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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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HIGHER EDUCATION

College University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan
B.A. – Psychology, with Distinction, May, 1972

Graduate School Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan
M.A. – Clinical Psychology, August, 1975
Ph.D. – Clinical Psychology, April, 1978

LICENSURE

Psychologist, PSY #5970
State of California, July, 1979 - Present

Psychologist, PSY #0003617
State of Colorado, June, 2011 - Present

Diplomate in Clinical Neuropsychology,
American Board of Professional Psychology,
November, 1989

Board Certified Subspecialist in
Pediatric Neuropsychology,
American Board of Professional Psychology,
December, 2015

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Current Positions Clinical Professor of Psychiatry & Biobehavioral Sciences
David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA
2020 - Present
Private Practice in Neuropsychology and
Clinical Psychology, 1979 - Present

Previous Positions Associate Clinical Professor of Psychiatry & Biobehavioral
Sciences
The David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA
2007 - 2020

Clinical Associate Professor of
Pediatrics and Psychology,
USC School of Medicine, 1980 – 2007

Instructor, Graduate Center for Child
Development and Psychotherapy, 1990 – 2005

Senior Psychologist, Psychosocial Program,
Division of Hematology–Oncology and Neurosurgery,
Children’s Hospital of Los Angeles,
July, 1982 – June, 1986

Acting Head, Psychosocial Program,
Division of Hematology – Oncology
Children’s Hospital of Los Angeles,
December, 1981 – June, 1982

Psychologist, Psychosocial Program
Divisions of Hematology – Oncology and Neurosurgery
Children’s Hospital of Los Angeles
September, 1977 – December, 1981

Instructor, Pepperdine University,
Teaching Psychology to Upper Level
Undergraduates and Master’s Level Students
April, 1977 – December, 1979

Post-Doctoral Research Assistant,
Department of Biology, California
Institute of Technology, Conducting
independent research into human brain
functioning and consciousness under

the supervision of Dr. R.W. Sperry
October, 1976 – September, 1979 (Half-time)
Therapist, Los Angeles Guidance and
Counseling Service
October, 1976 – August, 1977

Division of Psychiatry
Children's Hospital of Los Angeles
September, 1975 – August, 1976 (Internship)

Penal Psychologist, Detroit House of
Corrections, Plymouth, Michigan
Psychotherapy and Counseling with
female inmates
December, 1974 – September, 1975

Veterans Administration Hospital
Allen Park, Michigan
September, 1974 – August, 1975 (Internship)

Northwest Child Guidance Center,
Detroit, Michigan
September, 1974 – June, 1975 (Internship)

Forensic Center, Ypsilanti, Michigan
June, 1973 – August, 1973 (Internship)

SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

American Psychological Association

International Neuropsychological Society

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

Consulting Editor, The Clinical Neuropsychologist, from 2017

Ad Hoc Reviewer, Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society, from 2005

Ad Hoc Reviewer, American Board of Clinical
Neuropsychology, from 1995

Ad Hoc Reviewer, Child Neuropsychology, from 2000

Ad Hoc Reviewer, Neuropsychology, from 2000

Ad Hoc Reviewer, Neuropsychology Review, from 2017

Ad Hoc Reviewer, Psycho-Oncology, from 2010

Ad Hoc Reviewer, Radiology, from 1984
Ad Hoc Reviewer, Journal of Pain and Symptom Management, from 2013
Ad Hoc Reviewer, Pediatric Blood & Cancer, from 2013
Ad Hoc Reviewer, Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry, from 2020

Program Committee, International
Neuropsychological Society, 1996, 1997, 2007

ADVISORY BOARDS

Park Century School, 2000 - Present

Venice Family Clinic, 2004 - 2011

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Master's Thesis: Ellenberg, L., Neuropsychological effects of chronic alcoholism.
Wayne State University, August, 1975

Doctoral Dissertation: Ellenberg, L., Hemispheric asymmetry of attentional Capacity,
Wayne State University, 1978

PUBLICATIONS IN PEER REVIEWED JOURNALS

Ellenberg, L., Sperry, R.W., Capacity for holding sustained attention following commissurotomy, Cortex, 15: 421-438, 1979.

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Kellerman, J., Zeltzer, L., Ellenberg, L., Dash, J., Rigler, D., Psychological effects of illness in adolescence: anxiety, self-esteem and perception of control, Part I. Journal of Pediatrics, 97: 126-131, 1980.

Zeltzer, L., Kellerman, J., Ellenberg, L., Dash, J., Rigler, D., Psychological effects of illness in adolescence: crucial issues and coping styles, Part II. Journal of Pediatrics, 97: 132-138, 1980.

Ellenberg, L., Kellerman, J. Dash, J., Higgins, G. Zeltzer, L., Use of hypnosis for multiple symptoms in an adolescent girl with leukemia, Journal of Adolescent Health Care, 2: 1, 1980.

Ellenberg, L., Rosenbaum, G., Goldman, M.D., Whitman, R.D., Recoverability of psychological functioning following alcohol abuse: lateralization effects, Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, 48: 503-510, 1980.

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Orbach, I., Feshbach, S., Carloon, G., Ellenberg, L., Attitudes toward life and death in suicidal, normal and chronically ill children, Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology, 52: 1020-1027, 1984.

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Katz, E., Kellerman, J., Ellenberg, L., Hypnosis in the reduction of acute pain and distress in children with cancer, Journal of Pediatric Psychology, 12: 379-394, 1987

Ellenberg, L., McComb, J.G., Siegel, S.E., Stowe, S., Factors affecting cognitive outcome in pediatric brain tumor patients, Neurosurgery, 21: 638-644, 1987.

Kramer, J.H., Ellenberg, L., Leonard, J., Share, L.J. Developmental sex differences in global-local perceptual bias, Neuropsychology, 10: 402-407, 1996.

Krull, K.R., Gioia, G., Ness, K.K., Ellenberg, L., Recklitis, C., Leisenring, W., Huang S., Stovall, M., Robison, L.L., Zeltzer, L. Reliability and validity of the childhood cancer survivor study neurocognitive questionnaire, Cancer, 113: 2188-2197, 2008.

Ellenberg, L., Liu, Q., Gioia, G., Yasui, Y., Packer, R.J., Mertens, A., Donaldson, S.S., Stovall, M., Kadan-Lottick, N., Armstrong, G., Robison, L., Zeltzer, L.K. Neurocognitive status in long-term survivors of childhood CNS malignancies: A report from the Childhood Cancer Survivor Study, Neuropsychology, 23: 705-717, 2009.

Kadan-Lottick, NS, Zeltzer, LK, Liu, Q, Yasui, Y, Ellenberg, L., Gioia, G, Robison, LL, Krull, KR. Neurocognitive functioning in adult survivors of childhood non-central nervous system cancers. Journal of the National Cancer Institute, 102: 881-893, 2010.

BOOK CHAPTERS

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ABSTRACTS AND REVIEWS

Sperry, R.W., Ellenberg, L., Capacity for sustained attention and mental concentration in the surgically disconnected hemispheres, Biology Annual Reports, California Institute of Technology, 1977.

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