang, Z., Harrer, J., **Tuerk, P. W.**, Acierno, R., Hamner, M., Timmerman, M. A., & Abbott, T. (2009, April). 5-HTTLPR influence PTSD treatment outcome. In *Biological Psychiatry*, 65(8) 119S-119S.
5. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Brady, K. T., & Grubaugh, A. L. (2009). Clinical case discussion: Combat PTSD and substance use disorders. *Journal of Addiction Medicine*, 3(4), 189-193.
6. Brady, K. T., **Tuerk, P. W.**, Back, S. E., Saladin, M. E., Waldrop, A. E., & Myrick, H. (2009). Combat posttraumatic stress disorder, substance use disorders, and traumatic brain injury. *Journal of Addiction Medicine*, 3(4), 179-188. doi: 10.1097/ADM.0b013e3181aa244f
7. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Grubaugh, A. L., Hamner, M. B., & Foa, E. B. (2009). Diagnosis and treatment of PTSD-related compulsive checking behaviors in veterans of the Iraq war: The influence of military context on the expression of PTSD symptoms. *The American Journal of Psychiatry*, 166, 762-767.
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#### **Invited Presentations (25 most relevant external out of 37)**

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1. **Tuerk, P.W.** Clinic-Based Science & Practice: Emerging Methods in PTSD Treatment & Research. An invited continuing education (CE) presentation for the Annual Georgia Psychiatric Physicians Association (GPPA) Summer Meeting, August 9, 2019, Amelia Island, FL.
2. **Tuerk, P. W.** Evidence Based Treatment for PTSD: Emerging Methods Towards the Individualization of Treatment Protocols. A continuing education (CE) symposium to be delivered at the U.S. Psychiatric and Mental Health Congress on October 25, 2018, Orlando, FL.
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4. **Tuerk, P. W.** PTSD and Comorbid Psychosis: Diagnostic and Treatment Challenges. A continuing education (CE) symposium delivered at the U.S. Psychiatric and Mental Health Congress on October 22, 2016, San Antonio, TX.

5. **Tuerk, P.W.** The VA as a Laboratory for Dissemination Science: Promoting High Quality and Equitable Mental Health Care (and being able to replicate it). An invited presentation to Chief Psychology Advisor and Chief Medical Officer and staff, Government of Australia Department of Veterans Affairs. May 1, 2016, Canberra, Australian Capital Territory, Australia.
6. **Tuerk, P.W.** Treating PTSD with Evidence-based Treatments and Next-Generation Massed Exposure. An invited system-wide presentation to the Veterans Counseling Services, Government of Australia Department of Veterans Affairs. May 3, 2016, Melbourne, Australia.
7. **Tuerk, P. W.** Where is the research community headed in the areas of assessment and treatment methods for PTSD? Where are the biggest opportunities for collaboration across different entities? In P.P. Schnurr (Moderator), Opportunities for Collaborative Research. Symposium presented at the Brain Trust: Pathways to InnoVAtion on April 20, 2016, Washington D.C.
8. **Tuerk, P. W.** Invisible Wounds of War on Campus: Implications for Mental Health Programming and Outreach. An invited lecture delivered at Operation College Promises Certification for Veterans' Service Providers. Armstrong State University, Savannah, March 11, 2016.
9. **Tuerk, P. W.** Mental Health Response to Disaster: PTSD Treatment in Post-Tsunami Japan, Center for Global Health: Partnering for Impact, Medical University of SC Global Health Symposium, November 3-4, 2015, Charleston SC.
10. **Tuerk, P. W.** The VA as a Laboratory for Dissemination Science: Promoting High Quality & Equitable Mental Health Care (and being able to replicate it). An invited lecture presented at the VISN 16 South Central MIRECC on November 16, 2014.
11. **Tuerk, P. W. & Wangelin B.** Technology-Based Resources for Mental Health Providers Treating PTSD. Invited lecture presented at the PTSD Special Interest Group (SIG) at the Annual Meeting of the American Association of Anxiety Disorders (ADAA), Chicago, IL, March 27-30, 2014. '
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20. **Tuerk, P. W.** VA Health Services Research and Development, State of the Art (SOTA) Conference on Improving Access to VA Care. Invited participant, September 21-22, 2010, Washington D.C.
21. **Tuerk, P. W.** Using Data to Support PTSD services. An invited presentation at the National PTSD Mentors Annual Meeting on July 26, 2010. Baltimore, MD.
22. **Tuerk, P. W.** Treating Combat-related PTSD in Veterans of the Current Wars: Recent and Ongoing Research. An invited Grand Rounds presentation at the Medical University of South Carolina, Department of Psychiatry & Behavioral Sciences, April 23, 2010. Charleston, SC.
23. **Tuerk, P. W.,** Acierno R.E., Ruggiero KJ, Yoder M. Myrick D.R. Pilot Study of Prolonged Exposure Therapy for PTSD delivered via Telehealth Technology. An invited paper presented at the National Institute of Health (NIH) Workshop, Future of Telehealth: Essential Tools and Technologies for Clinical Research and Care presented June 26, 2009, Bethesda, MD.
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#### **Submitted Presentations (20 most relevant first- or senior-authored, out of 54)**

