

Dr Robert Jones M.Sc., CPsychol, PhD, AFBPsS. Consultant Clinical & Counselling Psychologist





Health Professions Council Registration: **PYL26295** British Psychological Society Membership: **248222**

Dr Jones has over twelve years' experience working as a Counselling and Clinical Psychologist, specialising in child and forensic psychology, adult mental health and learning disabilities. His experience as an expert witness has included assessments and reports for the police in Devon and Cornwall, local authorities in South Wales, Somerset, and London; and the Criminal Justice System, and insurance companies throughout the United Kingdom.

FAMILY LAW EXPERTISE

- Adults, parents and children of all ages
- Victims and perpetrators of sexual abuse
- Suspected child abuse, maltreatment child neglect
- Violence and sexual violence towards intimate partners and children
- The ability to protect and to recognise parental risk, grooming of children and other risks to children
- Cognitive impairment and learning disability, autism spectrum disorders and how this affects parenting using the Parenting Assessment Manual (PAMs Assessment)
- Complex mental health and personality disorders.
- Trauma and PTSD and how this affects parents and victims of road traffic accidents
- Cognitive Dysfunction including learning disability, autism spectrum disorders, and complex issues such as personality disorders, schizophrenia, and bi-polar disorder.

WORK HISTORY

2000 – Pres Independent Consultant Clinical & Counselling Psychologist for the Criminal and Family Court

- 2013 14 Consultant Clinical & Counselling Psychologist PCC
- 2011 12 Clinical & Counselling Psychologist, NSFT
- 2010 11 Independent Counselling Psychologist
- 2009 10 Counselling Psychologist, Paradise Kids, Brisbane, Australia
- **2008 09** Counselling Psychologist, Belmont Private Hospital, Brisbane, Australia



1985 – 04 High School Teacher, New Zealand and Australia

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- 2009 11 MSc (Social Science & Counselling) ACAP
- 2008 09 Queensland Psychologist Registration Competencies
- 2007 08 Post Graduate Diploma of Psychology (Clinical & Forensic) Bond
- 2005 07 Graduate Diploma of Psychology QUT Brisbane
- 1990 94 PhD (Nutritional Science) Austin Texas
- **1985 87** Teaching Diploma and Trained Teachers Certificate Auckland.

SPECIALIST TRAINING AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- 2016 Test of Everyday Attention for Children Second Edition (Clinical Training), Pr Manly
- 2014 Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule (ADOS) Second Edition (Clinical Training) Pr Catherine Lord, Pamela DiLavore, & Katherine Gotham
- 2013 The Gudjonsson Suggestibility Scales (Clinical Training) Pr Gisle Gudjonsson
- 2013 Validity Indicator Profile (Clinical Training) Pr Richard Frederick
- 2012 Millon Adolescent Clinical Inventory 2nd Edition (Clinical Training) Pr Millon
- 2011 Wide Range Achievement Test WRAT-4 (Clinical Training) Pr Wilkinson & Robertson
- **2011** Autism Diagnotic Interview (Clinical Training) Pr Michael Rutter, Ann Le Couteur, & Catherine Lord.
- **2010** Adult Attachment Interview (Clinical Training) Pr Steele & Steele.
- 2010 Children's PTSD Inventory (Clinical Training) Pr Phillip Saigh
- **2010** Posttraumatic Stress Diagnostic Scale (Clinical Training) Pr Edna Foa
- 2009 Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing (Clinical Training) Pr Francine Shapiro
- 2009 Millon Clinical Multiaxial Inventory (Clinical Training) Pr Millon
- 2008 Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory MMPI-2 (Clinical Training) Pr Hathaway & McKinley
- 2007 Assessment of Psychopathic Personality Disorder (PCL-R2), Pr Robert Hare
- 2007 Risk Assessment Training, Violence and Sexual Violence, Pr Stephen Hart
- 2007 Personality Assessment Inventory (Clinical Training) Pr Morey



PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

- Davies, J. et. al. (2014) Mental health services for prisoners in Wales British Psychological Society response to the Welsh Government consultation. Mental Health and Well-being of Looked After Children British Psychological Society March 2015.
- Jones, R.W. (2010) Effect of a Group-Style Intervention, for Children Suffering Grief and Complicated Grief.
- Jones, R.W. (2009) An Investigation into Differential Experiences of Symptoms to Stress between the Asian and General Student Population at one Australian University.
- Jones, R.W. (2008) The development and validation of a new measure, the Social Strategies for Unwinding Scale (SSUS). Unpublished Document.
- 2008 Presentation to the Faculty of Psychology of Bond University "An Investigation into Differential Experiences of Symptoms to Stress between the Asian and General Student Population at one Australian University", Gold Coast, Australia.
- 2007 Presentation to the Faculty of Psychology of Bond University "Press-Related and Cinemagraphic-Related arguments for changes in the sociological and Psychological outcomes for Aboriginal Peoples in Australia", Gold Coast, Australia.
- 2005 Presentation to the Faculty of Psychology of Queensland University of Technology on "A Psychological, Sociological and Behavioural reflection of the Treatment of Aboriginal Peoples as a distinction from White Australians", Brisbane, Australia.
- Jones, R.W. (2018) The Psychologists Toolbox: A Practical Approach for Clinical Psychologists.

Jones, R.W. (2018) The Psychologists Toolbox: Home Edition for Self Help

Jones, R.W. (2018) The Psychologists Toolbox: Your Food May Be Killing You