



Announcing a workshop **



Coping with the Many Faces of Violence

Sunday, June 23, 2019, 4-7 pm

Fordham at Lincoln Center, room 1022

Violence rears its ugly head every day and impacts individuals from diverse backgrounds including those based on age, gender, gender identity, race, ethnicity, culture, national origin, religion, sexual orientation, disability, language, and socioeconomic status in many contexts and settings. Individuals, their families, communities, and, indeed, all of society are affected by acts of violence.

Coping with the Many Faces of Violence covers what therapists and others can do to address several areas of violence such as terrorism acts around the world, hate bias crimes such as the Pittsburgh synagogue shooting (11/27/18; anti-Semitism) and the New Zealand mass shooting in two mosques (03/15/19; anti-Muslim), Easter bombings in Sri Lankan churches (4/21/19, anti-Christian), recent threats to Representative Omar, domestic violence, and criminal behavior of various kinds such as sexual assaults, homicidal acts, sexual harassment, bullying and cyber bullying, etc.

Mental health professionals also have to respond occasionally to suicidal ideation and self-injurious threats and suicidal threats made by patients or clients they evaluate. Suicide is the second-leading cause of death in New York State among people aged 15-34 (CDC, 2015) and outpaces death by homicide at 2.5 times. Given that mental health problems are documented in over half of suicide cases in New York State (CDC, 2015), psychologists can play a primary role in increasing education of the public, destigmatizing and reducing barriers to mental health services, and providing suicide and self-harm prevention care.

Chair: **Roy Aranda, PsyD, JD**
Welcome: **?Rochelle M. Balter, JD, PhD**

<i>The many faces of violence</i>	Roy Aranda, PsyD, JD
<i>Religion-based hate crimes</i>	Daniel Kaplin, PhD
<i>School violence</i>	Jonathan Cohen, PhD
<i>Gun violence</i>	Frank Corigliano, PhD
<i>Suicide</i>	Clara Fajardo, PsyD
<i>Sexual abuse</i>	Jeffrey Singer, PhD

All are welcome. Refreshments are served at 3:30 pm.

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**** This workshop is free to members of cosponsoring groups (below). *****

For non-members, entry fee of \$25 covers refreshments.

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***** Cosponsor groups: Fordham University, Manhattan (MPA), Queens (QPA), NYSPA Divisions of Independent Practice (IPD), Psychoanalysis, Forensic...**