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1. Myers, U.S., Keller, S.M., Wangelin, B.C., Lozano, B., **Tuerk, P.W.**, and Grubaugh, A. (2018). Racial Differences in Declining Study Consent in a Human-Animal Interaction Trial for Veterans with PTSD. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, Washington, DC.
2. Rauch, S. A., Kim, H.M., Venners, M., Porter, K., Norman, S., Simon, N., Rothbaum, B. O., **Tuerk, P.W.**, Bui, E., Powell, C., Smith, E., Goetter, L., McSweeney, L. Examination of Cognitive Change in SSRI, Prolonged Exposure +SSRI, and Prolonged Exposure + Placebo: Do Thoughts Drive Change When Pills Are Involved? (2018, November). Symposium presentation at the 52th Annual Convention for the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Washington D.C.
3. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Wangelin, B., Myers, U., Keller, S., Dewey, D., Center, K., Lozano, B., Orr, S. Predicting Dropout from Prolonged Exposure Therapy (Before it Happens): Developing a Prospective Psychophysiological Tool, in A. Asnaani (Chair), Taking the Lab into the Clinic: Incorporating Biomarkers into PTSD Research. A symposium delivered at the 50<sup>th</sup> annual conference of the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, October 29, 2016, New York, NY.
4. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Wangelin, B.C., Hamner, M., Foa, E.B., Mark, P. Niepoth, B. *Extinction Enhancement with Yohimbine HCl: Preliminary Findings from a Double-Blind Placebo Controlled Trial.* Symposium conducted at the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, November 2015, New Orleans, Louisiana.
5. \* Yoder, M., Birks, A., **Tuerk, P. W.**, *Home Based Treatment for PTSD with Veterans: Processes and Treatment Outcomes.* Poster at the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, November 2015, New Orleans, Louisiana.
6. \* Regan, S., Davidson, T., **Tuerk, P. W.**, *A Decision Tree Approach to the Assessment of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder.* Poster at the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, November 2015, New Orleans, Louisiana.
7. **Tuerk, P. W.** & Wangelin B. Enhancing Exposure Therapy for PTSD With Yohimbine HCL: A Double-Blind, Randomized Controlled Study Implementing Subjective and Objective Measures of Treatment Outcome. Symposium lecture presented at Annual Meeting of the American Association of Anxiety Disorders (ADAA), Chicago, IL, March 27-30, 2014.



