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Board Certified in Psychiatry

Articulate, Board certified Psychiatrist with more than 15 years of clinical expertise and 1 year of medical-legal expertise. Highly specialized in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry.

EDUCATION

- **Hope College, Holland, MI (2001)**
Bachelor of Science, Biology
- **Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN (2007)**
Doctor of Philosophy, PhD, Molecular Neuroscience
- **Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, Chicago, IL (2011)**
Doctor of Medicine, MD
- **UCLA Semel Institute for Neuroscience and Human Behavior, Los Angeles, CA (2014)**
Residency, Adult Psychiatry
- **UCLA Semel Institute for Neuroscience and Human Behavior, Los Angeles, CA (2016)**
Fellowship, Child & Adolescent Psychiatry

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **Olive View Medical Center Emergency and Inpatient Services, Staff Psychiatrist (2013 to 2017)**
- **John George Pavilion Psychiatric Emergency Service, Staff Psychiatrist (2016 to 2018)**
- **Psychiatrist Paradigm Malibu Residential Treatment Center, Staff Psychiatrist (2017 to 2018)**
- **UCLA, Inpatient Child and Adolescent Services, Staff Psychiatrist (2016 to 2019)**
- **Psychiatric Emergency Services, West LA VA Medical Center, Staff Psychiatrist (2017 to 2019)**
- **Santa Monica Child Psychiatry, Private Practice & Consulting, Psychiatrist (2017 to present)**
- **Downey Medical Center, Kaiser Permanente, Child & Adolescent Psychiatrist (2019 to present)**

LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION

- California Board Certified Medical License

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Hope College Endowed Scholarship (1998 – 2001)
- Hope College Dean's List (1999 – 2001)
- Vanderbilt IGP Director's Award (2002 – 2003)
- Northwestern University Frable Scholar (2007 – 2011)
- Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honors Society (2010)
- Northwestern University Neymann Scholarship (2011)
- AACAP Resident Education Outreach Program (2013)
- UCLA ER Psychiatry Chief (July 2013 – June 2014)
- Chief Fellow of Inpatient Psychiatry (July 2015 – June 2016)

RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS

Publications

Ijadi-Maghsoodi R, **Todd EJ**, Bath EP. Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children and the Role of the Child Psychiatrist. *Journal of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry* 2014. Aug 53(8): 825 – 29.

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