8. Meis, L, Spoon M, Erbes C, Polusny, M, Noorbaloochi S, Hagel EC, Bangerter A, Eftekhari A, Kattar K, **Tuerk, P. W.** (PI Meis; Site-PI Tuerk). Can Families Help Shape Veteran's Opinions of and Response to Evidence Based Treatments for PTSD? Symposium accepted for the 30th ISTSS Annual Meeting, Miami, FL, November 6-8, 2014.
9. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Wangelin, B., Rauch, S.A.M., Yoder, M., & Acierno, R. (2013). Health Service Utilization Before and After Evidence-Based Treatment for PTSD. Symposium presented at the 47th ABCT Annual Conference, Nashville, TN, November 2013.
10. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Yoder, M., & Acierno, R. (2013). Assessment of therapist-level and patient-level factors in evidence-based therapy outcomes for PTSD in a Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic. Symposium presented at the 29th ISTSS Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, November 2013.
11. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Mouilso, E, Peterson, A, Rauch, S.A.M., Kumpula, M., Lamp, K., Resick, P., Foa, E., McLean, C.P. Negative Cognition in PTSD across Trauma Populations. Presented at ABCT's 47th Annual Convention, November 21th - 24th, 2013 in Nashville, TN.
12. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Wangelin, B., Yoder, M., & Acierno, R. (2013). Assessment of therapist-level and patient-level factors in evidence-based therapy outcomes for PTSD in a veterans affairs outpatient clinic. Symposium, 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, Philadelphia, PA, November 7, 2013.
13. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Stauffacher, K., Resnick, H.S., Wolitzky-Taylor, K., Acierno, R., Ruggiero, K. (2012). Web-Based Intervention for Post-disaster Mental Health: Preliminary Efficacy Data. A Symposium accepted at 2012 American Association of Anxiety Disorders (ADAA), Arlington, VA.
14. \* Wangelin, B.C., & **Tuerk, P. W.** (2012). Bringing psychophysiology into the therapy room: Objective measurement of emotional arousal in prolonged exposure. Poster presented at the Anxiety Disorders Association of America 32nd Annual Conference, Arlington, VA, USA.
15. **Tuerk, P. W.** "Evidence Based Treatment for PTSD is Related to Long Term Decreases in Mental Health Service Utilization: Prolonged Exposure Therapy in a Veterans Health Administration Clinic" presentation at ABCT's 46th Annual Convention to be held November 15th - 18th, 2012 in National Harbor, MD. Please
16. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Santa-Ana, L. (2011). Telehealth Service Delivery Modalities for Evidence-Based PTSD and Substance Abuse Care: Issues and Outcomes. Symposium presented at Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), November 11, 2011, Toronto, Canada.
17. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Yoder, M., Grubaugh, A., Myrick, D.H., Acierno, R. Prolonged Exposure Therapy for Combat-Related Posttraumatic Stress Disorder: An Examination of Treatment Effectiveness for Veterans of the Wars in Afghanistan and Iraq. Paper presented at the Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (ABCT), November 13, 2010, San Francisco, CA.
18. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Yoder, M., Acierno, R. Best Practice in Training Unlicensed Mental Health Clinicians: Symposium Presentation at 2010 National VA Mental Health Conference: Implementing a Public Health Model for Meeting the Mental Health Needs of Veterans, on July 28, 2010, Baltimore MD.
19. Yoder, M., **Tuerk, P. W.**, Ruggiero, K., Gros, D., & Acierno, R. (2009). Prolonged Exposure for Combat-Related PTSD: Differences in live vs. telehealth treatment delivery. Paper presented at International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies Conference, November 5-7, Atlanta, GA
20. **Tuerk, P. W.**, Acierno RE, Ruggiero KJ, Gros D, Yoder M. Open Trial of PE for PTSD Via Tele-psychiatry vs. In Person. A paper presented at the VA's Health Services Research and Development Service (HSR&D) 27th Annual Meeting on Feb 9-11, 2009, Baltimore, MD.

## Related Information Links & Media

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### **Media: Educational Videos (>185,000 views)**

- Return from Chaos: Treating PTSD, Technology Education and Design (TED)x Talk, Peter Tuerk: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ORs3-tRokGU>
- Clinician Education Video for high fidelity PTSD treatment and research, Dr. Peter Tuerk: Directions for imaginal exposure: Real-time session with teaching points PE Module 3: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YZbJZMmoLwU&list=PL0Phhv0cpWbkXxpL5aQ604H6IKm30i16&index=1>
- Clinician Education Video for high fidelity PTSD treatment and research, by Dr. Peter Tuerk with Dr. Bethany Wangelin (mentee): Real-time session with teaching points: PE Module 1: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2CTWhYRwy2Q&index=4&list=PL0Phhv0c-pWbkXxpL5aQ604H6IKm30i16>
- Clinician Education Video for high fidelity PTSD treatment and research, with Dr. Peter Tuerk: Real-time session with teaching points: PE Module 2: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rZqsYs1xO5l&list=PL0Phhv0c-pWbkXxpL5aQ604H6IKm30i16>
- Clinician Education Video for high fidelity PTSD treatment and research, by Dr. Peter Tuerk & Dr. Bethany Wangelin (mentee): Real-time session with teaching points: PE Module 3, part 1: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GPD6BspYNR0>
- Technology in the Treatment Room, Demonstration by Peter Tuerk: Real-time galvanized skin conductance monitoring during exposure therapy for PTSD: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2GGtMnRmrac>
- PTSD treatment options: Dr. Peter Tuerk, About Face, National Center for PTSD: <http://www.ptsd.va.gov/apps/AboutFace/clinicians/dr-peter-tuerk/what-treatment-can-do-for-you.html>

### **Media: Press Interviews & Links**

- How Data and Technology are Transforming Educational Services, UVA Today, December 18, 2018: [https://news.virginia.edu/content/ga-how-data-and-technology-are-transforming-educational-services?utm\\_source=DailyReport&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=news](https://news.virginia.edu/content/ga-how-data-and-technology-are-transforming-educational-services?utm_source=DailyReport&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=news)
- VA researcher and clinical administrator named to the Top 100 in the US purpose economy: <http://purposeeconomy.com/pe100/infographic/>
- VA Honors Psychologist with Highest Honor, Olin Teague Award, Public and Intergovernmental Affairs DVA. October 28, 2010. Available at <http://www1.va.gov/opa/pressrel/pressrelease.cfm?id=1988>
- MUSC doctors back from Japan after responding to disaster. By Mark Davenport, Live 5 News WCSC. Available at <http://www.live5news.com/story/14666039/musc-doctors-back-from-japan-after-treating-personal-aftershocks>
- Charleston leading the way in PTSD research, Dr. Peter Tuerk News 2 video: <http://www.counton2.com/story/25158708/charleston-%C2%AD-leading-%C2%AD-the-%C2%AD-way-%C2%AD-in-%C2%AD-ptsd-%C2%AD-research>
- VA psychologist lauded for work. By Renee Dudley, Post and Courier. May 10, 2010. Available at <http://archives.postandcourier.com/archive/arch10/1010/arc101110733463.shtml>
- New PTSD Treatments Use Apps and Video Conferences CBS News (WLTX) interview. <http://www.wltx.com/story/news/military/2014/11/13/new-ptsd-treatments-use-apps-and-video-conferencing/18989413/>

- MUSC Psychologist applies evidence-based PTSD treatments to global populations: <http://globalhealth.musc.edu/blog/musc-psychologists-apply-evidence-based-ptsd-treatments-global-populations>
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- X Marks the spot: Researchers embrace chaos at TEDx Charleston. <http://academicdepartments.musc.edu/pr/newscenter/2015/tedx-charleston.html#.VT7mxDTF98E>
- Telehealth Delivery of PTSD Treatment Safe, Effective. By Caroline Helwick, Medscape Medical News. March 26, 2011. Available at <http://www.medscape.com/viewarticle/740030>
- Japan's Victims Being Helped by Local PTSD Expert. The Us Tele-Medicine Reporter. May 23, 2010. Available at <http://www.epatienthealthcare.com/blog/2011/05/23/japan%e2%80%99s-victims-being-helped-by-local-ptsd-experts/>
- PTSD experts help Japan victims. By Ryan Quinn, the Post and Courier. May 18, 2011. Available at <http://www.postandcourier.com/news/2011/may/18/local-ptsd-experts-help-japan-victims/?print>
- MUSC mental health professionals reach out to Japan. Posted By MUSC Public Relations. May 25, 2011. Available at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w9aHrgew1M4>
- Help for Veterans with PTSD, Interview with Dr. Peter Tuerk. Sharpe Focus with Bill Sharpe. Available at <http://www.live5news.com/category/204914/sharpe-focus>
- Military Finding innovative Uses for Video. Break Down the Walls: November 4, 2010. Available at <http://blog.tandberg.com/publicsector/index.php/tag/peter-tuerk/>
- VA Investigator Peter Tuerk Named Olin E. Teague Award Winner, October 22, 2010. DVA Awards & Honors. Available at [http://www.hsrp.research.va.gov/for\\_researchers/awards/tuerk-102210.cfm](http://www.hsrp.research.va.gov/for_researchers/awards/tuerk-102210.cfm)
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- VA Doctor on PTSD Public Health Crisis. CBS affiliate WLTX 19: <http://www.wltx.com/story/news/military/2014/11/10/va-doc-calls-ptsd-public-health-crisis/18821973/>
- Psychiatric Advisor: PTSD and Comorbid Depression: Challenges of Diagnosis and Treatment, November 13, 2014. <http://www.psychiatryadvisor.com/ptsd-trauma-and-stressor-related/ptsd-comorbid-depression-symptoms-treatment-diagnosis/article/453961/>

## Community Volunteer Service

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| ▪ Japan-US Evidence-Based Mental Health Response Initiative, Chair, 501(c)3 | 2011-Present |
| ▪ Charleston Academic Magnet High School, volunteer science mentor          | 2013-2014    |
| ▪ Guitars for Veterans, Volunteer music instructor, Charleston SC           | 2012-2014    |
| ▪ Veterans on Deck, Volunteer Clinician and Vessel Captain, Charleston SC   | 2010-2015    |
| ▪ JustChildren, Legal Aid Justice Center, Charlottesville, VA               | 2003-2005    |
| ▪ Mercy House Homeless Shelter, Volunteer, Harrisonburg, Virginia           | 1993-1995    |
| ▪ Northern Virginia Training Center, Fairfax, VA                            | 1989-1991    |